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OBJECTIVE

Seeking a full time job as an entry or junior level web developer using skills in JavaScript, CSS, HTML, available January 2023.

EDUCATION

Rochester Institute of Technology (RIT), Rochester, NY

Bachelor of Science Game Design & Development, Web Development Minor

Related Courses: Client Programming, Server Programming (JS, HTML, CSS, APIs, JQuery, Node.js), Interface Design (Accessibility, Prototyping), Data Structures and Algorithms (C++, data structures, design patterns)

SKILLS

Languages: Java, C#, HTML, CSS, JavaScript ES6/ES5, PHP, SQL

APIs and Frameworks: Vue.js, Jquery, Firebase, PixiJS, Canvas, WebAudio, React, Express, Node.JS

Other: Git, CircleCI, Ajax, MongoDB

EMPLOYMENT

Co-op: Retail Business Services

JavaScript, ServiceNow, Agile

IT Service Management Co-op

6 months

Optimized and Constructed conversations for RBS's ServiceNow Virtual Chatbot, AVA.

- Designed and implemented a Ticket Escalation conversation for AVA to reduce unnecessary calls to the help desk
- Redesigned the chatbot button icon to be more inviting and noticeable to drive users to use it instead of calling the help desk

PROJECTS

Homework Todo List

Vue.JS, Firebase, DnD 5e API, JS, HTML, CSS

Solo project 3 weeks

- Used Vue.js to store and easily update homework items.
- Integrated Firebase Realtime Database and Firebase Authentication to allow users to log in securely using their Google account and save their todolist.
- Motivated users by equating the completion of a homework with "attacking" a DnD 5e Monster, and rewarding the users with the monster's drops when it dies.

Plant World Generator Canvas API, JS, HTML, CSS

Solo project 2 weeks

- Researched and implemented phyllotaxis equations to generate flowers and trees in a Canvas API canvas.
- Allowed users to directly adjust phyllotaxis variables with HTML input tags to create their own plants.
- Generated a dynamic background of the user's generated flowers on separate canvas.

Witchy Audio WebAudio API, JS, HTML, CSS

Solo project 3 weeks

- Analyzed music using WebAudio to create a spooky yet calm visualizer.
- Allowed users to apply different audio effects to the music using WebAudio.
- Wrote visual filtering algorithms such as color filtering, emboss, and inversion, and allowed users to apply those filters to the visualizer.

Disney Tsum Tsum Searcher Vue.JS, JS, HTML, CSS

Solo project 3 weeks

- Connected to the MediaWiki API in order to get and display every Tsum Tsum on the Disney Tsum Tsum Fandom Wiki.
- Used Vue.js to let users quickly filter Tsums by multiple mission tags to let them complete missions at the same time.
- Designed the UI to mimic the design of the Disney Tsum Tsum App.