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PROJECTS

💻 Model UN Interface

Web Application

📅 August 2017 – Ongoing

- Organizes key information about a Model UN conference in a cohesive manner for all members to see
- Uses HTML, CSS, Javascript, jQuery, Bootstrap
- implemented at 3+ Model UN conferences across Halton

💻 Crowd Control

Web Application

📅 January 2019

- Reduces disorganization by allowing users and organizers to create a digital queuing system
- Uses Twilio, React, Flask, Axios and SQLite

💻 SimpleFinance

Web Application

📅 November 2017 – Ongoing

- A web app aimed at teaching young students the importance of personal financial literacy
- Uses React, Redux, Firebase, Bootstrap
- Currently researching trends to determine target market

EXPERIENCE

Web Designer

Orai

📅 May 2016 – June 2016 📍 Philadelphia, PA (Remote)

- Designed a landing page for Orai's public speaking improvement app
- Integrated key principles and co-coordinated with other team members to create a cohesive design
- Used jQuery UI and best practices

Tutor

Academy of Math and English

📅 July 2018 – August 2018 📍 Burlington, ON

- Instructed students in mathematical and scientific topics
- Constructed interactive lessons to engage students with the content
- Increased student confidence in areas where they were originally uncertain

SKILLS

Python JavaScript HTML5

CSS C# Scheme

React Node.JS Express.JS

MongoDB Unity Flask SCSS

Babel Webpack Office Git

EDUCATION

Candidate for Bachelor of Computer Science

University of Waterloo, Waterloo

📅 Fall 2018– Ongoing

- Specialization in Software Engineering
- Minor in Economics and Entrepreneurship

LEADERSHIP

VP of Finance

Waterloo-Laurier Ismaili Student Association

📅 January 2019 - Ongoing

- Optimized profit through implementation of cost saving techniques
- Allocated funds efficiently to run events with high turnouts from members

Student Representative

City of Burlington Model UN Committee

📅 October 2016 – Ongoing

- Create an interactive experience for students to explore Global Politics
- Developed tools to help train volunteers and manage conference

LANGUAGES

English
French

