# Tommy Baratta

(Personal Portfolio Website)

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### EDUCATION

# Florida Gulf Coast University

B.S. in Software Engineering

Fort Myers, FL May 2026

#### EXPERIENCE

## Information Technology Intern – Digital Engineering Platforms

March 2025 - Present

Herc Rentals

- Assisted in AI development by writing SQL queries for training data procurement
- Developed scripts to automate production environment testing, reducing regression testing time by 80%
- Implemented automated mobile application testing with LambdaTest, leveraging OOP principles in JavaScript

## Student Research Assistant (Research Paper)

November 2023 - July 2024

Florida Gulf Coast University

• Wrote a 10-page paper on improving cybersecurity training using Python and SQL for data analysis

### PROJECTS

# FinScope (Back-End) (GitHub) - (Demo)

October 2025

KnightHacks 2025 Hackathon Project

- o Built an AI-powered platform that summarizes and simplifies daily financial news for everyday users
- Won 2nd Place in OneEtho's challenge among 1,100+ competitors
- o Used Google Gemini, FRED, and News APIs to translate complex market data into simple AI-generated insights
- o Built a Node.js backend with Python microservices for data cleaning, forecasting, and AI insight generation
- o Tech Stack: Python, JavaScript, Node.js, Express.js, FastAPI, Gemini 2.5 Flash, React.js, Docker

### iMPOSTURE (Full-Stack) (GitHub) - (Demo)

September 2025

ShellHacks 2025 Hackathon Project

- o Collaborated with a team of 4 to build a real-time desktop app that monitors posture to promote user wellness
- Won 2nd Place in Google Cloud's ADK challenge among 1,400+ competitors
- Used MediaPipe and YOLOv11 to construct computer vision pipelines for posture and phone detection
- Leveraged Google Cloud's ADK to create 3 agents that analyze real time user data
- o Tech Stack: Python, Google Cloud ADK, MediaPipe, YOLOv11, Supabase

## EagleHacks 2025 (Full-Stack) (GitHub) - (Website)

December 2024

Personal Project

- Developed the official web app for FGCU's annual hackathon EagleHacks
- Facilitated registration and participation for over 60 users using a secure REST API with MongoDB
- o Tech Stack: MongoDB, Express.js, React.js, Node.js, Shadcn/ui, Particles.js

#### ACHIEVEMENTS

## Software Engineering Club Secretary

November 2024 - Present

Florida Gulf Coast University

• Secured \$15,000+ in corporate sponsorships for the EagleHacks events

## Society of Hispanic Professional Engineers (SHPE)

October 2025 - Present

Fall 2023, Spring 2025

Member

o Active member participating in national conferences and networking events with industry professionals

Florida Gulf Coast University

Dean's List x2

• Recognized on the Dean's List for ranking in the top 15% of the Software Engineering program