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TECHNICAL SKILLS

Languages: Python, Java, JavaScript/TypeScript, HTML/CSS, SQL, C, Bash, PowerShell

Frameworks & Libraries: React, Node.js, Express.js, Next.js, Django, MongoDB, PostgreSQL, SQLite, Tailwind CSS, Pandas

Developer Tools: Git, GitHub, Docker, AWS, Postman, Firebase, Jupyter Notebook, Linux Shell, JIRA, Figma

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Software Developer

Jan 2025 - Apr 2025

PetMap - UC Berkeley Startup

Remote

- Developing a platform using FERN stack (**Firebase**, **Express**, **React**, **Node**) with **TypeScript** for connecting dog lovers & owners.
- Implemented a real-time map interface using Google Maps API and proximity algorithms for location-based user matching.
- Collaborating on development in **Agile** sprints within an 8-person team, implementing **CI/CD practices** and code reviews.

Digital Media & Marketing Intern

Jun 2024 - Sep 2024

Gananoque, Canada

1000 Islands Gananoque Chamber of Commerce

- Redesigned website by optimizing navigation and layout, boosting weekly visitors by **65%** and session duration by **120%**.
- Produced 60+ promotional assets and videos, driving 500+ impressions per video and supporting 2+ marketing campaigns.
- Optimized Mailchimp email campaigns through A/B testing and refining email design and content, increasing click rates by 60%.

Information Technology Intern

Sep 2023 - Feb 2024

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Kingston, Canada

- Developed a JavaScript web app to automate bonus calculations, saving a client's employees 7+ collective hours per month.
- Improved existing server maintenance script by automating log reporting via PowerShell, reducing labor by 30+ minutes daily.
- Monitored and managed **30+** client servers daily, proactively reporting and resolving security issues to reduce downtime.

HTML5 Game Developer

Jun 2019 - Apr 2022

Self-employed

Kingston, Canada

Waterloo, Canada

- Developed a multiplayer zombie-survival.io game using Modd.io HTML5 Game Engine, Modd.io servers, and HTML/CSS.
- Grew player base to 248K+ users with 4.2M+ play sessions, generating \$2,500+ CAD through Patreon and microtransactions.
- Led a team of 3 developers using **Agile** practices to efficiently deliver weekly updates such as new maps, items, and events.

PROJECTS

RBveal 🔗 🗘 | JavaScript | Next.js | React | Express.js | Node.js | Twilio | OpenAl | Deepgram | Nodemailer | Tailwind CSS |

- Won First Place Tech@RBC Sponsor Prize among 125+ teams at University of Toronto's UofTHacks 12 2025 Hackathon.
- Built a phishing simulation platform with dynamic emails via **Nodemailer**, realistic banking interfaces, and AI call agents.
- Built a real-time AI phone system using **WebSockets**, **Twilio**, **OpenAI**, and **Deepgram** for natural conversations with **<2s** latency.

FairFi 🔗 🕠 | JavaScript | Next.js | React | Express.js | Node.js | MongoDB | Twilio | Cohere | Tailwind CSS |

- Won NSBE X P&G Fintech Equity Sponsor Prize among 160+ teams at McMaster University's DeltaHacks XI 2025 Hackathon.
- Built a Twilio and Cohere-powered web app for customer call simulation to detect employee bias, storing call data in MongoDB.
- Developed a bias visualization dashboard, allowing real-time analysis of sentiments using Cohere's Command R+ Model.

AnonAlyze 🔗 📢 | JavaScript | Next.js | React | Express.js | Node.js | OpenAl | Tailwind CSS |

- Won **Best Security Hack** among **60+** teams at York University's CTRL+HACK+DEL 2024 Hackathon.
- Created a full-stack web app using OpenAI and Apify APIs for data and analysis to identify users' privacy vulnerabilities.
- Built RESTful API endpoints with **Node.js** and **Express.js** for social media data processing and privacy insights generation.

EchoBl Ø 🚺 | Python | HTML/CSS | Django | PostgreSQL | SQLite |

- Developed a discussion platform using **Django** and **Python** enabling users to create real-time topic-based debate rooms.
- Built complete user system with authentication, profile management, and messaging using **Django auth** and **SQLite** database.
- Scaled application through **PostgreSQL** migration and Render cloud deployment, implementing secure database configuration.

EDUCATION

University of Waterloo Expected Apr 2029