Ashvinan Sivasambu

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EDUCATION

Bachelor of Science, Computer Science

September 2022 – Present

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- Wilfrid Laurier University, Waterloo, Ontario
 - o Relevant Coursework: Data Structures, Operating Systems, Web Development, Databases, Software Engineering, Computer Networks, AI Machine Learning

TECHNICAL SKILLS

- Programming: C++, Python, C, Java, PHP, ARM Assembly
- Web Development & Database Development: HTML, CSS, React, SQL, MySQL, Tableau, JavaScript
- Technical Tools: Git, GitHub, Wireshark, Microsoft Office, Visual Studio Code, PyCharm, Eclipse, Linux, Windows
- Behavioral: Team Work, Problem Solving, Attention to Detail, Time Management, Effective Communication, Leadership

EXPERIENCE

Technical Instructor & IT Support Assistant

May 2024 - July 2024

- Chinmaya Mission, Trinidad and Tobago
 - o Teaching & Mentoring: Taught Python and Java programming concepts to students with a focus on secure coding practices and debugging techniques.
 - o Tech Support: Installed and configured software for classroom use and assisted staff in troubleshooting tech-related
 - o Communication: Explained complex programming concepts to students from diverse backgrounds in an accessible manner.

IT Support Co-op Student

May 2023 - September 2023

City of Ottawa, Nepean, Ontario

- Technical Support: Assisted staff with troubleshooting hardware, software, and peripheral issues, ensuring minimal downtime and efficient issue resolution.
- System Configuration: System Configuration: Configured and deployed new workstations, performed account setup, and ensured users had appropriate system access.
- o Data Management: Maintained and updated confidential client records while adhering to privacy and data protection standards.
- o Security & Compliance: Followed IT policies and municipal data security protocols to handle sensitive information securely.

Retail Associate

January 2021 – August 2022

Canadian Tire, Nepean, Ontario

- o Customer Service: Managed transactions with precision and delivered responsive customer support across a variety of retail needs.
- o Communication: Adapted communication style to meet the needs of diverse customers, building rapport and improving satisfaction.

Extracurriculars

Social Media Executive

January 2025 – Present

Waterloo, ON

- Event Promotion: Promoted and organized workshops and hackathons to engage students in developer technologies.
- o Community Engagement: Oversaw club communications and helped ensure strong participation through outreach and visibility efforts.

Outreach Executive

September 2024 – Present

Laurier Drink Delight, Wilfrid Laurier University

Wilfrid Laurier University Google Developers Club

Waterloo, ON

- o Community Engagement: Led outreach initiatives to promote club events, helping grow membership and participation across campus.
- Event Coordination: Collaborated with exec team to organize themed bubble tea socials, fundraisers, and partnerships with local shops.

Social Media Executive

September 2023 – April 2024

Wilfrid Laurier University Hindu Student Council

Waterloo, ON

- Council Development: Contributed to launching the university's first Hindu student council.
- o Digital Strategy: Managed social media accounts with a focus on privacy, transparency, and secure digital communication.
- Risk Awareness: Developed strong awareness of digital responsibility and cultural sensitivity.

CERTIFICATIONS AND AWARDS

- B2 DELF Certificate: Demonstrated proficiency in French, with abilities in independent communication, constructing arguments, defending opinions, explaining viewpoints, and negotiating effectively.
- Silver Medalist: Obtained an average above 90% in grade 11 and grade 12.