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EXPERIENCE

Associate Software Engineer, Publicis Sapient

Sep 2022 - Present

Java Developer

- Developed Java Spring Boot REST APIs for 21.5 million digital customer account journeys at one of the top 4 UK banks.
- Implemented connections to Cassandra No-SQL databases, Db2 IBM databases and developed scripts for stored procedures. These endpoints were built based on customer requirements and use cases.
- Fixing production incidences e.g. an API gateway misconfiguration fix leading to 42% reduction in errors.
- Built the resilience solution to a new SoE by building a streaming pipeline as part of a data migration process using **Kafka** and **CDC**. One consumer alone of this SoE has between £50,000 to £5 million in investable assets.

Web Developer (Pro-bono project)

- Re-designing a website to make it easily maintainable for the client hosting it on **Wordpress** Developed an accessible **UI** with **HTML**, **CSS**, **JavaScript** and **PHP** based on designs in **Figma**. Web load time reduced 28%, and donations increase 15% since the first launch of the new site.

Experience Web Accessibility Designer, Ingram Valley

Feb 2022 - June 2022

- Developed a website report detailing WCAG web accessibility breeches and suggested improvements as well as steps for implementation that would **increase the accessibility by 60%**.
- Designed high fidelity wireframes and plan of action for when the company has budget for a website re-design.

NOTABLE PROJECTS

BioPredX: ML Cancer Detection Pipeline

Apr 2020 - Aug 2021

- Building a **machine learning** pipeline with **recursive feature elimination** to predict biomarker(s) associated with cancer. Predictive markers were generated from next genome sequencing data of biological samples (diseased and healthy).
- Developed the pipeline in python, using **ML** libraries e.g. **scikit learn** and **imbalance learn** and containerised the pipeline using **Docker**.
- Achieved an **improved prediction by 28**% with RFE when biomarkers were predicted in combination compared to individual biomarkers

NeuroTone: Biotherapeutic iGEM Competition

Jun 2020 - Nov 2020

- Part of a team of students competing in a global synthetic competition to synthetically engineer a
- biotherapeutic to delay the onset of neurodegenerative diseases. Collaborated with universities across the globe organising virtual events, workshops and a **podcast on Spotify**. Collaborated with math students to improve an existing computational model to understand the behaviour of the targeted bacterium under simulated conditions. The improvements were built using a **python** library **COBRApy**.

 Built the website for the project, a key project deliverable for judging using **HTML**, **CSS**, **JavaScript**. Achieve a **gold award** in the biotherapeutic division out of **249 teams globally**.

EDUCATION

Master of Science in Computer Science

Sep 2019 - Oct 2020

University of Newcastle, Distinction 81%

Key modules include Database Systems, Advanced Java programming, Group Project

Bachelor of Biology

Aug 2015 - Aug 2019

University of Nottingham, First 71%

Key Modules: Bioinformatics with R, Human Physiology, Microbiology and Disease.

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

- Programming languages: Java, Python, R, HTML, CSS, JavaScript, TypeScript, SQL.
- Languages: English, Cantonese (native)
- Certifications: Azure Fundamentals AZ-900
- Awards/Activities: Google TechMaker Speaker (2023), Publicis Sapient Core Value Award learning mindset (2023), PS Hackathon semi-finalist (2023), Course Representative Most Improved School (2021), iGEM Gold Award (2020)