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EDUCATION

University of Waterloo

Candidate for BAsC in Honours Management Engineering, Co-op

September 2019 - May 2024

Waterloo, ON

SKILLS

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| Languages: | JavaScript, Dart, Python, Ruby, Java, SQL, C#, R, HTML, CSS |
| Frameworks & Libraries: | React, Express, Flutter, Bootstrap, Selenium, Pandas |
| General Software: | Android Studio, AWS, PostgreSQL, MongoDB, Node.js, Git |

EXPERIENCE

EDify Talks

Full Stack Engineer

January 2021 - Present

Cupertino, CA

- Led a team of developers in developing the website for the 501c(3) international nonprofit EDify Talks, using the MERN stack for web development and hosting on AWS, achieving a monthly average of ~4500 pageviews
- Engineered an efficient sign-up flow, resulting in a unique pageview to sign-up conversion ratio of 17%

Felicity

App Dev Engineer

January 2021 - Present

Hamilton, ON

- Created a robust data collection and analytics pipeline for the productivity app Felicity using Dart for development and Firebase for storage, allowing for an empirically better understanding of the user base
- Heavily redesigned and refactored the analytics page in Flutter allowing users to better monitor their own app usage resulting in 50% more traffic from alpha users than in previous iterations

FundThrough

Software Developer in Test

January 2021 - May 2021

Toronto, ON

- Wrote automation tests with Selenium in Ruby which caught an error with large attachment sizes not being recognized that would have halted product flow for ~8% of users
- Aided in a company-wide re-brand, doing intensive QA and testing on hundreds of webpages, cataloguing dozens of bugs and errors across multiple platforms

Waterloo Engineering Endowment Fund

Director of Operations, Former cohort representative

September 2019 - May 2022

Waterloo, ON

- In charge of the management and distribution of a principal amount of ~20,000,000\$, as well as organizing a team of ~60 representatives under my jurisdiction
- Managed the allocation of ~\$480,000 in funds to the engineering department and student engineering design team endeavours, helping fund the future of innovation at uWaterloo eng. First as a representative, now as director

Bombardier

Data Analyst, Contractor

September 2019 - November 2019

Waterloo, ON

- Investigated the ION Light Rail Transit system, collecting thousands of unique rider data-sets specifically from lunch-time hours for future use by Bombardier and as an A/B Test to their data collection systems
- Performed data and process analysis using Excel and VBA, optimizing train stoppages and altering train blueprints, resulting in a theoretical decrease in ride-length of 11 minutes during the lunch rush hour

PROJECTS

StockOverflow

- Developed a stock prediction algorithm in Python that applies sentiment analysis to article headlines using Pandas
- Outperformed the S&P500 by an average margin of 13% using data sets accessed through MongoDB

HITSCAN

- Developed an image parser in Python which takes images of documents and converts them into .docx, .pdf files
- Implemented an iterative algorithm which analyzes 360 angles of an image using Google's Tesseract API, reducing mistranslations, allowing the program to run at 97% effectiveness as measured by words correct/total words