# **VAN EDELMAN**

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Seeking a software development or game development internship requiring strong skills in object-oriented programming

#### **FDUCATION**

Rochester Institute of Technology, Rochester NY - GPA 3.45

Bachelor of Science Game Design and Development

**Related Courses:** Data Structures and Algorithms II (C, C++), Rich Media Web App Development II (Node.js, React.js), Interactive Media Development (Unity, C#)

## **SKILLS**

Languages: C++, C#, Python, JavaScript, HTML, CSS, Java

Tech Stack: Node.js, React.js, VS Code, Visual Studio, Emacs, Git, Linux, Unity, Trello

#### **EXPERIENCE**

# Arista Networks, Santa Clara CA - Software Engineer Intern

January - May 2022

- Worked with experienced engineers as a member of the routing team developing, testing, and extending their codebase
- Implemented new features for the EOS Network Operating System, including one for a major social media platform
- Expanded skill set by learning new technologies through hands-on experience

# Salsaritas, Rochester NY - Food Service Worker

October 2020 - December 2021

- Worked as a team member at Salsaritas, a restaurant at RIT
- Cooperated with co-workers on tasks that included preparation, serving, and cleaning

#### Lowes, Yorktown NY - Sales Associate

May - August 2021

- Worked as part of a team running and closing the store
- Tasks included assisting customers, maintaining stock, and loading
- Entrusted to individually manage the lawn and garden department

# SummerTech Inc, Harrison NY - Code Instructor & Counselor

June - July 2017, 2018, 2019

- Taught Java and Python to school-age students
- Developed and instructed elective courses
- Tasked, as a camp counselor, to mentor and supervise campers

## **PROJECTS**

# Mighty Mixers (Academic Project)

November 2021

- Created, as part of a team of four, a well-received multiplayer party game
- Worked on programming, design, and art assets for minigames and combat phases

### Easy Answers (Academic Project)

October 2021

- Developed a web app utilizing multiple APIs that gives simple answers to any question
- Utilized the Bulma CSS framework to create a pleasing UI and intuitive UX
- Created custom web components and local storage functionality

#### **Zombie Game (Personal Project)**

September 2020

- Used Unity to solo-develop a shoot-em-up zombie survival game in which the player must choose from a variety of guns to fight waves of zombies
- Programmed custom pathfinding algorithm using vector fields and A\*
- Created all assets, sound, and code

### Gravity Golf (Academic Project)

January 2019

- Created, as part of a team of four, a 2D puzzle game using the C# library MonoGame
- Implemented gameplay mechanics including an external level editor and a planet-based physics system to calculate the trajectory of the ball
- Used Photoshop to design and produce all art assets for the project