Ian McCallum

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Objective

Motivated high school junior with a passion for technology, entrepreneurship, and creative expression. Dedicated to leveraging technical expertise, leadership experience, and a strong work ethic to excel in challenging roles and achieve long-term professional goals.

Education

Metea Valley High School

Naperville, IL

Graduation Year: 2026

- GPA: 3.86 (Unweighted) | 4.3 (Weighted)
- Honors: Member of National Honor Society, Soccer Sportsmanship Award
- AP Courses: AP European History, AP Psychology, AP U.S. History, AP English 3
- Additional Coursework: Honors Spanish

Skills

- Fast learner
- Excellent interpersonal skills
- Self-motivated
- Strong work ethic
- People-oriented
- Enthusiastic

Work Experience

Target

Food Department Team Member | June 2024 – Present

Delivered excellent customer service in a fast-paced environment.

- Stocked shelves, managed inventory, and maintained department organization.
- Developed strong interpersonal and multitasking abilities.

Youth Soccer Referee

Self-Employed | 2021 – Present

- Officiated youth soccer games, enhancing decision-making and conflict resolution skills.
- Built confidence and managed high-pressure situations to ensure fair gameplay.

Entrepreneurial and Technical Projects

Beat the Clock - Automation Consulting Agency

Founder | December 2024 – Present

- Created a service to help businesses streamline operations using tools like Zapier and Make.
- Exploring artificial intelligence integration with technologies like ChatGPT and Cursor.ai to enhance efficiency.

Vokel - YouTube Channel and Twitch Stream

Creator | 2019 - 2021

- Grew a gaming-focused YouTube channel to nearly 500 subscribers and achieved Twitch Affiliate status.
- Developed advanced video editing and content creation skills using Adobe Premiere Pro and After Effects.

Technical Skills

- **Programming Languages**: HTML, CSS, JavaScript
- Technology Tools: Zapier, Make, ChatGPT, Cursor.ai
- Creative Tools: Adobe Photoshop, Lightroom, Premiere Pro, After Effects

Leadership and Extracurricular Activities

UNICEF Club at Metea Valley High School

Advisory Member

 Designed social media content and marketing campaigns to support fundraising initiatives for children in need.

JV Soccer Team

Player

 Contributed to team success with dedication and strong sportsmanship, earning the Soccer Sportsmanship Award.

National Honor Society

Member

Recognized for academic excellence, leadership, and community service.

Hobbies and Interests

- Weightlifting: Developing physical and mental discipline through regular fitness training.
- **Photography & Photo Editing**: Capturing and editing visuals using Adobe Lightroom and Photoshop to create stunning, storytelling imagery.
- **Fishing**: Exploring nature and enjoying serene outdoor experiences rooted in childhood traditions.

Achievements

- Earned Soccer Sportsmanship Award for exemplary conduct on and off the field.
- Maintained a 3.86 unweighted and 4.3 weighted GPA while balancing extracurricular activities.
- Began cryptocurrency investments at age 12, gaining early financial literacy.
- Edited videos for a YouTube creator with over 2,000 subscribers.

References

Available upon request.