Ceilidh Simon

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Education

Bachelor of Computer Science, Honors Co-op   2018 – Ongoing
University of Manitoba
Current courses: TBD

International Baccalaureate French Immersion Diploma   2012 – 2016
Collège Sturgeon Heights Collegiate

Technical

Programming Languages
Practical work experience with React, Go, and php
Familiar with Java, C, and C++
Experience with Ruby, and HTML

Software
Familiar with Jetbrains IDEs, Visual Studio Code, Gitlab, Jira/kaban boards, Docker, MySQL, iTerm, Microsoft Office

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Employment History

Software Developer Co-op   January – April 2020
Bold Commerce
- Working with Microservices, containerized gRPC, and front-end development in React and Go to improve APIs and applications used by many of Bold's dev teams.
- Participating in agile development by attending daily standups and participating in weekly sprints
- Developing in pairs with other team members to solve problems
- Remaining productive and accountable during a company switch to remote work
- Managing a team and language switch part way through the term
- Developing a self-directed project with another team member to improve an application used by Bold devs
- Participating in company culture with events such as hackathons, Toastmasters, Lunch and Learns, and Dungeons and Dragons nights to meet new people and learn new skills

Teaching Assistant, COMP 1010   September – December 2019
University of Manitoba
- Providing feedback on proposed in-class assignments to ensure the best student experience
- Being attentive to student progress and responding to questions

Animatrice *(Camp Counselor)*   July – August 2019
Explore de Trois-Rivières
- Coordinated with a team of 18 to organize and undertake multiple large-scale outings and events for high school French Immersion students
- Planned and implemented daily activities, both individually and in teams
- Taught a weekly workshop on video creation to give students a new context in which they could practice language skills
- Organized spontaneous activities when plans fell through

School Program Animator   February 2019
Festival de Voyageur
- Delivered program on voyageur winter travel in English and French
- Reorganized activities around on-site schedule conflicts
- Coordinated with a team on-site and through long-distance communication to ensure smooth program delivery for each group passing through

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Community Involvement

President, Women in Computer Science   April 2020 – Ongoing
University of Manitoba
- Working with the executive and other student groups to organize events that benefit women studying computer science
- Ensuring that all members feel safe and respected
- Being the first point of contact for outside groups hoping to help organize events or scholarships

Guest Member, Boldly Speaking Toastmasters
Bold Commerce
- Taking on assessment roles in meetings to help other members improve their speaking skills
- Participating in table topics to improve delivery of improvised speeches

Panel Member & activity co-organizer, Go Code Girl   January 2019 & 2020
Wise Kid-netic Energy and STEAM UManitoba
- Co-ordinated with STEAM lab and other students to plan a cryptography and maze solving activity
- Organized meetings with volunteers to work out the details of setup and running the activity
- Spoke at a lunchtime question forum about being a computer science student
- Supervised student progress and adjusted activity accordingly

Also Volunteered with:
Community Living Interlake, Girls Learning Code, Destination Imagination, Canadian Cancer Society, and Folklorama.