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## EDUCATION

### UNIVERSITY OF SASKATCHEWAN | MSc IN COMPUTER SCIENCE

Expected 2019 | Saskatoon, SK

### MERCYHURST UNIVERSITY | B.A IN INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY

Aug 2013 - May 2017 | Erie, PA

Cum. GPA: 3.6 / 4.0 • Major GPA: 3.88 / 4.0

## EXPERIENCE

### ERIE CUSTOM COMPUTER APPLICATIONS | SOFTWARE DEVELOPER INTERN

May 2016 - Dec 2016 | Erie, PA

- Migrated and Merged existing Access databases into SQL Databases.
- Developed a responsive Web Application to simplify management of databases using C# and ASP.NET.
- Developed automated generation of reports through Crystal Reports.

### MERCYHURST UNIVERSITY TUTORING | PEER TUTOR

Jan 2015 - Apr 2017 | Erie, PA

- Facilitated a learning environment for one-on-one tutoring in Computer Science courses, providing students with study techniques that resulted in improved academic performance.
- Classes Tutored: Programming I, Programming II, Intro to Data Science

## RESEARCH

### HCI LAB | GRADUATE RESEARCH ASSISTANT

Aug 2017 - Present | Saskatoon, SK

Worked with **Prof Carl Gutwin** and **Prof Andy Cockburn** investigating human perception to visual stimuli across the visual field. Publication submitted.

### MERCYHURST MATH DEPT. | COMPUTER PROGRAMMING ASSISTANT

Aug 2015 - Apr 2017 | Erie, PA

- Designed database schema containing over 15 tables for forensic anthropology data.
- Created databases utilizing PHP5, and MySQL that streamlined data management.
- Developed intake forms that improved user experience for interaction with MySQL Database.

## LANGUAGES

### PROGRAMMING

Java • Python • JavaScript • R • HTML • CSS • C# • PHP • SQL •  $\text{\LaTeX}$

Software/Libraries:

Tableau • Gimp • D3.js • SQL Studio

### SPOKEN & WRITTEN

Native fluency:

English, Spanish

Reading fluency:

French

## PUBLICATIONS

- [1] M. Dechant, I. Stavness, A. Mairena, and R. L. Mandryk. Empirical evaluation of hybrid gaze-controller selection techniques in a gaming context. In *Proceedings of the ACM Symposium on Computer-Human Interaction in Play (CHI Play 2018)*, Melbourne, VC, Australia, 2018.