

KATIE GARCIA

QUALITY ASSURANCE | SOFTWARE TESTING | SQL & WEB APPLICATIONS

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PROFESSIONAL SUMMARY

Computer Information Systems graduate with a 3.77 GPA, a Software Developer Certificate, and hands-on experience building, testing, deploying, and supporting web applications. Strongest in SQL, with additional experience in relational database design, Django, JavaScript, Git workflows, Linux/Unix, and software testing. Brings 13+ years of quality-focused operations and leadership experience in training, inventory analysis, root-cause investigation, documentation, and cross-functional problem-solving.

TECHNICAL SKILLS

Languages: SQL, Python, Java, JavaScript, PHP, TypeScript, C++, HTML, CSS

Frameworks and Databases: Django, Spring Framework, React, Bootstrap, MySQL, SQLite

Tools and Platforms: Git, GitHub, GitLab, Docker, VS Code, DBeaver, MySQL Workbench, Linux/Unix, Bash, SSH, PythonAnywhere, Netlify, Cloudflare

Software Quality and Analysis: Manual Testing, Functional Testing, Exploratory Testing, Regression Testing, UAT, Test Case Development, Defect Documentation, Debugging, Agile, SDLC, Systems Analysis, UML, Requirements Gathering, REST APIs

Additional: Cisco Packet Tracer; AI-assisted development with ChatGPT, Codex, and Claude

SELECTED TECHNICAL PROJECTS

Indian Creek Cycle Rentals - Capstone Project | May 2026 | www.indiancreekcycles.com

- Collaborated with a development team to design, build, test, deploy, and support a Django bicycle-rental application using Python, SQLite, HTML, CSS, JavaScript, and GitLab.
- Created manual test cases and defect reports; performed functional, exploratory, regression, and cross-device testing; verified fixes; and supported SQL data, hosting, domain configuration, and application updates.

KatieGarcia.dev - Developer Portfolio | 2026

- Built and deployed a portfolio presenting software projects, technical skills, and SQL work using Git-based version control, a custom domain, and cloud hosting.

MarcGarciaTrumpet.com - Client Website | June 2026

- Designed, developed, and deployed a responsive website for a professional trumpet performer and educator; continue to manage hosting, domain configuration, updates, and functional testing.

Shopping Tracker Database | SQL, MySQL, DBeaver | July 2026

- Designed a normalized relational database with primary and foreign keys, joins, queries, and CRUD operations to organize and retrieve shopping data.

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Walmart Distribution Center - Harrisonville, MO | Associate, Trainer, Strays & Damages, Loader, Order Filler | 2023-2026

- Maintained quality and accuracy in a high-volume environment, processed strays and damages with accurate documentation, trained associates, and worked across operational functions while meeting safety and performance standards.

ALDI Distribution Center - Olathe, KS | Shift Supervisor, Inventory Specialist, Quality Control Produce | 2016-2023

- Investigated inventory discrepancies through audits and system reviews; maintained inventory records; ordered product using demand forecasts; created daily reports; coordinated with suppliers and internal teams; and made product acceptance or rejection decisions using established quality standards.

EDUCATION

Johnson County Community College | May 2026

Associate Degree, Computer Information Science | Software Developer Certificate | GPA: 3.77

Relevant Coursework: Systems Analysis & Design, Database Management, Java Programming, Object-Oriented Programming, PHP/MySQL Web Development, Unix/Linux, JavaScript, Big Data Architecture, Software Testing, Capstone Project

Truman State University | December 2012

Bachelor of Arts in Music | GPA: 3.65