Use this plan of action as a living document to keep track of your job hunting efforts. The more honest you are in this document, the better you can prioritize your efforts.

**Career Objective**

What type of job/career do you want? What steps will you need to take to get from where you are now to that goal? More education? Work experience?

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| The type of job I’m looking for is backend software engineering and preferably online game-related job. My ultimate goal is to be in a part of a team that develops virtual reality MMORPG game in the future. To meet my goal from where I am now, I need to work on more projects on GitHub, put more time into developing my website, have more education in math and program algorithm, and learning program languages I might need in my future jobs.  All the above steps are essential, but from what I have heard from people around me who are currently in the computer science industry, work experience will be prioritized the most along with my personal projects and practical skills. I would like to work on my skills and personal projects so I can get some work experience through the co-op program to meet my goal of working as a software engineer eventually. |

**Survey of Your Network**

Do you have any people in your current network (career, friends, family, online/social) that can help you with your career objectives? Who are they and how will they be useful for you? If you don’t have any people in your network how do you plan on acquiring some?

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| **I know two friends who have the career I want to pursue later in life. One of them is from the church I used to go to and the other one I met through my girlfriend. They gave me how to work with github, tips on enhancing my practical coding skills (through a website that provides practice coding questions called leetcode), and gave me a brief explanation on how interviews they had were done at the time they were looking for a job. These friends are good mentors and supporters, but I know too well they are extremely busy with their own life and I am looking forward to meet more people that share the same goal as me through relevant events / club activity held by Langara College.** |

**Networking Event**

List at least one networking event that would be worthwhile for you to go to and why.

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| I am currently in Langara College Computer Science Club and has been an active member since 2021 January. I find it very worthwhile to take part in the events they hold since it will be very helpful to make friends and possibly find a project partner I can work along with to build a portfolio together.  BC Tech association is definitely one of the options I can take to build my network. BC Tech association is a place where tech companies frow and scale, and becoming a member of it and attending to events held by them will open up opportunities to meet people in the industry and potentially build strong relationship with them to help me successfully my goal. |

**Target Companies**

List three positions with employers you would want to work for in the future and why.

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| **Company Name** | **Position** | **Reason** |
| Riot Games | Director – Game Design – Unpublished R&D Product | Riot Games is the fastest growing gaming company that is quickly expanding its market around it’s most popular online game League of Legends. Working as a Director for Riot in Game Design department, I will be responsible for character balancing and planning for major patches and events. It will be meaningful to work in a fast-paced expanding company like riot and as of now, with their share of the gaming market they are most likely to come first in inventing a virtual MMORPG game. |
| Nexon Korea | Associate Producer (Korean/ English Bilingual) | I was born and raised in South Korea until grade two, and Nexon Korea was, and still is the biggest company in the online game industry in Korea. I grew up playing their games and it will mean a lot to me to work for them for better service and quality of the game. I would like to work as an Associate Producer (Korean/ English Bilingual) because I would like to introduce the company games to North America. |
| Tesla | Systems Software Engineer, Autopilot | I believe Tesla’s autopilot technology and their builds for electric cars are years ahead of any other car company at this moment. working along with the bests in the industry along with one of the highest salaries in the industry. Tesla’s entry-level total salary stands at about $130k with a base salary of $113k that can escalate up to a total of $371k with a base salary of $200k with up to $120k+ of stock option. Whereas working as a software engineer for BMW, which is also one of the well-known premium car brands salary ranges from $39.967 - $132.062 with an average of $100,965. |

**Applying Now**

List three jobs that you would be comfortable applying to right now and explain why.

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| **Position** | **Web Link** | **Reason** |
| Intern – IT Technical Consultant (Developer) | https://jobs.sap.com/job/Vancouver-SAP-iXp-Intern-IT-Technical-Consultant-%28Developer%29-Brit-V6B-1A9/715627601/ | SAP is a solid IT company that has been on the top charts of IT firms in terms of its benefits and work-life balance. SAP is one of the companies I would love to start out my career at due to it’s wide spectrum of fields of work and company’s liability. By working in this position, I will be able to learn new development tools and technologies and have project-driven experience. |
| Software Engineering Intern/ Co-op | https://jobs.td.com/en/job/13677494/software-engineer-intern-co-op-toronto-ca/?utm\_campaign=google\_jobs\_apply&utm\_source=google\_jobs\_apply&utm\_medium=organic | Reason why I want to work at TD as a software engineer is because I believe by working at a bank, I will learn more practical skills and knowledge about finance that I know nothing about. I might be able learn how programs are used in businesses and have a chance to work both front and back end programming working for a bank. |
| Software Development Engineer co-op/Intern | Job listing :  <https://boards.greenhouse.io/athinkingape/jobs/3364340>  Listing link on Thinking Ape webpage:  <https://www.athinkingape.com/careers/#positions> | A Thinking Ape is a startup company that has been growing over the last decade focusing mainly on mobile games. Starting out my career here will help me learn the basics of developing skills required to program games. Backends for this company mainly consists of Django and MySQL, which is known to be essential tool for programming games. Working for this company will help me learn these languages and help myself ready to eventually achieve my goal. |