

# DAVID VAUGHAN

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## HIGHLY MOTIVATED CAREER ENGINEER WITH BROAD KNOWLEDGE BASE AND DEVELOPING EXPERIENCE IN CODING AND PROGRAMMING

- Accountable
- Adaptable
- Agile Development
- Cooperative
- Detail Oriented
- Diligent
- Flexible
- Helpful
- Procedural
- Prompt
- Straightforward
- Quick Learner

## TECHNICAL SKILLS

- HTML
- JavaScript
- TypeScript
- React
- Next.JS
- Search Engine Optimization (SEO)
- Node.JS
- Express
- CSS
- Bootstrap
- Tailwind CSS
- MySQL
- MongoDB
- Mailgun
- Passport
- Stripe
- Python
- Microsoft Office
- AutoCAD
- ArchiCAD
- Revit
- ENERCALC
- Forte
- RAM

## EDUCATION

- Full Stack Engineering *Bootcamp Program* Covalence..... 2022**  
**Introduction to Python Programming *Certification* University of Pennsylvania..... 2020**  
**Civil Engineering *Bachelor of Science* Kennesaw State University..... 2013**

## PROJECTS

### Drew's Plant Nursery

- *Next.JS, JavaScript, Tailwind CSS and Contentful*
- Client Goal: Increase business, showcase plant inventory and develop e-commerce and blogging capabilities.
- Built website to showcase inventory for semi-annual plant sale.
- Added 200+ plants to inventory and continuing to add more.
- Currently working on optimizing their SEO
- <https://www.drewsplantnursery.com>

### Jim's Construction, LLC.

- *Next.JS, JavaScript, Tailwind CSS, Contentful*
- Client Goal: Increase clientele through marketing their business online using better SEO practices.
- Designed and built a website framework mirroring client's original Wordpress website.
- Currently awaiting client's feedback on the first phase before developing the website further.
- <https://jims-construction-bham.vercel.app/>

## PROFESSIONAL SUMMARY

### **Pike Nursery Sales Associate..... 2023-Present**

- Promoted after 4 months based on exceptional performance and dedication
- Provide expert guidance and assistance to customers selecting plants, gardening supplies and outdoor living products
- Assist customers with landscape design ideas and solutions, resulting in customer satisfaction and repeat business
- Collaborate with a team to maintain a visually appealing and organized store layout
- Participate in regular product knowledge training
- Utilize strong communication skills to effectively convey plant care instructions and gardening advice to customers
- Contribute to achieving and exceeding sales targets through personalized customer interactions

### **Freelance Web Developer..... 2023-Present**

- Developing, improving and maintaining websites for clients

- Tutor Grade *Potential Tutoring*..... 2022-Present**
  - Tutor clients of all ages in Information Technology, Math, Science, History, Language Arts and Latin
- Carpenter *Mateosky Construction Inc.*..... 2019-2021**
  - Completed tasks related to the construction of buildings and acted as part of a team to finish critical jobs
- Hotel Engineer *Snake River Lodge and Spa*.....2018-2019**
  - Worked on refinishing and updating projects and completed regular maintenance
- Structural Engineer *Y2 Consultants*..... 2017-2018**
  - Calculated and created plans for multi-million dollar projects
  - Performed inspections and reviewed drawings for accuracy and completion
  - Coordinated between architects and construction workers to complete the needs of the client
- Design Engineer *Primus Builders Inc.*..... 2016-2017**
  - Created models using design programs and reviewed drawings to ensure proper specifications were met
  - Prepared calculations for the design process and attended coordination meetings
- Structural Analyst *FDH Velocitel*..... 2014-2015**
  - Performed structural analysis evaluations and comprehensive report summaries of cell phone towers and their foundations
- Geotechnical Engineer *United Consulting*..... 2013-2014**
  - Functioned as the primary inspector for a 23-story apartment complex in Atlanta
  - Performed inspections, completed daily reports, and collected/summarized results from testing procedures
- Research Assistant (Undergrad) *Southern Polytechnic State University*.....2012-2013**
  - Performed various testing for hot mix asphalt as well as modelling and characterization for the Georgia Department of Transportation database

#### PUBLICATIONS

- “Use of Recycled Concrete Materials as Aggregate Base Layer” *Primary Author Dr. Sung-Hee Kim, P.E.***
  - Recognized in publication as Undergrad Research Assistant

#### CERTIFICATIONS

**Engineer in Training (EIT) License & Certification:** EIT025970  
**American Concrete Institute (ACI) Certification:** 01256709