# Ethan Micaiah Bowden

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### **EDUCATION**

# The Albany Academies

Albany, NY

GPA 3.65/4.00 (unweighted)

- *Honor Roll* grades 9-12.
- Albany Academies Class Declamations won first place for original speech performed to class.
- *Chinese Honor Society* studied Chinese for at least two years with an A grade, exhibited outstanding behavioral record, promoted Chinese language and culture, served as a positive role model.

### **Syracuse University Summer College**

Syracuse, NY

Sound Engineering and Audio Production Course

July 2022

Collaborated directly with Professor Michael Ahearn on Logic Pro projects and original songs.

• Learned audio production skills using MIDI keyboards and recording techniques with various microphones, preamps, and audio interfaces.

### **ATHLETICS**

- *Varsity Tennis* grades 8-12; played to sectionals level in single and doubles.
- *TriCity Tennis: Elite Academy* grades 9-12; year-round training and UTR matches, trained 3 to 6 hours per day, 4-6 weeks every summer.
- *Varsity Cross Country Running* grade 9; daily practices and weekly meets.

#### **MUSIC**

- Private electric and acoustic guitar, piano, mandolin, bass, and drums lessons from Berklee College of Music alumnus, Kevin Grudecki grades 9-12.
- Private violin lessons from Julliard alumnus, Rick Brodwin.
- Schenectady Community College Jazz Competition on electric guitar.
- Empire Youth State Orchestra Repertory Jazz on guitar, weekly practices, 3 concerts per year.
- Lead music worship service on guitar at Solid Rock Church and weekly practices.
- Played guitar in school musical pits Pet(her) Pan & Cyrano de BurgerShack.
- Accompanied school choral concerts on guitar.
- Performed live gig at Wicked Eatery Pub and Entertainment in Clifton Park, NY.
- Performed live gig at Hilton Music Center at Colonie Center Mall in Albany, NY.
- Composed, mixed, and produced multiple original songs on home DAW (digital audio workstation).

# **VOLUNTEER SERVICES**

Reboot Tech, Inc.

Halfmoon, NY

Vice President & Co-founder

April 2019-present

- Co-founded nonprofit corporation, 501(c)3 status, raised over \$6,125 to date.
- Collected 50+ used computers from local businesses, FB marketplace, and recycling centers.
- Refurbished computers by installing new solid-state drives, operating systems, and software.
- Connected with local charities and churches to locate children who lacked access to a computer.
- Delivered and set up 25+ refurbished computers, monitors, and keyboards to local families/organizations, and trained youth how to use computers.
- Reported by *ABC News Channel 10* <a href="https://www.news10.com/community/the-upside/albany-brothers-refurbish-computers-for-kids-in-need/">https://www.news10.com/community/the-upside/albany-brothers-refurbish-computers-for-kids-in-need/</a>.
- Created webpage <u>Reboot Tech</u> <u>https://reboottech.org</u>.

Solid Rock Church Delmar, NY

- Raked and mowed grounds, painted community center, helped build swing set for youth.
- Run sound checks and trouble shoot system before service, help with mixing board and A/V, lead music worship for Sunday church services on guitar.
- Played guitar for senior citizens at Loudonville Assisted Living Residence.

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• Community Service Days – repaired trails at Five Rivers Nature Preserve, raked and cleaned grounds at Food Bank Farms, cleaned Ronald McDonald House in Albany, wrote letters to patients in St. Peter's Nursing and Rehabilitation Center.

# JC Club: Children's Feeding Center

Albany, NY

• Served meals and tutored a group of 20-25 underserved youth in low-income community in Albany during school breaks.

### **WORK & INTERNSHIP EXPERIENCE**

Sound Solutions Gansevoort, NY

Sound Engineer Intern

Summer 2022

- Set up sound system, mixed tracks, set EQ levels, and broke set for live band performances at Carson's Woodside Tavern, Dock Brown's Lakeside Tavern, Congress Park, and Crandall Park.
- Set up and break down of audio/visual equipment for New York Racing Association Run Happy Travers event at Adelphi Hotel in Saratoga Springs, NY.
- Microphoned drums, set up monitors and amps, mixed tracks, and broke set for live band performance at *SchoolAPalooza* fundraiser in Glens Falls, NY.
- Trained directly by owner Chris Bailey how to connect microphones and amps to the inputs of a mixer box using XLR and quarter inch cables, and how to adjust sound during live performances.

Cheftech of NENY Saratoga Springs, NY

Commercial kitchen equipment installer and maintenance

August 2022

- Trained and received OSHA 10 certification.
- Helped install and service commercial kitchen equipment on large-scale projects at Regeneron Pharmaceuticals, Dom's Pizza, and Defreestville Fire Department.

## **NY State Department: New Crop Fast and Easy**

Albany, NY

Administrative Assistant

March-April 2022

- Scanned paperwork into digital format and organized files chronologically.
- General filing and clerical tasks.

#### Residents of Halfmoon

Halfmoon, NY

Landscaper/yard work

Summers 2019-22

#### **HOBBIES**

- Hiking high peaks in Adirondacks
- Downhill skiing
- Meditation with Sam Harris
- Physical fitness, weightlifting, and jiu jitsu