

# Brandon Cusato

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## EDUCATION

### York University

*Honours Bachelor of Science in Computer Science, BSc., Hons. Computer Science*

Toronto, ON

*Expected 2025*

- Relevant Coursework: Advanced Object Oriented Programming, Fundamentals of Data Structures, Software Tools, User Interfaces

### York University

*Bachelor of Education, B.Ed. Concurrent Education*

Toronto, ON

*Expected 2027*

- Teaching Qualifications: Computer Studies, French as a Second Language (FSL)

## EXPERIENCE & LEADERSHIP

### Program Manager

*The STEAM Project*

May-August, 2023/2024

*Richmond Hill, ON*

- Planned, directed, and oversaw educational activities at a summer camp that met and exceeded the provincial school curriculum; supervised a team of instructors to construct and prepare lessons/projects that ensured high quality education and skill development opportunities for campers
- Learned the important leadership skills of managing a group, organizing daily schedules/overseeing camp days, conducting staff meetings, and maintaining strong rapport with staff, campers, and camper families

### Instructor

*The STEAM Project*

October 2022 - May 2024

*Richmond Hill, ON*

- In a classroom and summer camp environment; designed, developed, and taught lessons for all ages in coding disciplines including robotics, programming, and other subjects in the S.T.E.A.M field
- Learned how to construct and prepare lessons tailored to specific age groups, along with the importance of patience/communication while running a class with numerous students

## PROJECTS

### Personal Website | *Visual Studio Code, HTML, CSS, JavaScript*

April 2024

- Website portfolio showcasing the use of Front-end development
- Displays a variety of projects demonstrating the ability to use different and relevant frameworks revolving around Full-Stack Development including Bootstrap, React, Git, and others

## ADDITIONAL QUALIFICATIONS

### Meta Front-End Professional Certificate | *Meta*

March - May, 2024

- Increased proficiency in front-end methods, expanding knowledge in Bootstrap CSS and React Frameworks to create effective and interactive user experiences

### IBM Full Stack Software Developer Professional Certificate | *IBM*

May 2024 - Present

- Grasp the most up-to-date practical skills and tools used by full stack developers
- Learn how to deploy and scale applications using Cloud Native methodologies

## SKILLS

**Programming:** Python, Java, C, JavaScript

**Web/Design:** HTML, CSS, Adobe Illustrator, Figma, Balsamiq

**Tools:** Unix/Linux, Visual Studio, VSCode, Eclipse, IntelliJ, PyCharm, MS Office, Git

**Frameworks/Libraries:** Bootstrap, ReactJS, React Native

**Languages:** English, French (B1)

**Soft Skills:** Communication, Collaborative Problem Solving, Critical Thinking, Decision Making, Teaching/Instruction, Patience, Team Management, Flexibility