

# Cindy Miao

## EXPERIENCE

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### Unmanned Aircraft Systems – UBC Design Team

September 2019 – Present

*Software Team Member*

*Vancouver, BC*

- Construct sub-components of the aircraft's software system using Python; use Docker to containerize completed functions; involve continuous team discussion
- Developed a script to retrieve and download images every second from a server using HTTP requests
- Implemented a collision avoidance algorithm which predicts whether two aircrafts are likely to collide given their respective flight paths; utilized Django's database API to retrieve past flight data and create SQL database records for testing

### Idea Lab Kids

July 2019 – August 2019

*STEM Summer Camp Teacher*

*Richmond, BC*

- Taught coding, 3D-printing, and science to classes of 3-12 elementary and high school students
- Fostered student interest in STEM through project-based lessons, including car design in CAD, block-code writing, and various science experiments
- Developed lesson slides from the curriculum to help students gain an in-depth understanding of concepts

## PROJECTS

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### Mood (nwHacks) – React/Bootstrap/Ruby on Rails

January 2019

- Constructed a web application that allows users to set their mood and battle monsters by doing positive tasks
- Developed responsive pages with React and Bootstrap, including the login screen and user homepage
- Drew illustrations in Adobe Photoshop to create an appealing user interface

### Wikipedia Server – Java

December 2019

- Designed and implemented an abstract data type that provides requested pages from Wikipedia using an API and returns usage statistics; optimized service via caching
- Built a multi-threaded server that uses the data type to handle requests; received and returned JSON strings
- Ensured usage statistics were saved after server shutdown by serialization of the data type to a JSON file

### Kamino Game – Java

November 2019

- Constructed a game in which a spaceship must search through a graph of ~200 connected planets for the planet Kamino and return to Earth in the shortest time possible
- Made a generic graph abstract data type; implemented algorithms like Dijkstra's algorithm and depth-first search
- Wrote test cases in JUnit to thoroughly test the data type and the game

## EDUCATION

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### University of British Columbia

Expected May 2022

*Bachelor of Applied Science in Computer Engineering*

*Vancouver, BC*

- Dean's Honor List: 2018 – 2019
- Orientation Leader; Writer for the official student newspaper, *the Ubyyssey*

## SKILLS & INTERESTS

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### Computer Skills:

Java

JavaScript

Python

C/C++

HTML/CSS

React

Git/GitHub

Docker

Django

Assembly

Linux

Verilog

- **Interests:** blogging; urban sketching; ping-pong; badminton; piano