# JOSEPH MARGULIS

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# ——— Highlights of qualification ———

- Graduated with an Advanced Diploma in Computer Engineering Technology from Seneca College, earning Presidential Honours.
- Currently pursuing a Bachelor of Technology degree at McMaster University, majoring in Computer Engineering.
- Over three years of experience in computer hardware and software debugging, troubleshooting, and development.
- Developed strong proficiency in Object-Oriented Programming across multiple programming languages through education and major projects.
- Demonstrated exceptional problem-solving and critical-thinking skills through software design and computer troubleshooting.
- · Refined time management, organization, and communication skills by balancing academic responsibilities, a full-time job, and additional aspirations.

## ———— Education ————

### **Advanced Diploma:**

### **Computer Engineering Technology**

Seneca Polytechnic, North York ON

## September 2020 - August 2023

- Recipient of the Presidents Honours award for achieving a 4.0 GPA in my last semester of college
- Recipient of an Honours Advanced Diploma for achieving a Graduating GPA of 3.6/4.0

#### **Relevant Courses:**

- Advanced Programming Concepts
- Advanced Hardware Software Interfacing
- Intermediate Computing Concepts
- Network Server and Peripherals
- Cyber Security
- Internet Programming and Distributed Computing

# **Bachelors Degree:**

January 2024 - Present

# **Software Engineering Technology**

McMaster University, Hamilton ON

 Accepted into McMaster University's Software Engineering program for achieving high academic performance at Seneca Polytechnic.

#### **Relevant Courses:**

Operating Systems

- Object Oriented Programming Concepts
- Software Requirements and Specifications
  Computer Security

## Capstone Project —

- Developed SecurePi, a surveillance system with facial recognition which enhances security through accurate identification of known and unknown faces.
- Implemented real-time notifications, delivering email alerts with names and screenshots of specific individuals, ensuring prompt awareness of potential security threats.
- Developed a globally accessible, encrypted website for live footage, providing secure remote monitoring.
- Integrated 120-degree camera panning via web interface buttons, enabling comprehensive coverage and control from any location worldwide.

# Work Experience

## Customer Service Representative LCBO

2020 - Present

- Led shift operations, overseeing staff to ensure smooth and efficient workflows.
- Managed inventory through ordering and receiving processes, maintaining optimal stock levels to support uninterrupted operations.
- Handled transactions, processing customer payments, licensee orders, SOP compliance, and online orders, ensuring accurate and timely completion.
- Addressed customer inquiries, resolving specific problems, difficult cases, and routine questions, enhancing customer satisfaction.
- Managed cash office duties, balancing currency, replenishing tills, and securing the safe, ensuring financial accuracy and security.

# Extra Curricular Activity -

## **SEMET Capstone Project with VentureLAB**

2023

Seneca Polytechnic, North York ON

- SecurePi was elected as one of the top three most innovative projects, leading to its selection for the Capstone Project Presentation to three major companies.
- Demonstrated SecurePi surveillance system to AMD, NeuronicWorks, and Telecom industry partners through a virtual presentation.

#### Skills

#### **Programming**

- C/C++/C#
- Python
- SQL
- HTML
- CSS
- Bash
- PowerShell
- JavaScript

#### **Applications**

- Microsoft Applications
- Adobe Creative Suite
- Pads
- OrCAD
- Email Services
- Visual Studio Code / IDE's
- Video Conferencing Platforms

### **Troubleshooting / Diagnostics**

- Computer Assembly
- Troubleshooting
- Maintenance and Optimization
- Installing / Configuring OS
- Upgrading / Repairing Hardware
- Performance Tuning
- Data Backup / Recovery