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#### **EDUCATION**

# University of Puerto Rico at Mayagüez

Bachelor's in Computer Science and Engineering

• **Relevant Coursework**: Data Structures, Algorithms, Software Testing, Programming Languages, Computer Architecture, Automata and Formal Languages, Systems of Databases, Operating Systems, Computer Networks

### **SKILLS**

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

**Frameworks / Libraries**: Unity Engine, Django, React, React Native, Node.js, MERN, Discord API, SQLite, Flask, Pandas **Tools**: Github, MongoDB, Express, Git, Visual Studios, VSCode, Notion, Jira, Trello, Slack, Teams, Blender, OBS, Regex, Docker

General skills: Machine Learning, OOP, Databases, Networking, Game-Development, Analytics, Data Science

## **WORK EXPERIENCE**

Microsoft Jan. 2024 – Present

Software Developer (Capstone)

Remote

**Expected Graduation:** May 2024

- Implemented a fine-tuned **Copilot Al Chatbot** to help assist users with requesting and processing Microsoft Media images. Made using **C#** .**NET Framework** .
- Developed an API to generate responses using Microsoft's Semantic Kernel. Leveraged Azure Cognitive Service for context to generate responses.
- Prompt Engineered the Copilot to redirect the Al's behavior to better assist users.

Pocket Surf Dec. 2018 – Present

Founder and Publisher

Isabela, PR

- Founded and Engineered an interactive surfing game using the Unity Engine in **C#**, built for Android and IOS platforms, **available in the Google Play Store and App Store** under the name **Pocket Surf**.
- Over 2000+ global downloads and growing across multiple countries. Implements monetization strategies for monetary acquisition.

Commvault May. 2022 – Dec. 2022

Software Engineer Intern

Tinton Falls, NJ

- Developed **back-end software** for users to connect to External Credential Managers (e.g. CyberArk, Azure Key Vault, Hashicorp), **increasing accessibility** for Commvault clients.
- Operated with a group of developers under an **Agile Environment**, using languages such as: C++, SQL, Java, and Python.
- Crafted and presented a PowerPoint presentation in front of colleagues, **explaining the benefits** of External Credential Managers and how they can be used alongside Commvault software.

## **PROJECTS**

# **PandaHat Adversarial**

- Implemented existing Adversarial Attacks such as the One-Pixel Attack and Carlini/Wagner.
- Performed cooperative Literature Reviews on such attacks, analyzing the patterns and nuances.
- Fine-tuned and tested **Pre-trained Models** (E.g. Resnet-50, ViT, etc) on **Datasets** (CIFAR-10, ImageNet, etc) on varies attacks leveraging **Python** and **PyTorch**. Research advised by **Prof. Nayda Santiago**.

#### **DodgeCreeper**

• Developed a **Minecraft Server Plugin** that handles the creation and execution of a game of Dodge Ball between players. Contains multiple features such as Automatic Arena Creation, Spawn Point Handlers, PowerUps, and more. Written in **Java** and implements **Object Oriented Programming** practices.

# **Robot Mining Network**

 Programmed using Lua a Server-Client Model that handles robot entities within Minecraft that allows for area Scanning, Path-finding, and Acquisition of resources within an environment. A master server keeps cached memory of the world and asynchronously sends out instructions to multiple client robots.

## **EXTRA-CURRICULAR**

- 2nd Place in Lockhheed Martin 2023 Al and Machine Learning Hackathon.
- 4th Place in JPMorgan and Chase 2021 Resiliency virtual Hackathon.
- Active competitive surfer, member of the UPRM Surf Association directive.