# COLIN VAN DEN HOF

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#### **EDUCATION**

#### **Dalhousie University**

Special Undergraduate of Science (Computer Science), September 2016 – present

GPA: 4.0 / 4.0

## **McMaster University**

Bachelor of Health Sciences (Honours), September 2012 - May 2016

*GPA*: 3.94 / 4.0

Prizes: The Provost's Honour Roll Medal (2016), Dean's Honour List (2012-2016), President's Award (2012)

#### WORK EXPERIENCE

## Blockcrushr Labs, Halifax, Nova Scotia

Software Developer, Fall 2017

Development and deployment of React web application.

# Atlantic Lottery Outpost Lab, Halifax, Nova Scotia

Software Development – Summer Student, Summer 2017

Frontend web application development in React and backend in Ruby on Rails. Development of Alexa application in JavaScript and deployment with Amazon Web Services.

## Dalhousie University, Halifax, Nova Scotia

Teaching Assistant, Summer 2017

Responsible for creating and marking assignments, tests, and projects for CSCI 3120 Operating Systems.

## Clover Medical Clinic, Halifax, Nova Scotia

Medical Clinic Assistant, Summer 2015

Responsible for reception and administrative tasks.

## McMaster University, Hamilton, Ontario

Undergraduate Tutor in Physics, September 2014 - May 2015

Weekly tutor for first-year undergraduate Physics course at McMaster University.

## PROJECTS1

- Six Men's Morris: Desktop application written in Java with Swing GUI framework. Implemented Monte Carlo Tree Search algorithm for move selection.
- Summarizer: Extractive summarization tool written in Python, based on the  $TD(\lambda)$  reinforcement learning algorithm.
- *Checkers:* Console application written in C++ with rule-based move selection.
- Real-time multiplayer web game implemented in JavaScript with Node.JS backend

## **TECHNICAL SKILLS**

## Languages

Proficient: JavaScript, HTML/CSS, Python, C++

Previous Experience: R, Perl, Java

# **Development Software**

Git, SVN, Eclipse, IntelliJ IDEA, WebStorm.

1. http://github.com/ColinVDH