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OBJECTIVE

New York based RPI graduate seeking to apply my abilities in human-centered design, digital arts, and computer science towards a challenging and rewarding full-time position.

EDUCATION

RENSELAER POLYTECHNIC INSTITUTE (RPI) | TROY, NY

GRADUATED MAY 20, 2017

Dual B.S. in Electronic Arts & Computer Science, Magna Cum Laude

Concentration in Visual Arts & Animation

GPA: 3.74/4.0

ACTIVITIES:

RESIDENT ASSISTANT

2015 - 2016: Nugent Hall 4th Floor

2016 - 2017: Design + Arts Themed Housing (d.arts)

PARTIAL CREDIT A CAPPELLA

2015 - 2017: Public Relations Director

DESIGN FOR AMERICA AT RENSELAER (DFA RENSELAER)

2014 - 2015: Hospice Experience Team Leader

2015 - 2016: Studio Lead (Team Manager)

2017: Campus Waste Team Member

SYOSSET SENIOR HIGH SCHOOL | SYOSSET, NY

GPA: 98/100

GRADUATED JUNE 19, 2013

ACT: 35

RELEVANT COURSEWORK

ART, DESIGN & ANIMATION COMPUTER SCIENCE

Int. Media Studio Imaging
Introduction to Game Design
Animation I, II, III
Animation I Mentor
Game Development I
Creative Seminar (Thesis)

Data Structures
Computer Organization
Introduction to Algorithms
Operating Systems
Programming Languages
Interactive Visualization
Computer Graphics
Software Design & Documentation

SKILLS

ART, DESIGN & ANIMATION COMPUTER SCIENCE

Adobe Creative Suite
Audacity
Digital Photography
Maya / Mudbox / 3D Coat

C, C++
HTML/CSS
Javascript/jQuery
Processing.js
Python

EXPERIENCE IN

Cross-Media Advertising
Data Visualization
Human-Centered Design
LMS Management
Programming
Project Management
2D/3D Animation

OTHER

Agile Development
Canvas LMS by Instructure
Git VCS / Sourcetree
Slack, Trello
Zendesk
Conversational Spanish

LEADERSHIP & EXPERIENCE

GIRLS WHO CODE | NEW YORK, NY

SUMMER 2016: EDUCATION SUPPORT INTERN: Communicated information on curriculum, general logistics, and final projects to summer program teaching teams. Wrote internal scripts and created data visualizations. Led live trainings on Instructure's Canvas LMS.

SUMMER 2015: CURRICULUM OPERATIONS INTERN: Created and documented standard usage of LMS. Helped plan and implement final project procedure. Created teaching references for Git and Bitbucket. Designed and illustrated outward-facing materials on GWC's clubs.

PARTIAL CREDIT A CAPPELLA PR DIRECTOR | TROY, NY

2015 - 2017: Managed Partial Credit's social media presence. Designed and coordinated multi-platform advertising campaigns for events and music releases. Led a successful rebranding initiative.

DFA RENSELAER TEAM MANAGER | TROY, NY

2015 - 2016: Helped guide teams through DFA's Human-Centered Design to solve community problems through innovation. Planned and led meetings, coordinated officer duties. Advertising co-lead for Troy By Design, an officer-led maker fest to promote the relationship between RPI and Troy, NY

RPI RESIDENT ASSISTANT | TROY, NY

2015 - 2017: Supports residents by organizing events for personal/professional development, crisis intervention, and advising residents on various issues.

2016 - 2017: D.ARTS THEMED HOUSING: Facilitated relationships between d.arts and local arts organizations. Piloted a mentorship program between d.arts freshmen and sophomore d.arts alumni. Onboarded a faculty advisor for long-term sustainability.

WRITING TUTOR

2010 - 2015: Mentored members of a collaborative writing site in grammar and prose.

AWARDS & HONORS

National Association of College and University Residence Halls

Sept. 2016 *Regional OTM Winner: Northeast Resident Assistant*

RPI Archimedean Society

International Thespian Society

EXHIBITIONS:

2013: *Long Island's Best: Young Artists at the Heckscher Museum*

2017: *The Beginning is Near: EMAC + EART Senior Thesis Exhibition*