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SKYLER RANKIN

EDUCATION

University of Pennsylvania Sophomore Student, School of Engineering and Applied Sciences Computer Science Candidate 2017-Present Philadelphia, PA

EXPERIENCE

• Summer Intern, GP Strategies

2018-Present

- Developed a scalable, production-level chatbot on top of the Microsoft Bot Framework to automate service desk ticket requests as well as employee purchase confirmations.
- Research Assistant under Dr. Daniel Gillion

2017-Present

- o Execute web scraping and text mining for political science data base formation and research.
- Information Technology Advisor, Penn House Computing

2017-2018

- o Maintain English House computer lab and provide general technology support.
- Summer Intern, GP Strategies

2017-Present

- Utilized Azure web services and VSTO add-ins to provide sentiment analysis on company email threads.
- o Implemented the Neo4J database for graphical data storage of corporate employee information.
- Associate, Panera Bread

2014-2015

Operated cash register and prepared meals.

SKILLS & ABILITIES

- Programming Languages
 - o Comfortable with Java, JavaScript, Python, R, HTML, CSS, Git, OCaml, LaTeX
- Programming Frameworks
 - Experience with Android, jQuery, JavaFX, OpenGL, Node.js, Express, MVC design, ECS architecture
- Projects
 - o More information at skylerrankin.org

AWARDS&RECOGNITION

• Winner in Best Use of Theme Category, *Penn Play 24-Hour Game Jam*

2017

o Developed an Island Survival game for Penn's premiere game jam

LEADERSHIP

Project Programming Lead, UPenn Game Research and Development Environment

2017-Present

- Lead programmer for the science fiction RPG "Aeiaton", built in Java with OpenGL
- House Captain, UPenn Intramural Basketball Team

2017-Present