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Relevant Experience

RythmHacks - Finance Team Lead	Jan. 2024 - Present
- Creates sponsor packages, budgets, and emails	
- Seeks sponsorships, applies for grants	
SproutHacks - Co-founder and Co-lead	Sep. 2023 - Present
- Manages budgets, sponsorship packages and inquiries, and grant applications	
- Has raised over \$1,300 in funding	
- Aids in graphic design and web development	
WCI DECA - Orals Workshop Officer	Jun. 2023 - Present
- Creates and teaches weekly workshops on various business topics	
WCI Tutoring Club - Communications and Outreach Director	Jun. 2023 - Present
- Manages club communications by email and Google Classroom	
Schoolhouse.org - Certified Peer Tutor and Peer Reviewer	Sep. 2023 - Present
- Certified in various math and science topics, tutoring students from 4 countries	
- Provides feedback on tutor sessions, helps tutors learn and improve	
WCI Chess Club - Executive	May 2023 - Present
- Manages weekly chess club meetings and planning inter-school tournaments	
Awards and Achievements	

- Averages top 97th percentile
- 2-time honour-roll recipient, 8-time distinction recipient
- Waterloo Collegiate Institute CTMC team member (Jan. 2024 Present)

DECA

- First overall at DECA Regionals (Nov. 2023)
- Top 15 exam at DECA Provincials (Feb. 2023)

Hackathon Experience	Programming Languages	Certifications
RythmHacks (Sep. 2023) IgnitionHacks (Aug. 2023) JamHacks (Jun. 2023) - Best Beginner Hack	Python, HTML, CSS, Javascript, Processing	Python Professional: Python Institute Generative AI: Microsoft Data Analyst: LinkedIn Learning
	Professional Experience	
Soccer Referee - Waterloo Minor Soccer Club Hockey Referee - Waterloo Minor Hockey Association		Jul. 2020 - Present Sep. 2022 - Present
	Education	

Waterloo Collegiate Institute

Ongoing high school extended french diploma

Sep. 2021 - Jun. 2025