


# Michael Gathara

 mikegtrm@gmail.com

 [linkedin.com/in/michaelgathara](https://www.linkedin.com/in/michaelgathara)

 <https://michaelgathara.com>

## Summary

Aspiring Software Engineer with an interest in business and politics

## Experience



### Head Of Information Technology

The Cajun Cleaver

Aug 2020 - Present (5 months +)

As the Head of Technology at The Cajun Cleaver. I am responsible for the maintenance and overseeing the deployment of our online site, online store, analytics, online customer relationship as well as in-store sales.



### Senior Web Developer & Graphic Design

The Decency Project

Sep 2020 - Present (4 months +)

Help lead the development of the Decency Project's website and graphic design ambitions while working in a highly creative and fast-paced environment.



### Lead Web Developer

Mdot News

Aug 2020 - Present (5 months +)



### Software Consultant

CleanHoover

Aug 2020 - Present (5 months +)

CleanHoover is a Hoover City-sponsored environmental cleanup and maintenance team. As senior software consultant, I assist the CleanHoover team on everything software, occasionally legal, social media and press releases



### Senior Lead Developer

Mdot News

Feb 2020 - Aug 2020 (7 months)

Lead Developer and Founder of Mdot News. An aggregation powered news site offering top headlines and media bias rating per article



### Information Technology Consultant

The Cajun Cleaver

Dec 2019 - Aug 2020 (9 months)

As part of the Cajun Cleaver family, I assist in customer service from in-store to our online relationships with customers. As the software consultant, I assist in the design and upkeep of our online store and main website.



## Head Of Technology

CleanHoover

Jul 2019 - Aug 2020 (1 year 2 months)

As Head of Technology, I was responsible for everything on the software and tech hardware side of the CleanHoover Initiative. These included Social media platforms, website and occasionally press releases



## Technology Specialist

Office Depot

Nov 2018 - Nov 2019 (1 year 1 month)

As a technology specialist in a high volume store, I was responsible for more than just technical needs. Working as a cashier, technology specialist, stocker, and print specialist, I gained a variety of useful skills and experience. The technology specialist position was responsible for software and hardware diagnoses and repair of phones and computers in every make and model category.

## Education



### University of Alabama at Birmingham

Bachelor of Science - BS, Computer Science

2020 - 2024



### University of Montevallo

Bachelor of Science - BS, Computer Science

2020 - 2020



### Hoover High School

High School Diploma, High School/Secondary Diplomas and Certificates

2016 - 2020

## Licenses & Certifications



MTA: Networking Fundamentals - Microsoft



Alabama Certified Food Handler - StateFoodSafety

Issued Jan 2020 - Expires Jan 2022

fgjbd-i89ecd4

## Skills

Customer Service • Microsoft Word • Microsoft PowerPoint • Research • Java • Pressure Washing • Python (Programming Language) • Teamwork • Microsoft Office • Communication

## Honors & Awards



**Computer Science National Honor Society** - Hoover High School Computer Science

Mar 2019

An honor given to those who complete three consecutive semesters of college board led computer science courses with an average gpa of 4.25