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Skills

- Programming/Python, Java, C++, JavaScript, SQL
- Web Development / Django, Node.js, Express, React, MongoDB, HTML, CSS
- Tools / Git, Npm, Ubuntu, Heroku, AWS S3, GDB, BeautifulSoup, pandas, FFmpeg, Qt

Experience

Fall 2016 Software Design Engineer, Evertz Microsystems

- o Built preview feature of the Evertz FilePlayer (video player for digital replay) from scratch
- Optimized FilePlayer by using database only when users seek in a video, reducing bandwidth usage by 20%
- o Integrated FilePlayer via JSON RPC to allow for compatibility with back-end APIs
- o Revamped logging architecture to optimize workflows that slow performance

Winter 2016 Software Engineer, TVR Communications

- Reduced load time and database usage of Channel Lineup page by 50% through efficient querying and caching
- o Implemented sorting feature to order channels based on consumer demographics
- o Added cloning feature for channels across locations, reducing time to deploy new builds
- Built admin dashboard from scratch including back-end API to produce SQL scripts

Projects

FadeawayHoops.com - Python, Django, PostgreSQL, scikit-learn, Heroku, AWS S3

- o NBA Website with a focus on Statistics and Machine Learning to predict key stats for the season
- Implemented web-scraping functionality using BeautifulSoup to display real-time data such as standings, stats and news

BlazeSMS - Node.js, MongoDB, Twilio API

- o Patient management service which schedules Doctor's appointments via text message
- Created custom scheduling algorithm to detect conflicts with appointment requests

BoardScribe - Python, Clarifai, Tesseract, Django

- Online educational platform enabling students to transcribe pictures of notes via image recognition
- Implemented Tesseract.js with Clarifai API to identify letters and train model for OCR
- Built web app using Python, Django and PostgreSQL with features like student login, authentication and sharing of notes

Education

2020 BASc in Systems Design Engineering, University of Waterloo

- o Data Structures and Algorithms (Java/Python)
- Introduction to Programming (C++)
- o Digital Systems (Arduino)

Interests

Hackathons, NBA, Working Out, Podcasts, Sports Media, Biology, Machine Learning