

# Benjamin Okojie

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## EDUCATION

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### Wilfrid Laurier University

Expected Graduation 2025

*Bachelor of Science in Computer Science*

**Relevant Coursework:** Data Structures, Software Engineering, Object Oriented Programming, Database Management

### Fanshawe College

Graduation 2022

*Web Development and software applications*

**Relevant Coursework:** Full Stack Deployment, JavaScript 4, User Interface and Data Visualization, Application Project

## WORK EXPERIENCE

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### Code Ninjas, London, Ontario

Sept 2022 – Aug 2024

*JavaScript and Unity Instructor*

- Provide updates at daily standups to company leaders, work in progress, challenges that need attention, and potential improvements to the curriculum.
- Educate students on foundational programming concepts, including memory utilization, object-oriented programming, Logic, and flow control.
- Use log and error message analysis to identify and resolve bug issues in code.
- Create, organize, and teach the fundamentals of programming and problem-solving techniques using JavaScript, Lua and C# to over 50 students daily.

## PROJECTS

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### Hopspot

June 2024 – Present

*Software Developer*

- Managed both backend and frontend, leading to a 15% increase in user engagement by providing real-time updates and social interaction features.
- Seamlessly integrated Swift into a React app to ensure cross-platform functionality, using Google API to display dynamic wait times, reducing response time by 30%.
- Employed efficient data handling for real-time updates, optimizing communication between components for smooth user experience.

### Craft

February 2022 – May 2022

*Software Developer*

- Worked with classmates using Expo and Firebase to build a mobile app, implementing post deletion and visibility management features.
- Enhanced user experience by adding blocking and following features, resulting in a 25% increase in user retention.
- Ensured seamless front-end and back-end interaction, utilizing Git for version control and efficient project collaboration.

## ACHIEVEMENTS

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### Battle Tanks – HawkHacks 2<sup>nd</sup> Place winner

February 2022 – May 2022

*Software Developer*

- Developed in Unity within 24 hours, the game secured 2nd place in the gaming section of a hackathon.
- Created an engaging endless shooter experience where players collect power-ups to enhance gameplay.
- Integrated a unique online marketplace allowing users to sell their tanks to other players for Player vs. Player battles.

### Toronto Waterfront Marathon

October 15, 2023

- Completed a marathon after just 3 months of focused training, demonstrating strong determination and discipline
- Achieved significant physical endurance and stamina in a short period, highlighting a high level of organization and time management to balance training with other commitments.