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EDUCATION

University of Victoria

Bachelor of Engineering, 5th year Software Engineering

Relevant Courses

- Software Development Methods
- Algorithms/Data Structures, I & II
- Software Testing

Sept. 2017 -

Expected Graduation: 2022

- UI Design
- Requirements Engineering
- Software Architecture & Design

TECHNICAL SKILLS

Programming Languages

- JavaScript/HTML/CSS
- Python

- C/C++/Java
- Typescript/JSX/Pug

Frameworks and Development Environments

- Node.js
- React/React-Native
- Gatsby
- Docker
- Django

- Bootstrap
- Unix/Vim
- Git VC
- Selenium
- Azure

Databases

MySQL/Postgres

MongoDB

Development Experience

- Search and Sort Algorithms
- Object-Oriented Design
- Advanced Data Structures
- Machine Learning

- Agile Methodology
- SCRUM/Kanban
- Automated Testing Scripts
- Unit Tests (JUnit)

WORK EXPERIENCE

Full Stack Developer - Ergonomyx Technologies Canada Inc.

May 2021 – Current

Developed and maintained the flask frontend and node.js api. Implemented google tag manager as well as lead weekly development team meetings. Technically communicated with multiple third-party companies' technology teams to implement new features.

React Developer - UVic Student Services

January 2020 – April 2020

Worked in a small team to design a modular, interactive and accessible naloxone training software to help prevent student drug overdoses. Project is being developed in JavaScript using React.js.

Sales Associate - Ledcor/Telus

June 2018 - August 2018

Conveyed product information and maintained high customer service standards to over 60 people daily using my technical communication and time management skills to become an effective member of the Telus PureFibre sales team.

TECHNICAL PROJECTS

RentSimple: Design and Implementation

Created full-stack app to aid with my housing search. Project included node.js and postgresql backend, React.js frontend, python scrapers using selenium, Google analytics as well as Heroku hosting and deployment. Visit https://rentsimple.herokuapp.com

Harbour Candle Club: Organization

Created an online subscription based scented candle business. Utilized web development knowledge to design and develop a custom Shopify theme to fit our online marketing strategy. Demonstrated organization and communication skills to manage suppliers and keep track of company finances.

VOLUNTEER EXPERIENCE

 2015-17 Student Liaison, West Vancouver - Gleneagles Community Advisory Committee - Selected to be the student representative on the committee, met monthly to discuss and resolve issues within the community.

CERTIFICATIONS

- Canadian Securities Course
- Canadian Ski Instructors Alliance
- Avalanche Operations Level 1

INTERESTS

- Machine Learning/Data
- Augmented reality
- Capital Markets
- Derivatives Trading

- Motor Sports
- Aquaculture
- E-Commerce
- Mountain Biking/Golf

REFERENCES

Available upon request.