# Benjamin Kostiuk

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#### **Education**

**B.A.Sc. Honors, Computer Science** 

McMaster University

**Expected Graduation: April 2022** CGPA: 4.0/4.0

Dean & Provost's Honor Roll

• Related courses: Computational Thinking, Principles of Programming, Discrete Mathematics

#### **Skills**

Languages: JavaScript, Python, Java, HTML, CSS, Haskell, ELM, SQL, Bash, Dart

Frameworks/Tools: Node.js, Express.js, Angular, MySQL, Django, Dialogflow, Elasticsearch, Flutter

# **Experience**

**Software Engineering Intern** 

May - Aug. 2019

Region of Peel • Brampton ON

- Prototyped a natural language agent with **Dialogflow** and a hosted **Node.js** backend to assist 130,000+ residents.
- Developed a web portal with **Node.js** for aggregating email statistics from **Salesforce**.
- Automated over 50 hours of manual tasks with scripts written in Python and JavaScript.
- Implemented a scalable analytics solution with **Elasticsearch** to provide insights & reporting on Peel's social media presence.

**Web Developer** June - Aug. 2018

Checkpoint Research Inc • Mississauga ON

- Developed a full-stack web application reporting module including front-end, back-end, production and testing using the **MEAN stack**.
- Designed and implemented interactive user interfaces with Angular Material and Chart js.
- Implemented user authentication through JWT and validation with a MongoDB database.

## **Bilingual Network Technician**

**April – Aug. 2018** 

D-Link Canada • Mississauga ON

- Provided **technical support** to customers for their routers, modems and other products by phone and online chat.
- Documented customer issues and tested solutions in a lab environment.

# **Projects**

Sprout • Personal Project

2019

- Flutter **mobile app** written in Dart to help users care for their houseplants.
- Implemented a **Firebase** database for user authentication and user data storage.

## Pulse • Personal Project

2019

- Google Assistant Agent connecting YouTube users and content creators with their YouTube data, analytics and insights.
- Developed using **Dialogflow** for NLP and a Node.js backend hosted with Firebase.