Michael Payne

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Education

University of Nebraska-Lincoln   Lincoln, NE
B.S. in Business Administration   May 2025
Major: Finance; Minor: Computer Science   GPA: 3.73/4.00

Experience

402ink Apparel   Lincoln, NE
Intern   May 2024 - August 2024
~ Assisted development of new company website showcasing designs and enabling clients to create custom orders
~ Integrated international shipping & fulfillment services to serve clients with overseas staff
~ Sourced and evaluated cost-effective vendors for a diverse range of promotional items
~ Automated tedious administrative tasks surrounding custom orders to streamline fulfillment

The Home Depot   Overland Park, KS
Electrical & Plumbing Associate   May 2020 - Aug 2023
~ Guided customers to the right product by assessing needs and specifications through discussion
~ Managed a dozen aisles containing thousands of items to maintain cleanliness and organization
~ Coordinated with other departments to keep the store operating efficiently
~ Ensured an updated inventory by stocking items to increase customer satisfaction

Cashier
~ Accurately rang up orders and ensured a friendly checkout experience

Leadership

Delta Upsilon Intl. Fraternity - Nebraska Chapter   Lincoln, NE
VP of Administration   Nov 2022 - Nov 2023
~ Curated engaging posts on the chapter's Instagram to regularly highlight involvement and opportunities offered to potential new members
~ Rebuilt local network using enterprise hardware to create a secure environment for 250+ devices
~ Maintained master calendar for the chapter to stay informed and plan for events

Apparel Chair
~ Digitally designed half a dozen custom T-shirts to promote campus recognition for philanthropy events, formals, and recruitment

Volunteering

Halo Broadcasting   Overland Park, KS
Producer, Director   Oct 2018 - Aug 2021
~ Scheduled and directed crews to broadcast high-school athletics using professional AV equipment
~ Built a low-latency video streaming pipeline utilizing open-source tools to distribute content
~ Successfully delivered streams to as many as 1000 concurrent viewers across the country

Honors

Dean's List Fall 2021 - Spring 2025
Husker Heritage Scholarship Fall 2021 - Spring 2025

Projects

Home Kubernetes cluster: Highly available virtualization, distributed storage, backups, home automation, and observability services

Skills

Software: Linux, Adobe Creative Suite, Microsoft Office, WordPress
Programming Languages: TypeScript, Python, Java, SQL, PHP, Go
Tools: Git, Docker, Terraform, Cloudflare, AWS, Azure, React, Next.js, Shopify