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EDUCATION

New York Institute of Technology - New York City Campus New York, NY
Master of Science in Cybersecurity Graduated December 2022
Cumulative GPA: 3.83/4.0

New York Institute of Technology - New York City Campus New York, NY
Bachelor of Science in Computer Science Graduated December 2021
Awards: Presidential Honor List (Fall 2018-2020, Spring 2020-2021); Dean's Honor List (Spring 2019).
Cumulative GPA: 3.87/4.0

WORK EXPERIENCE

WEB & EMAIL DEVELOPER New York, NY
A&A Valet | Full Time December 2022 – Present
- Build and maintain the A&A Valet website, build, automate, and deploy promotional newsletters using MailChimp, WordPress, HTML, CSS, and automation flows.
- Collaborate with the marketing team to enhance SEO on the website to drive user traffic, incorporate new content into website and promotional emails.
- Track and analyze website and email performance using Google Analytics and MailChimp, optimizing user engagement and campaign effectiveness.

FREELANCE WEB DEVELOPER New York, NY
Freelance Web Developer | Part-Time December 2022 – Present
- Build responsive websites and custom themes for various web clients using WordPress, Shopify, HTML, CSS, JavaScript, and PHP.
- Optimize website performance and load times through code and media optimization, resulting in improved user satisfaction and engagement.
- Provide ongoing maintenance and support for websites, including troubleshooting, bug fixes, and updates to ensure optimal functionality.

GRADUATE TEACHING ASSISTANT New York, NY
New York Institute of Technology | Part-Time February 2022 – December 2022
- Mentored students to enhance Java coding skills and understanding of programming concepts.
- Conducted personalized tutoring sessions and interactive coding exercises, resulting in significant improvements in students' coding proficiency and comprehension.

PROJECTS

RELAX WEBSITE | Source Code May 2021
- Developed a calming website featuring soothing music, a simple to-do list, and powerful background videos using Node.js, EJS, HTML/CSS, Firebase, and Love, designed to enhance relaxation and user experience.

MIRAI WEB APP | Source Code December 2021
- Developed a secure, mobile-friendly wallet web application with NodeJS, ReactJS, and MongoDB, incorporating TLS certification, AES-256-GCM encryption for transactions, and Blowfish hashing with a Salt Work factor of 10 for password protection.

FREEIMPACT380 WEB APP | Source Code December 2021
- Collaborated with a team of five to create a web app addressing global hunger, designed a user-friendly frontend with ReactJS, utilized agile scrum for effective teamwork, and led the development of the technical report and final presentation.

DATA CENTER VIRTUAL NETWORK INFRASTRUCTURE December 2022
- Designed and developed a secure virtual infrastructure using VirtualBox, including a firewall, database server, DMZ, and DNS server, with internal networks and enforced firewall rules to ensure secure communication and reduce the risk of unauthorized access.

SKILLS

Programming Languages: HTML/CSS | MySQL | C++ | JavaScript | Python | Java | React.js | PHP
Technologies: WordPress | MailChimp | MacOS | Shopify | Windows | Linux | Microsoft Office | BlueJ | Visual Studio Code | Wireshark | GnuPG | VirtualBox
Certifications: Meta Front-End Developer | IBM Cybersecurity Analyst Professional Certificate
Languages: Fluent in English, Albanian