Federated Co-operatives Hiring Management   July 7, 2015
Federated Co-operatives Limited (FCL)
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Dear Hiring Manager,

I am writing to apply for the posted position of Java/Web Administrator (1 year term) (Saskatoon, Wholesale), which has been posted on coopconnection.ca. I have enclosed my resume for your perusal.

I recently graduated with distinction from the University of Saskatchewan with a degree in Computer Science. During these years of study, I developed a passion for web development, database management, and API development, among other things.

I have experience in development with Java, through University course work, Android development, and Java Servlets. I enjoy working with business relations and providing tools for consumers or businesses. I have worked for Saskatoon Coop and have used CRS services in the past. I have also worked in the Federated Coop building in downtown Saskatoon doing building renovations.

I am particularly adept at creating ideas, then planning and organizing the methods needed to deliver effective results. I have demonstrated this in my independent work as well as group work where I often assumed the position of group leader.

I am a conscientious, disciplined person who works hard and pays attention to detail. I am flexible, quick to pick up new skills, and eager to learn. I am keen to work for a company that I can contribute to and share my enthusiasm for modern development. I have excellent references and would be happy to discuss any possible vacancies with you at your convenience.

If you do not have an opening for me at this time, I would appreciate if you would keep my resume on file for any future possibilities.

Yours sincerely,

Braden Schmidt

Attached: Resume

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Resume

Motivated, hardworking graduate of the Department of Computer Science with strong programming and problem solving skills. Possesses the ability to learn new skills quickly to meet any challenge. Capacity to work effectively in a team setting or on independent tasks. Maintains the aspiration and ability to lead others. Strong desire to learn and be challenged and looking for the opportunity to further develop skills for an exceptional organization.

Personal Profile

- Age 22
- Co-Valedictorian, Class of 2010
- Canadian Governor General Award for academic excellence in 2009, 2010
- Greystone Society Scholarship, U of S entrance scholarship, 2010
- Bachelor of Science - Computer Science with Distinction

Education

2010–2015 **Bachelor of Science - Computer Science - Four Year - with Distinction**, *University of Saskatchewan*, Saskatoon.
78% Overall Average – with Distinction

1996–2010 **High School Diploma**, *Waldheim School*, Waldheim.
95% Average – High Honours

Projects

University Courses

qJournal
- Independently developed a synced journaling application for Android and the Web.
- Website developed in Google App Engine and uses the Google App Engine Datastore for syncing notes between Android and the Web. Android application developed in Eclipse using Holo design guidelines.
- Received mark of 80%.

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Degree Doctor ○ Android application developed as a Group Project for a Software Engineering class. Allows a student to plan their degree using an attractive user interface by browsing classes, selecting classes, and scheduling classes. Took role as group project team leader.
○ Developed in Android Studio using several libraries, including: Robospice with Retrofit, ButterKnife, Facebook API.
○ Received mark of 95%.

Hobby

Shift EZ ○ Android and Google App Engine for Python Web App designed to allow users to share their work schedules with their coworkers.
○ Android App developed in Android Studio using several libraries, including: Robospice with Retrofit, ButterKnife, Picasso, Android Support Library, Google Plus API. Follows Material design guidelines.
○ Web App and API developed using Google App Engine for Python

Hockey Database ○ Hockey database used to store schedules, scores, team information, standings, stat leaders, etc.
○ Database developed in PostgreSQL and converted to MySQL with a front end Web Site built using HTML, CSS, and PHP for viewing the data and allowing administrative changes.

Programming

Languages & Development Tools

Languages	Java, Android, SQL, Web (HTML, PHP, Javscript), C, Python, JSON, XML, LaTeX
Tools	Android Studio, Google App Engine, Git, Jenkins
Libraries/Frameworks	Robospice, Retrofit, ButterKnife, Facebook API, Google Plus API, Picasso, PHP Slim

Experience

Professional Experience

2011 – June 2015 **Lumber Yard Sales Associate**, *8th Street Co-op Home Centre*, Saskatoon, SK.
Worked in the lumber yard part-time while attending University.
Filled orders, Received stock orders and placed into inventory, Operated fork lift, Assisted customers, Operated sales till at the lumber check out, Helped train new employees, Maintained lumber yard. Maintained Saskatchewan Forklift Certification.

May 2014 – Aug 2014 **Labourer**, *Trepp Construction*, Martensville, SK.
General labourer assisting in construction of garages, fences, decks, demolition. Assisted in renovation of Federated Co-operatives Limited Building.

Volunteer Experience

Feb 2014 **Volunteer**, *Mennonite Disaster Service*, Far Rockaway, New York.
Clean up and construction in homes damaged by Hurricane Sandy.

References

Randy Boehm
- Store Manager
- Saskatoon Coop - 8th St Home Centre
- 2010 8th Street East, Saskatoon, SK
- (P) - 306 933-3815

Zane Redekopp
- Co-Owner
- Trepp Construction
- Martensville, SK
- (P) - 306 250-9686

Greg Wiens
- Pastor and Volunteer Team Leader
- Waldheim Mennonite Brethren Church
- Waldheim, SK
- (P) - 306 945-7245