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# **OBJECTIVE:** Seeking a full time position upon graduation

# **EDUCATION**

# MAJOR: COMPUTER SCIENCE | VIRGINIA TECH | GPA: 3.84/4

**GRADUATION DATE: DECEMBER 2014** 

- · Completed Minor: Mathematics
- · Member of Honor's College
- · Dean's list every semester

# **EXPERIENCE**

SDE INTERN @ AMAZON SUMMER 2014

- $\cdot\,$  Provided run time functionality for a custom programming language to an Eclipse plugin
- · Worked on implementing a semantic analyzer as an Eclipse Plugin future

#### **SOFTWARE ENGINEER INTERN @ CVENT**

**SUMMER 2013** 

- · Created an Extract, Transform and Load (ETL) process that queried huge databases efficiently
- · Implemented new logging library to allow for easy graphing and searching of errors; debugged information

#### **DIGITAL CONTENT INTERN @ MODEA**

OCTOBER 2012- JANUARY 2013

· Image creation, batching, resizing, and optimization in Photoshop

#### SOFIA GAME ANDROID PROJECT | UNDERGRADUATE RESEARCH

**JANUARY 2013 - MAY 2013** 

- · Creation of game development library components within the existing Sofia Android framework; the libraries were used by educators in intro Computer Science classes
- · Development of "game logic": handling the main game loop, advanced timing controls, and other features so that intro CS students would not have to individually reinvent the logic

#### YOUTUBE CHANNEL | SELF EMPLOYED

**OCTOBER 2012 - PRESENT** 

- · Develop tutorials and references for easy comprehension about Computer Science and Computer best practices
- · Over 1,000 subscribers and 200,000 views

# SKILLS, ABILITIES, PROJECTS

# LANGUAGES (SKILL LEVEL)

· Ruby (Proficient), Java (Proficient), C (Proficient), Python (Intermediate), JavaScript (Beginner), HTML (Beginner), CSS (Beginner)

# **SOFTWARE (SKILL LEVEL)**

· Git (Proficient), Linux (Proficient), RubyMine (Proficient)

#### PERSONAL PROJECTS

# Web Applications Hokie Links – Share class notes, comments and links Tech-Debate – Debate technical topics Schools Out – School cancellation API

# **LEADERSHIP**

- · Eagle Scout in the Boy Scouts of America
- · Undergraduate Teaching Assistant- for Intro to C programming and Intro to Python
- · Hokie Ambassador Give tours and presentation to aspiring Computer Science students @ Virginia Tech