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Work Experience

JAN 2019 – PRESENT

Akamai Technologies
DevOps Intern

- Implemented tools to help automate release, deployment, monitoring and operations activities.
- Effectively communicated designs, implementation and test plans within the team to create automation/DevOps solutions.
- Gained experience with Python and configuration frameworks, including Terraform and Ansible.

JULY 2018 – JAN 2019

InComm
Software Development Intern

- Worked in an agile environment to develop a Configuration API that uses feature toggles to allow teams to deliver new product features rapidly and safely.
- Gained experience with .NET, F#, Saturn, and Giraffe.

FEB 2016 – JUNE 2018

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Paralegal

- Conducted detailed case reviews, scheduled conferences, docketed deadlines, and updated the case management system.
- Created and implemented work processes for paralegals.

Education

Portland State University
Master of Science, Computer Science, *in progress*

Washington State University
Bachelor of Arts, English, Graduated *Cum Laude* in 2011

Life Philosophy

" We do not need magic to change the world, we carry all the power we need inside ourselves already:
we have the power to imagine better."

— J.K. Rowling

Most Proud of My

Courage
to participate in my first hackathon, We Code (for Good), where our team won People's Choice.

Persistence and growth
in pursuing an education in computer science while balancing work, striving to bring value to my team, and seeking out learning opportunities.

Determination
to summit Mt. St. Helens and South Sister, which was a long-time dream of mine.

I've Got Some Skills

MORE

Java, C/C++, F#, .NET, Git, VS Code, Vim, LaTeX, SQL

SOME

Python, AWS, Ansible, Terraform, JavaScript, Unit Testing, API Testing, JUnit, GDB, Unix/Linux Systems Administration

Passions

- Reading
- Hiking, backpacking, fire lookouts
- Finding cool new text editor extensions