

# Addison Peed

Undergraduate student at Virginia Tech studying Materials Science and Engineering. Looking to gain some experience over the summer in the manufacturing industry.

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## PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE & RESEARCH

### Quantifying Isotopologue Reaction Networks

February 2025 - May 2025

Partnered with NASA researcher Dr. Gabriella Weiss to develop steps for implementing machine learning to better understand reaction pathways of organic molecules

### Machine Learning in Mineralogy

January 2025 - Expected May 2025

Creating a classification and regression model in Python to predict the Carbon abundance in mars-analog environments

Data science and machine learning experience

### Bat Guano Charcoal Research

February 2025 - Expected May 2025

Lab work analyzing the number of charcoal pieces in bat guano samples to predict Virginia's landscape 30,000 years ago

Extensive microscope and lab experience

## EDUCATION

### Virginia Tech, Blacksburg, VA — Degree

Fall 2024 - Expected Spring 2028

Pursuing Bachelors of Science in Materials Science and Engineering

GPA 3.75/4.00

### Glen Allen High School, Glen Allen, VA — Advanced Diploma

Fall 2020 - Spring 2024

Graduated with Honors from the Specialty Center for Education and Human Development

GPA 3.90/4.00

## SKILLS

Adobe Creative Suite

Blender

Basic Java & Python

CAD - Fusion

Clear Communication

Design Thinking

Detail-oriented

Public Speaking Experience

## ACCOMPLISHMENTS

### 2025 Fralin Fellow

**10-minute TEDtalk:** spoke to my school about the effects of AI's rise and influence on democracy

### 2nd Place at Educators Rising State Competition:

co-created an illustrated book for kids struggling after the pandemic

**AP Scholar with Distinction Award 2023 & 2024**

**Top 10% of high school class**

## LANGUAGES

Basic Spanish