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Objective

I want to strengthen my programming abilities at a company that values good design and developing practice.

Education

University of Puget Sound – Fall 2012 to Spring 2016.

- Bachelor of Science in Computer Science
 - Minor in Mathematics
- Cumulative GPA: 3.72
- Major GPA: 3.70
- Upsilon Pi Epsilon
 - o International Honor Society for Computing and Information Disciplines.
 - Offered to students by the department chair of Mathematics and Computer Science.
 - One of three others selected to join in 2015 on the basis of GPA and overall passion for the subject.
- Edward G. Goman Memorial Scholarship
 - o Computer Science departmental scholarship.
 - o Awarded to five students each year that show academic excellence and an eagerness to learn.
 - o Faculty-chosen recipients have demonstrated an ability to communicate effectively.
- Dean's List
 - o Fall 2015.
 - Spring 2015.
- Phi Eta Sigma Honor Society
 - Membership offered to students at Puget Sound who fulfill a certain GPA requirement.

Work Experience

Computer Science Tutor - University of Puget Sound - Fall 2015 to Spring 2016

- Selected by department faculty to assist Computer Science students in writing code and learning fundamentals.
- Communicated and explained unintuitive ideas in a clear, concise manner.
- Helped others in a one-on-one context. I found this especially enjoyable and personally enriching.

Computer Science Teaching Assistant - University of Puget Sound - Spring 2016

- Answered questions and help ~25 introductory students program during a two hour weekly lab.
- Provided general classroom assistance to professor David Chiu.

Hospital Intern - Kalispell Regional Medical Center - Summer 2012, Summer 2013

- Assisted physicians throughout the hospital, most notably in the cardiac catheterization lab, operating room, and emergency room.
- Educated on HIPAA confidentiality guidelines in order to access electronic medical records.
- Observed high-stress procedures including heart surgery, cardiopulmonary resuscitation, and emergency medicine.

Programming

Selected Code

- CS 431 Artificial Intelligence (Java) github.com/ZachEddy/CS_431
- CS 440 Capstone of Computer Science (Python, work in progress) github.com/ZachEddy/ImageClassifier
 - o The thesis class for Computer Science. Students pick from a set of suggested projects and work in groups of 1 to 4.
 - o I proposed my own project instead. I'm currently building a convolutional neural network (ConvNet) to classify images.

Notable Projects

- Built a small compiler that translated MiniJava into MIIPS assembly code.
- Wrote a Django application on a Raspberry Pi to control lights in my room via phone, laptop, etc.
- Programmed a ray tracer to render 3D object scenes. I also added reflection, refraction, shadows, and textures.
- Created a Rails application to use as a campus tour of Puget Sound.