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### **EXPERIENCE**

#### Computer Programmer

#### Agriculture and Agri-food Canada

May 2019 - August 2019

P Harrow, ON, Canada

- Maintained EasyGrapher, a graphing software that aids with visualizing crop growth data
- Developed a new installation procedure to produce an installer for clients instead of relying on external add-ons
- Implemented functions that calculates important statistics from crop growth data provided by agricultural models to complement the graphs
- Created an application that summarizes test results from automated tests into an easy to understand excel file
- Tools: Visual Basic, Excel, ArcGIS

#### **Vex Robotics Team Leader**

#### **Appleby College**

Movember 2015 - March 2018

Oakville, ON, Canada

- Built a robot that completed various tasks such as moving a ball to an assigned target and placing a ball on a shelf
- Co-developed the code used to control various motors on the robot
- Led a group of young students and built the robot
- Tools: ROBOTC, VEX Robotics Kit

## **PROJECTS**

#### WLP4 Compiler

#### **University of Waterloo**

🛗 January 2020 - April 2020

- Implemented a compiler to compile all valid WLP4 code (a teaching language from Waterloo) into MIPS machine language
- Designed programs to scan WLP4 code into tokens, parse the tokens and ultimately generate the MIPS machine language
- Tools: C++

#### Polygon Smash

#### **Personal Project**

🛗 June 2020 - August 2020

- Created a Super Smash Bros inspired fighting game using the Unity game engine
- Created sprites for character animation, and implemented the main hit-box and hurt-box logic
- Developed the camera logic to appropriately track all players during gameplay
- Tools: Unity, C#

#### Personal Website

#### **Personal Project**

May 2020 - present

- Created a website to advertise and display my projects
- The website source code was designed to easily add new items as I update the website when I complete more projects and learn new skills
- Tools: HTML 5 and CSS, Bootstrap 4, JavaScript

### **PROFESSIONAL SKILLS**

- Proficient in:

C++ C Java Visual Basic

- Familiar with:

C# HTML 5 CSS Linux Bash
Git Unity Bootstrap 4 MIPS
ARM Visual Studio LaTeX

- Basic Knowledge in:

Python | SQL | JavaScript | R

## **EDUCATION**

# Candidate for Bachelor of Computer Science

#### **University of Waterloo**

🛗 September 2018 – April 2023

#### **Relevant Courses:**

- Designing Function Programs (Racket)
- Elementary Algorithm Design and Data Abstraction (C)
- Object-Oriented Software Development (C++)
- Data Structures and Data Management
- Foundation of Sequential Programs (C++)
- Operating Systems (C)Algorithms
- ...

## INTERESTS

Video Game Design Game Theory
Swimming Team Sports Music
Public Speaking

# **LEADERSHIP**

# Lifeguard/Swimming Instructor

#### YMCA Oakville

- September 2016 April 2017
  - Insured pool safety by working in a team
  - Designed lesson for young swimmer to learn