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Education

BASc Software Engineering (GPA: 3.7 [A-])

University of Ottawa

2016 – Present

Ottawa, Ontario

Involvement

- VP of Academics at the IEEE Ottawa Student Branch
- University Waterpolo team

Ontario Secondary School (Gifted Program)

Lisgar Collegiate Institute

2012 – 2016

Ottawa, Ontario

Involvement

- Founder of the Lisgar Engineering Club
- DECA business competition

Work Experience

Design Verification Engineer (CO-OP)

NXP Semiconductors

05/2017 – 08/2017

Ottawa, Ontario

(Upcoming)

Volunteering

Head of Lego Robotics division

IEEE Ottawa Robotics Competition

2016 – Present

Tasks/Achievements

- Supervised six volunteers and determined the team's tasks for this year's upcoming competition
- Coordinated and led team meetings
- Communicated in a professional manner by email with supervisors, volunteers, and participants

Founder of Lisgar's Engineering Club

Lisgar Collegiate Institute

2015 – 2016

Tasks/Achievements

- Organized Lisgar's first Arduino Robotics team that competed at the Ottawa Robotics Competition
- Acquired funding from the school to purchase two Arduino robots for the club
- Arranged for the CTO of a medical devices company to come in as a guest speaker and share his knowledge and expertise in the field computer science and biomedical engineering to the Engineering club

Competition Judge

IEEE Ottawa Robotics Competition

2014 – 2015

Tasks/Achievements

- Monitored and graded the design, execution and written reports of Lego NXT robot teams

Technical Skills

Java, C++, Python and JavaScript

Git, Linux, Eclipse, Apache Tomcat

Projects

Kaptur

- Kaptur digitizes hand drawn art, diagrams and signatures. Snap a picture of your hand drawn creation and run it through Kaptur to convert your drawing into a digital vectorized image.
- Designed a graph theory model that overlays an image with a graph in which every pixel is a graph node.
- Implemented an efficient "graph cut" algorithm that segments the image into separate graphs for foreground and background.
- Working with my University professor to apply Kaptur to the field of computer vision for image recognition.

Arduino Robot

- Incorporated Dijkstra's algorithm in order for an Arduino robot to find the most efficient path in an obstacle course challenge

Desktop games

- Java: Created a 2D desktop game called Gate Keeper (www.github.com/AmarJ/Gate-Keeper)
- C++: Built a 2D desktop game using the Allegro game library (<https://github.com/AmarJ/Field-Chase>)

Project Euler

- Designed and implemented functions that solved complex mathematical/computer programming problems from ProjectEuler.net

Awards and Achievements

1st Place at University of Ottawa Software Engineering Startup Pitch Competition (11/2016)

University of Ottawa

- Uzer app (www.uzer.ca) was judged by a panel of three startup CEOs from the L-SPARK accelerator program (www.l-spark.com)
- Uzer is a Wi-Fi sharing application that lets home owners and business owners monetize their Wi-Fi (<https://github.com/uzerapp/uzerapp.github.io>)

Deloitte Change-maker Scholarship (06/2016)

Deloitte Canada

University of Ottawa admission Scholarship (02/2016)

University of Ottawa

Interests

Player on Waterpolo Team

University of Ottawa

Lisgar Improv Team

Bronze at Canadian Improv Games (Citywide) performed at National Arts Center in front of 300+ people

Scuba Diving

PADI Advanced Open Water Scuba Diving Certification