# **Jonathan Stowers**

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#### **EXPERIENCE**

## **Mercer University** — Artificial Intelligence Researcher

September 2025 - PRESENT

Developed and trained Convolutional Neural Networks and data processing pipelines tools with NumPy to analyze cosmic rays measured by the Icecube Observatory.

### **America Reads America Counts** — *Reading Tutor*

August 2024 - PRESENT

Facilitated weekly reading sessions for young children, utilizing interactive and innovative techniques to increase comprehension and retain attention.

## Caring Senior Service HQ — Full Stack Developer Intern

September 2023 - May 2024

Developed and integrated a custom, mobile first LMS utilizing NodeJS to enhance internal satisfaction.

### **EDUCATION**

## **Mercer University,** Macon GA — B.S. in Computer Science; Minors in Mathematics and Cybersecurity

August 2024 - (Expected) May 2028

3.8 GPA (End of Fall '25)

Relevant Coursework:

- Computer Science: Data Structures and Algorithms (A), Artificial Intelligence (In Progress)
- Mathematics: Calculus II (B), Discrete Math (A), Linear Algebra (In Progress)

### **PROJECTS**

### **Zip and Unzip**— *Done for DSA*

Created and utilized a C++ Program to read an input file and output a zipped file. Used Huffman Encoding to efficiently, and quickly, compress or uncompress text documents.

#### **SKILLS**

Languages: C++, Java, Python

Web: HTML, CSS, JavaScript, NodeJS, React, Express

Tools: Git, Linux, VSCode, NumPy

Other: Leadership, teamwork, problem solving, leveraging efficient algorithms

## AWARDS AND CERTIFICATES

Presidential and Deans List Scholar Rewarded for a strong academic performance.

7th Place CCSC Finisher
Finished top ten at the
2025 CCSC Competitive
Programming conference.
Only sophomore to make it
on Mercer's two teams of
seniors.

Certiport IT Specialist: Java Awarded in 2024 for showcasing proficiency in Java.

98-381 MTA Introduction to Programming Using Python Awarded in 2023 for showcasing proficiency in Python.