

# CATHERINE CHEN

COMPUTER ENGINEERING STUDENT

## CONTACT



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## SKILLS

Languages: Java, C++, Python, C#, HTML, CSS, JavaScript

- Fast learner and hard - working

- Committed, trustworthy and organized

- Fluent in English and Limited Working Proficiency in Mandarin

- Proficient with Microsoft Office and Adobe Programs

## INTERESTS

- Playing a variety of sports from volleyball to badminton

- Drawing and trying different styles

## VOLUNTEER EXPERIENCE

### MILLENNIUM

*Chair*

September 2016 - July 2019

- Lead team of twenty to organize the annual technology conference
- Oversaw all aspects of the organization to guarantee effective communication and collaboration among executive and general members

### YOUTH ACHIEVING SUCCESS ORGANIZATION

*Director of Logistics*

June 2014 - August 2019

- Kept track of expenses with Excel to ensure the budget is being met
- Contacted venues and catering options
- Managed a team of ten to raise money and advertise conferences

### PROJECT PULSE

*Director of Marketing*

September 2016 - July 2019

- Designed posters and set up event pages
- Lead twenty people to organize fundraisers and advertise for the conference by hosting workshops and information sessions

## PROJECT

### MUSICAL LIGHTS

November 2019

Used an Arduino, RGB LED strips and microphone to make an audio visualizer

### MAGAZINE

February 2019

Designed magazine covers, photo gallery and article pages using Photoshop

### PERSONAL PORTFOLIO

January 2018

Created a website in Dreamweaver using HTML and CSS to curate Animate, Photoshop and Illustrator pieces

## WORK EXPERIENCE

### KUMON NORTH AMERICA, INC.

*Instructor and Administrative Assistant*

May 2016 - August 2019

- Taught children aged between four and ten Math and Reading
- Filled in for any positions needed including marking classwork and homework, overseeing tests and answering questions from parents

### SELF - EMPLOYED

*Music Teacher*

June 2014 - August 2019

- Instructed piano and violin performance to over ten students aged between seven and twelve
- Taught level five through nine Rudiments and History music theory

### SELF - EMPLOYED

*Freelance Graphic Designer*

May 2018 - March 2019

- Designed and digitized traditional and physical art pieces, logos and labels for start - up companies using Photoshop and Illustrator
- Contributed to website design elements including favicons and banners

## AWARDS AND CERTIFICATION

### PARK MILLER AWARD

June 2019

Given to one graduating female student who exhibited athletic ability and team spirit

### GE STAR AWARD

April 2019

\$3000 USD scholarship awarded to four students across Canada and USA who demonstrate excellence in academic achievement and community service

### THE ASSOCIATE DIPLOMA OF THE ROYAL

October 2017

### CONSERVATORY OF MUSIC IN PIANO PERFORMANCE

Highest academic standing awarded by the RCM Certificate Program

## EDUCATION

### UNIVERSITY OF WATERLOO

Waterloo, ON

*Bachelor of Applied Science in Computer*

September 2019 - Present

*Engineering, Co - Op*

- Activities: UWiSTEM, UW Hip Hop, UW World Vision
- President's Scholarship