

#### SOFTWARE ENGINEERING | FULLSTACK DEVELOPER | OPEN-SOURCE ENTHUSIAST

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**Skills** 

**Languages** JavaScript • Python • Java • C • C++ • C# • HTML • CSS • Bash • SQL **Frameworks** React • Vue.js • Node.js • Electron • JQuery • Bootstrap • Cypress

**Tools & Technology** Docker • Git • Firebase • JIRA • GDB • SSH • Android Studio • Vim • Emacs

# **Experience**

**DigitalEd**Waterloo, Ontario, Canada

FULLSTACK DEVELOPER

May 2020 - September 2020

- Used **Vue.js** and **Java** with **JIRA** to modernize a monolithic legacy codebase for the Möbius courseware.
- Found and quickly fixed more than **10 showstopper bugs** near release while multitasking testing and development tasks.
- Took initiative to create **Docker** scripts to speed up the development and testing workflow.
- Automated time consuming tests using Cypress while improving website accessibility to raise the WCAG compliance level.

#### **WatLock - Student Design Team**

Waterloo, Ontario, Canada

September 2019 - December 2019

UI DEVELOPER/DESIGNER

- Building a Martian airlock with more than 100 members to compete in the UBC Mars Airlock Challenge.
- Lead proposal to include the utilization of **Electron** and **React** to build an intuitive UI for a Martian airlock.

# **Projects**

### Gyroll 🗗

A 3D UNITY MARBLE TILT MAZE GAME FEATURING A CUSTOM GYROSCOPE ON AN ARDUINO

October 2019 - November 2019

- Built an **Arduino** controller and integrated angular/tilt-based controls with **C#** and **Arduino** scripts.
- Implemented game object behaviours such as turrets, spike balls, and randomly generated spawn points within C#.
- Enforced principals of agile development to maximize productivity while working in a team.

#### Sagacity (Hack the North 2019 Finalist)

A WEB-APP MADE WITH NODE.JS & PUG WHICH ENHANCES NOTES WITH OCR AND NLP TECHNOLOGIES September 13, 2019 - September 15, 2019

- Placed within the top 12 out of 375 teams, judged in terms of wow factor, technical difficulty, originality, and design.
- Generated relevant text around keywords to enhance notes by accessing NLP and OCR models within MongoDB via Node.js.
- Polished the front-end of the app with **Pug** to improve user experience.

#### JavaPaint 🛂

#### A FULL-FEATURED PAINT PROGRAM MADE FROM SCRATCH WITH JAVA/SWING

April 2019 - July 2019

- Built a fully-featured drawing application using the **Swing API**, featuring options to save, program defaults, modifiers, and more.
- Implemented undo/redo stacks, shapes, and toolbars with several data structures created from scratch.

### Orgmodoro 🗹

#### AN ANDROID POMODORO APP THAT IMPROVES PRODUCTIVITY, MADE WITH JAVA AND XML

May 2019 - June 2019

- Designed schematics and built an intuitive UI with XML and Android Studio.
- Integrated multiple activities/windows to allow data transfer between background processes with Java.
- Utilized interactive push-notifications to indicate new states in the background, improving user experience.

#### Project Witchcraft

#### AN ARCADE-LIKE BULLET-HELL GAME MADE WITH PYTHON/PYGAME

May 2018 - June 2018

- Created a system that uses frame data/states to manipulates animations, fire rates, and beautiful bullet patterns.
- Implemented dynamic difficulty adjustments, high-score systems, and refined game controls for better user experience.

# Education\_\_\_\_\_

## **University of Waterloo**

Waterloo, Ontario, Canada

2019 - 2024 (Expected)

SOFTWARE ENGINEERING

Candidate for BSE with President's Entrance Scholarship.