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Education

University of Waterloo

Candidate for Bachelor of Computer Science | 3.8 GPA

Present - 2026

Waterloo, ON

Experience

Frontend Developer

August 2023 - Present

Government Services Integration Cluster - Ministry of Public & Business Service Delivery

Remote

- Leading front-end and back-end development of Ontario websites, utilizing Jamstack architecture with Nunjucks, Eleventy, and Alpine, to support millions of users per day.
- Took initiative to implement a modular component design, breaking complex functionality into reusable components thus simplifying code organization, resulting in a 40% increase in development speed.
- Driving improvements by resolving ASP.NET & Angular UI bugs, enhancing user experience by 30%.

April 2023 - August 2023 IT Assistant

Ontario Ministry - Ministry of Economic Development, Job Creation and Trade

Toronto, ON

- Designed and developed an IT Billing Power App, leveraging Microsoft Dataverse and Power Automate flows, to automate billing, returns, and disposal of IT assets, saving over 100 hours of manual effort.
- Decreased Power Bi application loading speed by 25% by automating the data extraction process.

Projects

Travel Trove React.js, Express.js, Node.js, GPT, APIs

- Architected a GPT-powered full-stack app for personalized dream vacation itineraries based on user descriptions.
- Optimized API integrations, resulting in a 20% increase in API speed and a 25% reduction in API errors.
- Developed a RESTful API using Node.js and Express to streamline data extraction and processing.

StatCan Data Extractor Python, SQL, Docker, AWS

- Engineered a comprehensive data extraction and transformation pipeline to manage and process large datasets, and convert to parquet (500GB+) for storage optimization and schema information to be stored.
- Utilized AWS services for efficient data storage and retrieval, enhancing the overall system's scalability.
- Developed an automated function for executing SQL queries on delta files, reducing API calls by 80%.

DermDetect 🗹 | Vertex AI, PaLM 2, Streamlit, GCP

- Developed a skin disease classification tool with an 86% accuracy trained on over 15,000 skin images.
- Created a segmentation model using degeneration points to outline skin lesions achieving a 78% accuracy.
- Built in feature scaling and data normalization, reducing pre-processing and model training time by 35%.
- Leveraged a confusion matrix to identify points where the model under-performed, and addressed this limitations by integrating additional training data improving overall accuracy by 10%.

Borealis AI - Stroke Calculator 🗹 | Python, Dash, Poetry, NumPy, TensorFlow, PyTorch, Scikit-learn

- Created and trained a binary classification model for stroke-prediction using a random-forest classification algorithm that had a 93% accuracy, based on analysis of over 430,000 data points.
- Performed data visualization, such as heat maps, and created a distribution-based clustering algorithm to identify variables with the highest correlation to stroke.
- Discovered a strong correlation between BMI and stroke risk, prompting for additional research on factors.

Technical Skills

Languages: Python, Java, C/C++, SQL, HTML/CSS, JavaScript, TypeScript, LaTex, Bash/Shell, R

Frameworks: Git, React, js, Angular, Node. js, Express. js, Linux, Bootstrap, TensorFlow, PyTorch, NumPy, Scikit-learn, Keras, OpenCV, Bootstrap, AWS, Azure, Google Cloud, Docker

Tools: Visual Studio Code, RESTful APIs, MySQL, SQL Server Management Studio, Jupyter Notebook, Notion, Figma