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# **Highlights and Qualification**

Computer skills

- Experience in C, coding problem sets given in labs at Ryerson
- Experience in C++, SDL 2.0 for recreational game development and a Ubisoft contest
- Experience in HTML and CSS from personal projects.
- Experience in Arduino and 3D printing for a contest held by Thales
- Experience in Java, Python and Pygame, creating recreational games
- Experience in Unity3D and C# in the Game Maker's Union at Ryerson
- Experience in VR, participated in a study using HTC Vive
- Experience in Game Maker, building games in the Computer Club at Holy Name of Mary
- Proficient in Microsoft Office, Google Suite

#### Electrical Skills

- Soldering
  - o Soldered parts of the robot built for the Thales competition
  - o Desoldered broken parts in old consoles and resoldered them
- Circuit Design
  - o Designed and measured electronic circuits in labs at Ryerson

#### Communications skills

- Fluent in English and Tamil
- Advanced Knowledge in French and Sign Language

#### **Customer Service**

• Took orders and efficiently handled complaints at Tim Hortons.

## **Education**

Sept 2016 – Apr 2020 Ryerson University Bachelor of Engineering in Computer Engineering

## **Related Activities**

October 2017

Thales Arduino Competition

• Researched about robotics and Arduino in a small group to successfully build and automate a 4WD robot with the use of 3D printing, which achieved 3rd place

Sept 2016 – Present Game Maker's Union – Ryerson University

• Worked on game development in a small group with Unity and Blender to familiarize myself with gaming algorithms and designs

Sept 2014 – Jan 2016 Computer Club – Holy Name of Mary

• Led a small team of 3-4 peers in research and game development to create an entirely original game for two separate contests

#### Present

## Ongoing and Finished Side Projects

- Repairs
  - o Repaired computers (e.g. MacBook Air, Acer)
  - Old Consoles (e.g. Sega Game Gear, Microsoft's Original Xbox, N64 controller)
  - o Electronics (e.g. Video Cameras)
- Game Development
  - o Strategy/Fantasy game coded in C++ using SDL 2.0
- Hackathons
  - o Participated in multiple Hackathons in the last two years to improve my coding and logical thinking skills
- Website
  - o Created a website using HTML and CSS, which is hosted on GitHub
    - URL: taniyapeters.github.io
- VR Study
  - Participated in a VR study to test how motion sickness might affect user experience with the HTC Vive

## **Work Experience**

June 2017 – Oct 2017

Tim Horton's

- Cashier Took orders and cashed out customers in an efficient manner
- Drink & Sandwich Maker Made the drinks and sandwiches for the customer in a fast-paced environment 35 second wait time for drinks and about a minute for sandwiches

Oct 2013 – Aug 2016

Brampton Guardian

• Delivered and tied over 250 papers weekly in all weather conditions