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SUMMARY

Newly graduated software engineer looking to make an impact on the world. Passionate about modern technologies, and applying them to real world problems. Enjoys team-building and collaboration in a positive working environment. Always learning all things software and tech to solve problems with creative people and innovation.

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SKILLS

Javascript	**C++**	**Flask**	**Docker**	**Android Development**
jQuery	**Java**	**PHP**	**Kubernetes**	**Agile Development**
React / Redux	**Lisp**	**PostgreSQL**	**Git**	**Google Cloud**
HTML / CSS	**Python**	**MySQL**	**Unix / Linux**	**Amazon AWS**

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PROJECTS

Split Check - *An android app designed to split restaurant bills by items.*   Demo
- Leveraged glide library for animations between steps.
- Implementing ML Kit for image recognition to minimize manual entry of food items for next release.
- Integrating Oauth with popular providers to provide historical records of bills for next release.

Database GUI - *A Java based app which leverages JDBC to query multiple SQL*   Github
commands through a GUI.
- Utilized the JDBC library to connect to a remote SQL Server.
- Leveraged Java Swing components to create a GUI for ease of use.
- Hosted the projects database externally on a remote Docker container.

PHP Web Parser - *A PHP page that parses text from various sources which counts*   Github | Demo
the frequency of letters and numbers in descending order.
- Leveraged media queries to apply different styles for different media types/devices.
- Implemented email service APIs for contact form submission.
- Built using the Bootstrap framework to create a responsive experience on the frontend.
- Developed utilizing the LAMP stack for server side hosting.

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WORK EXPERIENCE

Special Education Paraprofessional   Sep 2016 - May 2017
The Child School | New York, NY
- Provided students with 1:1 assistance in classroom instruction to maximize learning, achievement, and inclusion.
- Defined specific curricular goals within the classroom to keep students motivated, engaged, and focused.

J.P. Morgan Chase   Aug 2012 - Sept 2014
Bank Teller | New York, NY
- Ensured compliance with banking policies and audit procedures; maintained and balanced cash drawers on a daily basis.
- Responded to client inquiries and identified discrepancies to provide solutions leading to maximized customer satisfaction and value feedback.

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ACTIVITIES

Girls Who Code at Queens College   Jan 2021 - May 2021
- Lead students in group projects, mentored, and provided access for women to learn code through social media initiatives.

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EDUCATION

CUNY - Queens College   Jan 2020 - Sep 2022
BA - Computer Science | Honors | Dean's List | GPA: 3.83

CUNY - Queensborough Community College   Sep 2017 - Dec 2019