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Education

HARVARD UNIVERSITY   Cambridge, MA
A.B Concentration Computer Science with Psychology secondary.   Aug 2017 – May 2021
Relevant Coursework: Digital Product Design, Data Visualization, Software Engineering in the Arts and Humanities, Systems Programming and Machine Organization, Autonomous Robot Systems, Computer Aided Machine Design

BUDAPEST UNIVERSITY OF TECHNOLOGY AND ECONOMICS   Budapest, Hungary
Harvard-sponsored study abroad at AIT-Budapest in Hungary.   Jan 2020 – May 2020
Relevant Coursework: Computer Graphics and Visualization, Mobile Software Development, User Experience Design

MANG'U HIGH SCHOOL   Nairobi, Kenya
Graduated with highest national honors. GPA 3.95/4.0   Mar 2012-Nov 2015
Captain of Varsity Rugby team. Chairman of Science and Engineering club.

Skills

Technical Skills:
- Full stack development: Django, Ruby on Rails, Node & Express, React, Vue, MongoDB, PostgreSQL
- Mobile Development: React-Native, Android – Kotlin, Firebase, Parse-Server
- Product Design: Interviewing, Usability Research and Testing, Sketching, Prototyping, Figma
- Data Visualization: D3.js, Tableau

Relevant Experience

FACEBOOK   Seattle, WA
Software Engineering Intern - Android   Jun 2019 – Aug 2019
Facebook University Class of 2019. Studied mobile app design and development. Implemented a design project from scratch with a team of 4 engineers.
Got a return offer for second SWE internship in Summer 2020 but the internship got canceled due to Covid-19 and location constraints.

HARVARD STUDENT AGENCIES   Cambridge, MA
Full stack Developer   Aug 2018 – May 2019
Designed and developed mobile and web applications for multiple clients with a team of 20 developers and designers. Dev projects hosted at: https://www.hsadev.com/portfolio.

WEAVER AFRICA LIMITED   Nairobi, Kenya
Frontend Web Developer   Jun 2018 – Aug 2018
Designed and developed the landing page and Admin dashboard for their flagship carpooling app called Twende.
Landing page hosted at: https://www.twende.app/

Leadership / Activities

ACADEMIC RESOURCE CENTER - HARVARD   Cambridge, MA
Tutor   Aug 2018 – Present
Part-time tutor for Harvard's Introduction to computer science, Design of useful and useable interactive systems, and Intro to Calculus classes. I teach up to 4 students for a total of 12 – 15 hours a week.