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Summary

Recent graduate with an MSc in Bioinformatics and Computational Biology. Skills in programming, algorithm analysis, and data engineering. Passionate about developing and contributing to products that impart practical and innovative solutions. Competency in teamwork, discipline, communication, and adaptability as demonstrated by previous military experience.

Skills

JavaScript	jQuery	C++	SQL
HTML	API Integration	Python	NoSQL

CSS Responsive Web Design Git/GitHub OSX/Linux/Windows

Certifications

Full Stack Web Development Certificate, The University of Texas at Austin October 2018

Education

Master of Science in Bioinformatics and Computational Biology	May 2021
The University of Texas at Dallas, Richardson, TX	GPA: 3.65

Bachelor of Science in MicrobiologyMay 2018Texas State University, San Marcos, TXGPA: 3.76

magna cum laude

Relevant Coursework

Algorithm Analysis and Data Structures Web Programming Languages
Database Design Medical Image Analysis

Machine Learning Probability and Statistics for Data Science

Bioinformatics Combinatorics and Graph Theory

Experience

Graduate Student Research

February 2020 – December 2020

Department of Biological Sciences, University of Texas at Dallas, Richardson, TX

- Engaged in a comparative genomics study of bacterial samples from postmenopausal women with chronic or recurrent urinary tract infections to illuminate mechanisms of pathogenicity and persistence of the organisms
- Developed skills in data analytics, communication, and project development

Microbiology Technician

February 2019 - August 2019

Clinical Pathology Laboratories, Austin, TX

- Processed and handled over 200 clinical samples a day while adhering to safety protocols and ensuring quality control to provide fast and reliable results for patients
- Assisted in the identification of clinically relevant organisms using biochemical assays and ELISA

Veterinary Food Inspection Specialist

April 2007 - October 2015

United States Army

- Collaborated in creating and implementing a database that kept track of 9.3 million dollars of inventory
- Performed the inspection of food designed for human consumption to preserve the health of soldiers
- Assisted veterinarians with animal medicine during humanitarian missions in remote areas