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EDUCATION

Northeastern University, Boston, MA

August 2019 - May 2023

Khoury College of Computer Sciences

Candidate for Bachelor of Science in Computer Science and Game Development

- Relevant Courses: Object-Oriented Design, Algorithms and Data, Programming in C++, Computer Systems, Networks & Distributed Systems, Foundations of Data Science, Computer Graphics, Building Game Engines, Mobile App Development
- Honors: GPA: 3.98/4.0 | Dean's List
- Extracurricular Activities: Game Development Club, Peace Through Play

TECHNICAL SKILLS

Languages: C++, Python, C#, C, Java, Typescript, React, SQL, Assembly

Frameworks: Unity, Git, .NET core, node.js, SDL, OpenGL, MySQL, Datadog, Grafana, Kubernetes, Docker, Google Cloud

PROJECTS

Predicting a Steam Game's Success - Python, Jupyter, Pandas, scikit-learn

November 2022 - December 2022

- Trained a Random Forest Classifier to determine which features were most important to a game's success and validated its usefulness with a confusion matrix
- Collected dataset of 60,000 games by sending queries to the SteamSpy API

Optometrist Appointment Check-In Application - Python, Tkinter

July 2022

- Developed an application that allowed patients to check in to their appointments to aid a hard of hearing receptionist
- Set up a notification system to relay relevant patient information from the application to the receptionist
- Performed user testing to inform the design of an interface that would be easy to use for elderly people with poor eyesight.

Interactive Rubik's Cube Simulator - C++, OpenGL

March 2022 - April 2022

- Used a scene graph structure to represent the Rubik's cube
- Dynamically reassigned parent nodes to allow for proper rotations
- Developed an algorithm so that rotations would be consistent

WORK EXPERIENCE

Wayfair - Software Engineer on the Catalog Manipulations Team

June - December 2021

- Developed API controllers and REST endpoints in C# to help debug failed projects
- Built data monitoring suites in Datadog and Grafana to more quickly diagnose the problem if the service failed
- Led sprint rituals and coordinated team outings

TP Tea - Barista/Kitchen Worker

July 2018 - August 2019 and Summer of 2020

- Taught new hires standard procedures and recipes
- Keyholder for the store, also responsible for organizing stock, managing inventory and processing new shipments