Param Patel

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Education

University of Illinois Urbana-Champaign — Champaign, IL
Gies College of Business — Expected, May 2030
Bachelor of Science in Finance + Data Science
Minor: Math + Statistics
GPA: (4.0/4.0) | James Scholars Member
Relevant coursework: Calculus III

William Fremd Highschool — Palatine, IL
Diploma — May 2026
SAT: 1530 | GPA: 5.23/5.0 (W) | 3.998/4.0 (UW)
D211 Academic Scholar, 8-Sem High Honor Roll, NHS, IHSA Debate State Champ & Finalist
Relevant coursework: AP Statistics, AP Macroeconomics, AP Calculus BC, AP Comp Sci A

Experience

Founder & Owner — Inverness, IL
PNP Customs — June 2019 - Present
- Founded a custom branding and online marketing business generating five-figure revenue.
- Executed projects for clients across multiple U.S. markets (NY, CA, FL, NV) .
- Created merchandise and digital assets for business branding campaigns.
- Oversaw operations, finance, production, and end-to-end client management.

Shift Lead — Hoffman Estates, IL
Ascension Saint Alexius Medical Center — Jan 2024 - May 2026
- Directed daily operations, optimizing workflow and team productivity.
- Coordinated staff during high-volume periods, maintaining operational efficiency.
- Trained and mentored employees to improve performance and accountability.
- Oversaw inventory and patient issue resolution.

Projects

Budget Buddy — Jan 2025 - May 2025
- Built a personal finance platform for budgeting and cash flow analysis.
- Automated expense categorization to improve financial tracking accuracy.
- Developed interactive dashboards visualizing spending trends and savings performance.
- Designed scalable database architecture supporting secure financial data management.

Activities

Highschool JV & Varsity Golf — Aug 2023 - Oct 2025
- Competed at JV and Varsity levels throughout high school.
- Created Excel dashboard tracking player performance and skill progression.
- Balanced athletics with rigorous academics and leadership while leading the team to state.

Additional

Skills: Microsoft Office Suite, Python, Java, Javascript, ReactNative, Gujarati, Hindi, and Spanish
AI: Claude, ChatGPT, Gemini, Perplexity, Grok | Prompt Engineering | Agentic AI Workflows | Workflow Automation
Interests: Investing, Golf, Strength Training, Hiking, AI & Emerging Technology, Coding Passion Projects, Public Speaking, Piano, Math Mentoring, Community Service