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EDUCATION

University of Toronto

Sept '21 - Apr '25

Bachelor of Applied Science in Engineering Science - BASc

- Major in Machine Intelligence and minor in Robotics & Mechatronics
- Relevant Courses: Algorithms & Data Structures, Machine Learning Foundations (AWS)
- Extracurricular: Webmaster at UTESCA, Technical Lead at FinTorch, Developer at aUToronto

SKILLS

Languages: JavaScript/TypeScript, Python, C/C++, Java, SQL, MATLAB

Frameworks/Libraries: ReactJS, Tailwind, Nodejs, ElectronJS, Flask, Django, Angular, PostgreSQL

Tools: Firebase, Figma, Heroku, Docker

EXPERIENCE

Royal Bank of Canada (RBC) | Software Developer

May '22 - Aug '22

- Integrated a Data Hub for RBC online banking, which organized client information and checked account records from 9 countries through ReactJS, Django and PostgreSQL.
- Launched a highly customizable cross-platform desktop APP designed ReactJS and ElectronJS
 that generated tech reports with built-in screenshot features and document generation.
- Constructed backend REST APIs using ElectronJS to improve the efficiency of the Report Generator APP by 600%.

Royal Bank of Canada (RBC) | Innovation Developer

Jul '21 - Aug '21

- Enhanced a tech information center, RBC Tech Search, that connected over 7 platforms and 11 communities and provided an efficient research method for over 9000 RBC developers.
- Designed UI and created components for **5 sites** via **Figma**, **Angular and Typescript**.

Google | CSSI Scholar

Jul '21 - Aug '21

- Collaborated with Google Software Engineers on 12 coding challenges and 4 projects in JavaScript and Firebase to learn about web server and software development.
- Implemented Firebase features, such as **Realtime Database**, **Realtime Storage** and **Authentication**, into a Note-Taking App to store important documents onto Google Accounts.

PROJECTS

FinTorch 🔼

May '22 - Sept '22

- Performed financial news sentimental analysis, stocks trend visualization and provided personalized advice for retail investors.
- Built frontend functionalities, such as stock trending chart and personalized recommendation with **ReactJS**, **Tailwind**, **MUI** and hosted the Web APP on **Heroku**.
- Assembled a portfolio of assets that maximized the expected return based on the client's risk tolerance with **Modern Portfolio Theories** through **REST APIs** on **Flask**.

COVID-19 Simulation

Sept '20 - Nov '20

- Simulated the spread of COVID-19 in a city and analyzed the impact of different policies on the spread in **Java**, with over **10k** total project reviews and **300** weekly visits.
- Reduced code redundancy with abstraction and inheritance in object oriented programming and improved performance by various data structures by 400%.