

# Ben Minor

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## PROFILE

Passionate Computer Science and Economics student willing to work in a variety of environments to expand my knowledge and experience. I have a proven track record of success in both the IT and Financial industries with experience applying my technical skills to the world of FinTech.

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## EMPLOYMENT HISTORY

Sep 2020 – Present	<b>Technical Consultant, Framework Venture Partners</b> <b>Toronto</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Maintain and update the software platforms I built during my summer work term, including an external web application (<a href="https://feedback.framework.vc">feedback.framework.vc</a>) and an internal data scraper</li><li>Develop internal software programs to automate manual MS Excel entry using Python</li></ul>
Apr 2020 – Sep 2020	<b>Developer &amp; Junior Analyst, Framework Venture Partners</b> <b>Toronto</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Built an automated data scraper to actively track portfolios of over 300 venture capital and investment funds using AWS, Firebase Realtime Database, SSL security, Git version control</li><li>Managed a junior team member that assisted me in full-stack development of our external startup intake form (<a href="https://feedback.framework.vc">feedback.framework.vc</a>)</li><li>Automated Salesforce integration tasks using Salesforce REST API in Python which saved team members hours of manual entry and calculations per week</li><li>Performed 100+ one-on-one meetings with CEOs of Series A, and Series B software and FinTech start-ups to analyze financial metrics to determine if an investment strategy exists</li><li>Contributed to investment decks for our portfolio companies to analyze aspects such as the competitive landscape, total addressable market size, and unit economics</li></ul>
May 2019 – Aug 2019	<b>Computer Technician, DCR Systems Group Inc.</b> <b>Toronto</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Configured, installed, and updated internal software and hardware resources for notable accounting firms, law firms, and global educational institutions</li><li>Performed PC cloning/imaging with Symantec Ghost and Paragon Disk Manager</li><li>Worked efficiently and cooperatively in 6-8 person team to meet strict contractual deadlines</li></ul>

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## EDUCATION

Sep 2018 – Present	<b>Bachelor of Computing Honours (Artificial Intelligence), Economics</b> <b>Kingston</b> <b>Minor, Queen's University - 3.8/4.3 GPA</b> <p>Relevant Coursework: Cognitive science, artificial intelligence, algorithm efficiency, discrete mathematics, linear algebra, data structures, computer architecture, operating systems</p> <p>Technical Skills: Python, Java, JavaScript, C, Prolog, ARM Assembly, Haskell</p>
Sep 2014 – Jun 2018	<b>Ontario High School Diploma, Markham District High School</b> <b>Markham</b> <p>Final Year Average: 93%; DECA Business Club Executive; Varsity Curling</p>

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## EXTRA-CURRICULAR ACTIVITIES

Apr 2020– Present	<b>Software Developer, Queen's Technology &amp; Media Association</b> <b>Kingston</b> <p>Developing an innovative COVID-19 contact tracing mobile app using React Native, Firebase Database, and Git version control. Weekly meetings with a full product team to iterate through developmental and design ideas.</p>
Apr 2020 – Present	<b>Finance Director, Queen's Pre-Dental Society</b> <b>Kingston</b> <p>Directly in charge of allocating club funds and managing the budget. I helped secure funding from notable DAT resource company, DAT Crusher. In addition, I developed and am solely in charge of the club website.</p>