JOHNNY QU

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EDUCATION

Bachelors of Software Engineering, Co-op

McMaster University, GPA: 3.9/4.0

Expected Apr. 2026

Hamilton, ON

TECHNICAL SKILLS

Programming Languages: Python, SQL, Java, C++, TypeScript, JavaScript, Rust, Golang, HTML, CSS **Libraries/Frameworks**: Flask, Pandas, SciKit-Learn, React, Node.js, Next.js, Redux, Express.js, Electron.js

Developer Tools: Docker, Kafka, AWS, GCP, Git, GitHub, Firebase, Jupyter Notebooks, Bash

EXPERIENCE

Software Developer

Mar. 2023 - Present

McMaster NEUDOSE

Hamilton, ON

- Developed an **Electron** application using **Python**, **TypeScript**, and **React** to reduce time spent manually configuring data shaping parameters by **95%** by enabling real-time visualization of incoming satellite data.
- Reduced number of Flask API endpoints by 50% by converting to RESTful architecture, allowing easier mocking of API endpoints for improved testing and debugging efficiency.
- Created CI/CD pipelines to enhance developer workflows using GitHub Actions to automate linting, testing, and deploying code.

Software Engineering Intern

May 2022 - Dec. 2022

Malleum

Ottawa, ON

- Deployed a real-time data pipeline built with **Python**, **Kafka**, and **Docker** to identify code vulnerabilities in deployed smart contracts on the Ethereum blockchain, achieving a throughput of **10,000** contracts audited daily.
- Reduced time spent testing and reporting vulnerabilities from **15 to 2 hours** by automating IP address extraction and test execution using **Python** and **Bash** scripts.
- Created a GUI using React to facilitate analysis of audit results stored in a data warehouse using Spark.
- Designed a cache system using Redux to store query results, eliminating 95% of duplicate API calls.

Software Developer

Nov. 2020 - Feb. 2021

Aceway Auto

Mississauga, ON

- Created an e-commerce website using TypeScript, HTML, and CSS to distribute products to 100+ clients.
- Designed relational database schemas for 5000+ products with multiple complex many-to-many relationships.
- Developed an **Express.js** (**Node.js**) API server that reduced inventory update times by **50**% through automating stock adjustments and parsing Excel sheets for batch updates.
- Built a smart filter using TypeScript and SQL to dynamically build gueries based on product relationships

Software Developer

Jul. 2020 - Sep. 2020

Oakville STARZ

Oakville, ON

- Streamlined website content creation for non-technical administrators by eliminating **100**% of design work by developing a content management system using **Firebase**, **Typescript**, and custom UI components.
- Leveraged **Firebase** Authentication and **Firestore** security rules to protect sensitive user information and access to administrative controls using least privilege principles.
- Improved accessibility across all devices by implementing 7 responsive designs using flexbox and grid layouts.

PROJECTS

Personal Budget Tracker | TypeScript, React, Next.js, Google APIs

Dec. 2023

- Developing a personal budget tracker to track my monthly spending across different budget categories.
- Integrated Google Drive and Sheets API to allow user ownership of personal transaction data.
- Created a dashboard to visualize spending habits using Next.js and Vercel.

Cito | Express.js, JavaScript, SQLite, JWT

Aug. 2021

- Created a Google Chrome extension using JavaScript to monitor products on Shopify store pages based on user-inputted preferences and notify users when desired products are in stock.
- Deployed a license key authentication server from scratch using SQLite, Express.js, and JWTs to handle license key distribution and user sessions.