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KNOWN TECHNOLOGIES: C | Python | HTML | CSS | Git & Github | Unix | SSH | AWS

PROJECTS

BeTreel - 1st Place, The Golden Hack

Wilfrid Laurier University (Sept 2022)

Project: BeTreel (Devpost)

- Created a proof-of-concept for a social media platform that promoted sustainability.
- Worked in a team to develop a product that met the objectives laid out by the hackathon organizers.

For All Times

Study space person counter

Github repository

- Set up a Raspberry Pi as an AWS IoT device to send entry/exit data from ultrasonic sensors to a Lambda function.
- Implemented an AWS Lambda function to receive data from the Raspberry Pi and update a database.
- Used a DynamoDB to store count data, which our backend used to display the current count on our website.

Hangman game

Github repository

- Implemented object-oriented programming techniques to clean up code and increase maintainability.
- Improved UX by decreasing graphics lag using multi-threading.
- Built an encryption algorithm to hide phrases from user, which required reading and writing to files.

EXTRACURRICULARS

Formula Electric Design Team

University of Waterloo (Sept 2022 - present)

- Used a linter to flag potential bugs, decreasing the of unexpected behaviour.
- Improved git skills by working on a large code-base with many collaborators.

Class rep, Mathematics Society

University of Waterloo (Sept 2022 - Dec 2022)

• Acted as a bridge between my class and the Math faculty by regularly attending MathSoc meetings.

VOLUNTEER WORK

Political canvassing, Liberal Party

Aug 2021 - June 2022 (125 volunteer hours)

- Developed logistical skills by leading a number of canvassing teams.
- Improved communication skills by speaking to constituents about their top concerns.

Volunteer, YMCA

Nov 2018 - May 2019 (145 volunteer hours)

• Honed teamwork skills by running weekly basketball and volleyball games with staff and other volunteers.

EDUCATION

University of Waterloo

(Sept 2022 - present)

Software Engineering, Honours (BSE)

• Sem 1: 89.5% (3.8/4.0)

Lawrence Park C.I., Toronto

(Sept 2018 - June 2022)

Hon. Certificate of Bilingual Studies, French Immersion

• Grade 12: 99.2%

AWARDS

President's Scholarship of Distinction

University of Waterloo (Sept 2022)

F.G. Lawson Cup

Lawrence Park C.I. (June 2022)

 Awarded to the graduation student who demonstrates exceptional academic achievement, leadership and active participation in a wide variety of extracurricular activities.