Franklin Peterson | Aspiring Neuroscientist

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EDUCATION

Triton College | River Grove, IL | *Psychology Major* | GPA: 4.0
Relevant Coursework: Calculus I, Elementary Statistics, Intro to Programming, Principles of Biology, General Chemistry, Intro to Psychology, Intro to Philosophy

Oak Park & River Forest High School | Oak Park, IL | Graduated 2024
Honors & AP College prep coursework, junior varsity swimming

EXPERIENCE

Cognitive Science Research | *07/2025 – Present*

- Conducted self-directed study of neuroscience, philosophy of mind, and machine learning
- Analyzed works by Hinton, Friston, Sebastian Seung, Kant, Jerry Fodor, John Searle, and others

Camino de Santiago | **Solo-Trekker** | *04/18/2025 – 05/21/2025*

- Walked a 500-mile solo pilgrimage across Northern Spain
- Increased cultural adaptability through diverse social interactions in new languages

Independent Software Development | *01/06/2025 – 04/18/2025*

- Taught myself Python, Flask, and Javascript via online platforms
- Developed GoogleFocus, a chrome extension that filters distracting websites from search results
- Built GigaScrape, a data extraction tool that summarizes websites using the Gemini API

ADHD Accelerator | **Founder** | *12/20/2023 – 01/04/2025*

- Synthesized neuroscience research into actionable lifestyle protocols for 12+ clients
- Built outbound marketing systems and produced daily content
- Worked full time without pay for ten months before growing to $1,000 in monthly revenue

AWARDS & ACTIVITIES

- Triton President's Honor List | 2025
- AP Scholar Award | 2023
- Founder & President | Triton Psychology Club
- Vice President | Political Science Club
- Weightlifter & cyclist | 2022 - Present