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SKILLS

3D Design

XGBoost

Pandas Dataframes

TensorFlow

Git

Web Development

Confident Public Speaker

Engaging Leadership Style

EDUCATION

High School

Crestwood Preparatory College

Class of 2025

Currently completing grade 12 year

Your Degree Name

CS50 AI | Harvard University

2023-2024

*Learn more here

LANGUAGES

Python Java

JavaScript HTML/CSS

C C++

C# SQL

PROFILE

Reliable, hard-working, award-winning programmer with 5 years of experience of programming. Creative, out of the box thinker who is self-motivated and eager to work with others. Passionate about designing software, constantly seeking to learn and improve my skills with formal course work and self-directed study.

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EXPERIENCE

Innovation Developer

2024

Royal Bank of Canada

- Worked in a team of 4 to create an interactive and customizable onboarding page for new developers
 - Planned and workshopped with designers and IT to ensure accurate information and a consistent look and feel
 - o Presented project to high executives within the bank, including the CTO
 - Saved an estimated 40 hours of onboarding time for new developers
- Improved the front-end of the developer portal
 - Worked with the DevOps team within RBC to refine the look and feel of the developer portal tool
 - Rebased frontend to use RBC's style framework, ensuring cross-site consistency

Research Paper - A Minimal Approach to Fake News Detection

2024

Personal Project

View paper here

- Wrote paper outlining various machine learning (ML) approaches to fake news detection, and presented a novel approach
 - Learned about the academic publishing process
- Managed large database using the pandas dataframe data structure
- Used XGBoost to create a ML model that can identify fake news 71% of the time
 - Learned about gradient boosting within XGBoost and hyperparameter tuning when creating a model
- Refined my communication abilities through the paper creation process
 - o Considered how to present my findings in a way that was clear and concise
- Presented my work at Polygence Symposium of Rising Scholars (<u>learn more</u>)

Captain and Founder of Advanced Robotics Club

2022-Present

Crestwood Preparatory College

- Led and managed a team of 12 peers
 - Assigned media, hardware, and software roles to teammates and provided helpful and clear instruction
 - Took initiative in debugging and testing software and hardware and created diagrams to illustrate algorithms to laypersons
- Designed, planned, and programmed an autonomous soccer playing robot to compete in the RoboCup Junior Lightweight Division
 - Designed libraries to interface with low-level components
 - o Staged, managed, and documented codebase with GitHub
- Awarded the opportunity to represent Canada's Junior Lightweight Division in the International RoboCup competition in Bordeaux, France

AWARDS AND DISTINCTIONS

Captain of High-Level Top 250/48,000 in the Basketball Team: University of Waterloo Junior National RoboCup Jr. North York Lions Computer Science Contest Soccer Competition

Represented Team Canada Internationally in

Internationally in Completed Each Grade
RoboCup's Jr. Soccer with Distinction (93%+)
Lightweight Division

2nd Place at Ontario Open Jiujitsu Tournament