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#### TECHNICAL SKILLS

**Languages**: JavaScript/TypeScript  $\cdot$  Python  $\cdot$  Ruby  $\cdot$  C  $\cdot$  Java  $\cdot$  Groovy

**Frameworks**: React.js · React Native · Ruby on Rails · Angular · Express.js · MongoDB· Jest **Technologies**: Git · HTML/CSS · Enzyme · Selenium · SQLite · Docker · Kubernetes · Firebase ·

Azure Web Ápps

### **EXPERIENCE**

# Harled Inc\_

Jr Software Developer

January 2022 - April 2022

- Collaborated in building transformational software for the Royal Canadian Air Force using Rails, helping bring the military into the information age
- Championed "Learn, Create, Teach", an initiative facilitating efficient team knowledge transfer to compete with much larger private sector competitors
- Implemented full-stack features while constructively engaging with PO and clients, from cronjobs and data migrations, to UX design

#### The Co-operators

DevOps Engineer

May 2021 - September 2021

- Developed and demoed SCM to Deployment Pipeline Webhook POC, eliminating overhead by 5 minutes
- Automated away tedious Jenkins-Build configurations through Groovy scripting
- Debugged and deployed new client-facing features using SQL and Angular

#### **Bentley Systems**

Jr Software Developer

September 2020 - December 2020

- Assisted a multinational team in developing an ASP.NET Core Web application
- Coordinated with User Experience lead to facilitate extensive Interface design
- Added client-side caching to improve performance by a magnitude of 25%
- Provided support by maintaining the existing code base and providing assistance to other colleagues

#### Bentley Systems

Frontend Developer

January 2020 - April 2020

- Worked within an agile environment creating customer and developer-facing User Interface components using React and Sass on a Azure Cloud Platform
- Designed customizable settings page in a TypeScript framework, enabling better developer feature testing
- Wrote, debugged, and updated unit tests to increase code coverage via Jest and Enzyme
- Improved software installation speed by 50% via DOS scripting in PowerShell

#### **PROJECTS**

#### Zewallet

zewallet.com

React Native, HTML/CSS, and Firebase

- Engineered mobile platform for a startup fintech application, using industry database and design standards to build for scale
- Successfully pitched and partnered product to established industry titan

# Portfolio Website sjt00.github.io

React, SCSS and Gatsby

- Designed a personal portfolio website using React and SCSS with an emphasis on UX
- Reduced loading times by 33% using Gatsby Static-site generation
- Established consistent cross-platform performance with Bootstrap and SCSS

## **EDUCATION**

#### University of Waterloo