APRIL CASTANEDA

about me

Earnest Software Engineer Student Intern, seeking a position with an innovative and creative technical company.

Currently working as a Teaching Assistant at Oregon State University with their Computer Science (Ecampus) department.

I assist the Professor with a class of 200 students in grading homework, debugging code, and answering student questions regarding programing concepts.

EDUCATION

B.S. COMPUTER SCIENCE Postbaccalaureate

Oregon State University In Progress

Expected Graduation: Winter 2020

B.A. FILM University of Nevada, Las Vegas 2006

projects

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SKILLS

C/C++, HTML/CSS Vim, Xcode Github, Filezilla Slack, Canvas, Piazza, Mimir MS Office, iWork, Adobe Acrobat Adobe Premiere, Final Cut Pro Final Draft, Scribner

TIMELINE: The Card Game

Console game app in C++ where the player tests their knowledge in history to accurately place cards in a timeline.

Won Third place - judge's choice, Best console app, and Public vote at Beaverhacks Summer 2019 Hackathon.

WELCOME TO HELL

Console game app in C++ where the player tries to escape hell within 24 hours or have their visit become permanent.

professional experience

Apr, '19 - Current TEACHING ASSISTANT / Intro to Computer Science

Electrical Engineering and Computer Science Online Education Department Oregon State University / Corvallis, OR

- Hosts weekly office hours on Slack to answer questions about coursework and class concepts.
- Directly responsible for organizing and guiding a section of 30 students on Canvas, answering their e-mails, analyzing and debugging their code on Mimir, and grading coding assignments and essays.
- Consults with fellow Teaching Assistants regarding best practices in programming, teaching, and different approaches to evaluating students' code.

2007 - 2018

PRODUCTION SUPERVISOR & ASSISTANT SUPERVISOR / Freelance TV Commercial Production / Los Angeles, CA

Managed production of over a hundred national TV commercials, promos, and music videos.