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Education

Bachelor Computer Science (Graduate in Spring 2018)

University of Calgary

- Working knowledge of object oriented paradigms with advanced knowledge in Python, Java and limited experience in C#.
- Experience working with Integrated Development Environments(IDEs) and text editors such as Eclipse, Visual Studio and WebStorm.
- Strong communication and teamwork skills within the software field along with experience presenting ideas and working with a team to produce an outcome. This includes experience with version control systems such as GIT and SVN.
- Experience with embedded programming, low level assembly languages, operating systems and compilers.
- Passion and experience designing and researching user interfaces and user experiences.
- Passion and experience with basic web technologies such as HTML and CSS as well as web applications and frameworks with experience in Node.js, JavaScript, React, PHP and bootstrap.
- Experience working with, designing and running SQL databases.
- Problem solving mindset to develop creative solutions through iterative processes and research.
- Some experience in the field of data security including knowledge of cryptographic primitives and the surrounding math.
- Study outside of the sciences regarding urban studies and planning, Language and advertising, music as well as in-depth discussions of issues in the field of philosophy.
- Advanced Knowledge of Microsoft Office Suite including Word, Excel and PowerPoint.

High School Diploma (2013), Bishop O'Byrne

Experience

Event Ticket Seller (November 2016 – Current) Ticket Master

Working as professional ticket seller in the Saddledome for most ticketed sporting and concert events in western Canada. This position requires me to have strong communication skills with both customers and fellow co-workers. Often times it involves problem solving to determine the cause of a ticket not working or to find the best seats given the situation the customers present.

Catering Staff (Temporary Position during June 2016 and June 2017) Calgary Stampede

Working as temporary catering staff during graduation season at the BMO center. Included specialized staff training in order to properly set tables and carry large amounts of dishware. Was required to maintain a high degree of customer satisfaction, set and clear tables, carry heavy loads by shoulder and occasionally direct a large number of patrons. Often required teamwork skills and coordination with coworkers to provide the best possible customer care and service.

Event Security (September 2014 – August 2016) Backstage Support Services

Responsibilities include: Looking out for the safety of people and equipment. Providing clear and concise communication with fellow team members and patrons. Quickly adapting to different roles and environments given little notice. Maintaining working knowledge of the Saddledome, McMahon Stadium, and many other locations; including some in Edmonton and Fort McMurray. Leading efforts of fellow team members to insure the safety of everyone at the venue. Maintaining a calm demeanor during stressful and difficult situations.

Musician (September 2009 – August 2017) Stampede Show Band, Stetson Show Band, Round-up Band

Performing member of various ensembles around Calgary including five full years with the internationally recognized Calgary Stampede Showband. Achieving two world titles for marching showbands in Japan – 2013 and Brazil – 2014. Was constantly challenged to work on achieving higher degrees of musicianship and professionalism. Requiring high attention to detail, advanced team work and time management skills. During later years was in position of leadership within the group setting the example for future generations, solving problems, communicating with band directors and helping ensue the efficient functioning of a team.

Volunteer

St. Vincent De Paul

Continual work with St. Vincent De Paul doing charity work. Work often requires heavy lifting and sorting with coordination of other volunteers. All work goes towards the goal of providing help to families in need often by providing them the food donated to the charity.

References available on request.