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Experience

iNovex Information Systems

Hanover, MD

Software Developer

July 2012 - Present

- Semantic Framework to Accumulo Connector
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- Hive Metadata Extractor (Cambridge Semantics Consultant)
- Web Development and Maintanance
- Entity Extraction from Unstructured Data
- Protein Ontology Building (Cambridge Semantics Consultant)

iNovex Information Systems

Annapolis, MD

May 2011 - Aug. 2011

Intern

- Linked public databases with information on registered sex offenders

- Developed Semantic Web Technology built to W3C specifications
- Converted data stored in MySQL databases to linked data (RDF)
- Built ontology for sex offenders that extends existing ontologies
- Created and connected several SPARQL endpoints

Education

Connecticut College

New London, CT

B.A. Major Computer Science, Minor Economics (GPA 3.28)

Aug. 2008 - May. 2012

- Senior Research: Forecasting Economic Volatility with Genetic Algorithms
- Relevant Courses: Computational Intelligence, Artificial Intelligence, Networks, Algorithms, Data Structures, Computer Organization, Topics in Software Development

University of Nottingham

Nottingham, UK

Study Abroad

Sept. 2010 - Jan. 2011

Relevant Courses: Operations Research and Optimization, Knowledge Representation and Reasoning,
Graphical User Interfaces, Software Engineering Methodologies, Introduction to Formal Reasoning

School Projects

Various AI Algorithms

Connecticut College

Artificial Intelligence, COM 316

Sept. 2011 - Dec. 2011

- Built goal finding robots that used popular search techniques
- Modeled propositional and first order logic applied to a search space
- Learned other important topics including learning and connectionist systems

Visual Data Structures

Algorithms, COM 304

Jan. 2011 - May 2011

- Created GUI representations of a Binomial Heap and a Disjoint Set
- Used Java to program Model-View-Controller architecture

Web Browser

University of Nottingham

Sept. 2010 - Jan 2011

Graphical User Interfaces, G52GUI

- Developed simple web browser with Swing Java
- Incorporated Agile development methodologies

Skills

Languages: Java, Python, Perl, SQL, Scheme, LATEX

Operating Systems: Linux (Debian), Mac OS X, UNIX, Windows XP/Vista/7, Solaris

Applications: Eclipse, Maven, Subversion, Git, Scheme Widget Library, Microsoft Excel