Derek Wang

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SUMMARY

- Enthusiastic and quick-learner of programming and software development technologies
- Well-rounded individual with vibrant extracurriculars in sports and arts
- Positive member who can work independently or collaboratively in a team
- Goal-oriented and self-motivated person with resilience and strong problem-solving skills
- Excellent educating and communications skills developed by being Academic Assistant at Kumon and as a private snowboarding coach

EDUCATION

University of British Columbia

Bachelor of Science - Major in Computer Science

Straight A's First Year

Anticipated 2027

EXPERIENCE

PARTICIPANT OF NWPLUS HACKCAMP 2023 & NWHACKS 2024

- Collaborated with fellow developers in group setting to build full-fledged websites
- CSS, HTML, JavaScript integration

ACADEMIC ASSISTANT, KUMON CANADA, PORT MOODY — FEB 2022 - APR 2023

- Marked students' homework and in-class work
- Provided constructive feedback to students to maximize academic growth
- Communicated with my colleagues about needs of different students

SNOWBOARD COACH, CYPRESS MOUNTAIN - PRIVATE

- CASI-ACMS Certified Level 1 Snowboard Instructor
- Instilled proper technical progression to complete beginners
- Combination of explanation, demonstration, and practice
- Responsibility of guiding students on the slopes in a safe and fun manner

LANGUAGE SKILLS

Fluent in both English & Chinese

QUALIFICATIONS & SKILLS

Solid working understanding of Data Structures and Algorithms

SWIFT

- Able to build fully-fledged iOS apps from scratch
- Familiar with Xcode & GitHub collaboration
- Experienced in constructing custom User Interfaces with SwiftUI
- Local data persistence with SwiftData
- Make API (Application Programming Interface) calls with URLSession & JSON Parsing

PYTHON & R

- Proficient in using Python & R for data wrangling & visualization

PROBLEM SOLVING

- Strong ability to break down problems
- Persevere to find solutions

PROJECTS USING SWIFT & SWIFTUI

IJOURNAL - IOS JOURNAL APP

- A CRUD app that allows users to attach photos and write about their day in entries
- Animations and gestures
- Sort & search functionalities
- Data flow & State management
- Local storage with SwiftData framework

RECIPINNED - IOS CULINARY APP

- A recipe search app that allows users to browse through online recipes
- Local persistence via *FileManager*
- WebSession calls to Edamame API
- JSON Parsing with Codable model
- Async/await & concurrency management

GITHUB: HTTPS://GITHUB.COM/DEREKWANGSZ

EXTRACURRICULARS

SOCCER (2014 - CURRENT)

- Port Moody Soccer Club, Metro Select League (2018 2023)
 - Boys U14 BC Provincial A Cup 2019 Champions

GUITAR (2015 - CURRENT)

- Heritage Woods Secondary School: Outstanding Musician 2023
- Whistler Con Brio Festival 2023: Jazz Band Gold Award