

# Joshua E. Gabbay

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## EDUCATION

<b>University of California, Santa Barbara</b>	<b>June 2019</b>
Economics and Accounting	
<b>Calabasas High School</b>	<b>June 2025</b>
GPA: 4.3, ACT Score: 35	

## WORK EXPERIENCE

<b>Founder, Calabasas Guards</b> - Calabasas, CA	<b>January 2025 - Present</b>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Founded and operated a private lifeguarding and swim-instruction service, delivering 100+ private events and lessons and generating five-figure revenue through scheduling, staffing, and service optimization</li><li>• Managed end-to-end operations for customer acquisition, communication, and payroll for 10+ lifeguards</li></ul>	
<b>Intern, THRIVE Health Oculoplastic Research</b> - Beverly Hills, CA	<b>July 2023 - January 2025</b>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Supported clinical research alongside physicians and nurses by monitoring vitals and administering IV treatments for 300 recurring patients, adhering to strict medical protocols</li><li>• Collected, tracked, and maintained longitudinal datasets for 300+ patients across 2-month treatment cycles, ensuring accuracy for peer-reviewed research studies</li></ul>	

## PROJECTS

<b>Founder, OrtegaEats</b> - Isla Vista, CA	<b>January 2026 - Present</b>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Founded a UCSB meal swipe marketplace enabling students to buy and sell unused dining hall swipes, reducing food waste and saving students money</li><li>• Designed role-based user flows and integrated multiple payout methods to minimize transaction friction and increase platform adoption</li><li>• Managed full product lifecycle from market research and branding through beta testing and launch preparation</li></ul>	
<b>Founder, Sublease IV</b> - Isla Vista, CA	<b>January 2026 - Present</b>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Built and launched SubleaseIV.com, a verified student housing marketplace for Isla Vista, streamlining the sublease process for UCSB students</li><li>• Compiled a database of 49 Isla Vista leasing companies and developed a B2B outreach strategy to onboard property managers onto the platform</li><li>• Implemented identity verification and secure payment processing to reduce fraud risk and increase trust among student renters</li></ul>	

## LEADERSHIP

<b>Co-President, Wise Temple Youth</b> - Bel Air, California	<b>May 2023 - May 2025</b>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Co-led a youth organization of up to 50 members, planning and executing multiple events per month to strengthen engagement and participation of the Jewish community</li><li>• Helped synagogue leadership manage an annual budget to maximize youth engagement and impact</li></ul>	
<b>Finance Committee, Mayor's Youth Council</b> - Calabasas, CA	<b>July 2023 - January 2025</b>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Collaborated with the Mayor of Calabasas and city officials on civic initiatives reaching thousands of residents, promoting youth engagement, and voter pre-registration</li><li>• Delivered remarks and presentations at city council meetings as a youth representative for Caruso Real Estate's Commons Lane development project</li></ul>	

## AWARDS and CERTIFICATIONS

**Awards:** City of Calabasas Citizens of the Year Award, California State Seal of Civic Engagement, Calabasas High School Male Student-Athlete of the Year, Valedictorian, Varsity Swim Captain, UCSB Dean's Honors List  
**Certifications:** BLS, ACLS (AHA), Lifeguarding & Water Safety Instructor (Red Cross)  
*Interests:* Running, Swimming, Watching movies, Eating sushi, Taking my dog to the park, finding new hiking spots