Maria Pop

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PROFILE SUMMARY

- Skilled in full-stack development using C#, Java, TypeScript, React, and Node.js, with a strong foundation in object-oriented programming, server-client architecture, and RESTful API integration.
- Experienced in Agile development environments, contributing to sprints, resolving technical issues, and applying best practices such as version control (Git), modular design, and documentation.
- Strong communicator and collaborator with experience translating technical requirements into actionable tasks, developed through roles as a Junior Developer, Front Desk Agent, and Teaching Assistant.

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Front Desk Agent, Holiday Inn Express and Suites, Kitchener, ON

October 2024 - June 2025

- Greeted and checked in guests, managed reservations, and handled room assignments and moves using Opera system, working within the hospitality and operations domain.
- Used internal portals to process payments, manage booking modifications, and generate end-of-day reports.
- Coordinated with housekeeping and maintenance teams to ensure guest satisfaction, often handling multiple tasks during peak hours.

Junior Web Developer, GolfNorth, Guelph, ON

May 2022 – August 2022

- Developed and maintained responsive web pages in a cross-functional team, with a focus on usability and accessibility using ARIA implementation and semantic HTML.
- Collaborated as part of an Agile team to deliver project features and resolve technical issues.
- Wrote internal documentation outlining integration logic and component usage, which improved team handoff and accelerated onboarding for new developers.

Tutor/Teaching Assistant, Kumon, Kitchener, ON

July 2014 – June 2018

- Provided personalized instruction in math and English, adapting explanations to suit different learning levels and communication styles.
- Guided students through problem-solving and fostering critical thinking and provided documentation for parents/guardians.

SKILLS

Programming Languages: C#, JavaScript, Python, HTML, CSS, Java, SQL, TypeScript, Dart, JQuery

Frameworks/Software Tools: React, Node.js, ASP.NET, .NET Core, MongoDB, Flutter, Adobe Suite, Git, Microsoft Office, Bootstrap,

Soft Skills: Communication, Teamwork and Collaboration, Detail Oriented, Proactive Learning

CORE COMPETENCIES

- Software Development: API Design & Integration, Object-Oriented Programming (C#, Java), Full-Stack Integration
- Project & Process Support: Scrum Workflow, Sprint Collaboration, Documentation, Agile Methodologies, MVC Architecture
- Analysis & Communication: Requirements Gathering, Stakeholder Communication, User Support, Concept Abstraction

EDUCATION

Advanced Diploma in IT Innovation & Design, Conestoga, Waterloo, ON

Expected Graduation May 2027

Current GPA: 3.8

B.Sc. in General Science, Wilfrid Laurier University, Waterloo, ON

September 2018 - April 2022

Acquired CGPA: 3.0

PROJECTS

- Waste-Less Grocery and Money Saving Tool (TypeScript, JavaScript, CSS)
- ReciPeeps API Integrated Recipe Creation App (Flutter, Dart, PostgresSQL)