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EDUCATION

University of Maryland- *Cumulative GPA: 3.587*

College Park, Maryland

Major: Bachelor of Science, Computer Science

Expected Graduation: May 2019

Minor: Business Analytics

Scholars Program: Public Leadership Living and Learning Community

Citation Anticipated: May 2017

Honors/Awards: Dean's List (University of Maryland), University of Maryland Scholars, Nominated Posse Scholar, National Student Leadership Conference, W.E.B. Dubois Academic Achievement Award, and Accepted into Capital One Software

Engineering Summit based on Android App Solution (https://github.com/Ayoakala/Superizer2.0)

Relevant Coursework: Data Structures, Threads, Network Engineering, Calculus I & II, Git

PROIECTS

Development of the BP Invoice Automation Project

Hughes Network Systems

Used VBA on Excel to create a logical invoice tool for Hughes's legacy consumer, BP

SalesForce HTML/CSS Restructure for Networking components

Hughes Network Systems

Used knowledge of HTML and CSS to make interface on SalesForce more practical for Hughes call center Agents

Database Management Hughes Network Systems

Learned SQL in order to do culminating project to manage the database on different network configuration and flavors

Article Summarizer (Superizer 2.0)

Capital One

Developed an Article Summarizer in response to the Capital One coding challenge

SKILLS

Proficient: C, Java, Android Development, HTML, CSS, and Git

Basic: C#, Arduino, JavaScript, Python, R, SalesForce/VisualForce, VBA, and SQL

Applications: Photoshop, Microsoft Office, Auto CAD, Unity, Eclipse, Sony Vegas, and Android Studio

EXPERIENCE

Hughes Network Systems Software Development Intern

Germantown, Maryland

June 2016—Present

Refined Java skills by developing and reengineering software used throughout the company

- Experienced Industrial level Software Development and Project Management firsthand
- Sharpened Computer Networking Skills through development on an enterprise scale

Network Operation Center, University of Maryland **Student Technician**

College Park, Maryland August 2015—Present

• Monitor the University's Network Spectrum of over 30,000 computers

- Attend to customer calls and mitigate technical issues
- Solve network problems for customers onsite
- Create tickets for network problems and escalate them to the engineers

LEADERSHIP & PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT

Capital One Software Engineering Summit

Software Development Summiteer

McLean, Virginia

May 2016

Experienced software engineering practices and technologies in the banking industry

Baas Bikes

Marketing Intern

College Park, Maryland January 2016—May 2016

Used networking and marketing skills to aid a campus-wide Bluetooth bike share start-up

Fedcentric Technologies, LLC. Data Science Intern for a day

College Park, Maryland

March 2016

Experienced what it feels like to work in a start-up software company and what it takes to be a Data Scientist

SEO (Sponsors for Educational Opportunity) EDGE

New York. New York

Participant (Technology)

September 2015—Present

- Complete training and assessments focused on developing technical skills, industry knowledge, and attention to detail
- Receive individualized coaching to achieve targeted technical and professional developmental goals

FCT Abuja School for the Blind

Abuja, Nigeria

Computer Skills Teacher

August 2012—July 2013

Taught students how to use Microsoft Office with their impediments through hotkey management

RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

Quarknet Master Class

Johns Hopkins University, Applied Science Lab

April 2014

- Selected out of 1,000s of students to participate in a study to discern different atomic particles
- Communicated with Universities over the world to compare findings of particle saturation
- Used software from Quarknet to gather data and record findings