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EDUCATION

Loyola University Chicago

Bachelor of Science in Computer Science

GPA: 3.84/4.00, Dean's List for 6 semesters

Coursework: Discrete Math, Obj-Oriented Programming, Data Structures and Algorithms, Operating Systems, Design and Analysis of Computer Algorithms, Network Security

PROJECTS

Discord Bot (Python, CTA Train Tracker API)

September 2023

- Utilized Python Discord library to design a bot that processes commands in chat
- Implemented CTA Train Tracker API to retrieve accurate train arrival times
- Processes API response using BeautifulSoup, converts time using datetime

Cybersecurity Education Site (Python Django, Auth0, Research project)

September 2023 - Present

Expected Graduation: May 2024

- Information about cyber attacks and defenses stored in relational Django models
- Django views/models shown using Django REST framework
- Auth0 used to implement secure and unique experience for users

Hack and Slash Video Game (Pygame)

May 2023

- Used Pygame to create a full game with complete storyline and goal progression system
- Applied own interest in video games to create enjoyable gaming experience for players

Portfolio Website (Html, CSS, JavaScript)

August 2023

- Customized using HTML, CSS, and JavaScript

Experience/Activities

Loyola Chicago ITS Service Desk, Chicago - Technician

June 2022 - Present

- Delivered consistent exceptional technical service to 50+ customers per shift at peak times
- Received phone calls, answered customer emails, diagnosed technological issues, maintained systems
- Assisted customers with hardware and applications for various devices with different operating systems
- Monitored ticketing system, created 50+ tickets per shift with no errors, helped train 10+ new employees

Cultural Dance Coordinator, Chicago - *Coordinator*

September 2022 - May 2023

- Helped choreograph a dance which earned us first place in a dance competition, Battle of the Bamboo
- Managed a diverse group of 70+ students, prioritizing teamwork, discipline, and cultural appreciation
- Provided mentorship and support to individual dancers, helping them with skills and confidence
- Facilitated communication among team members, while accepting critiques on the dance

KO Kung Fu, San Jose - Student Instructor

October 2016 - March 2020

- Collaborated with fellow instructors to implement innovative teaching methods
- Utilized experience-driven approaches to analyze students' abilities and adapt teaching strategies
- Demonstrated commitment by persevering through long hours of martial arts training
- Delivered high-energy performances under pressure to progress through belt ranks

Skills

Programming languages: Python, Java, C, HTML, CSS, JavaScript (React.js), Assembly, SQL

Development and Tools: Linux, Git