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## EDUCATION

Sep 2020 – May 2023  
Montreal, Canada   **B.Sc. Physics, McGill University**  
Various chemistry electives  
Partial computer science minor completed

Aug 2018 – May 2020  
Quebec City, Canada   **DEC Pure and Applied Sciences, CEGEP Champlain St-Lawrence**

## PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Jul 2022 – present  
Quebec City, Canada   **Pension Buyback Technician, Ministère de la Cybersécurité et du Numérique** [🔗](#)  
• Financial data manipulation and data entry  
• Task automation with Python (PyPDF4, OCR)

May 2020 – Jun 2021  
Quebec City, Canada   **Support Technician, Crobel/Batteries Expert** [🔗](#)  
• Car charger installations, car battery changes, battery installation in offgrid RVs  
• Custom battery pack building/repair/maintenance, custom electronic repairs  
• Solar energy setups from scratch (200W-2000W), industrial cabling

## SKILLS

### Electronics

Circuit design and assembly, industrial and residential cabling, solar projects setup, Arduino and microcontrollers. Digital gates, digital/analog control, KiCad.

### Programming

Python (TensorFlow, Numpy, opencv2, scipy, Flask, Django), Rust, Java, C++ ( Vulkan, OpenGL) make, C#, Unity, HTML, cmake, sqlite3/MySQL, ffmpeg. Agile and Scrum methodology

## RESEARCH

Sep 2022 – Jan 2023  
Montreal, Canada   **ALBATROS, Supervisor H. Cynthia Chiang** [🔗](#)  
• Used electronics skills to modify a Starlink RV unit to work on DC and bypass the router  
• Set up an error detection algorithm across a large range of frequencies and polarizations [🔗](#)

## PROJECTS

### McHacks 2023 - Montreal Hackathon, Musclee

- Developed a workout tracking app over 24 hours using Flask, Sqlite3, HTML, Python, and CSS.
- Solved CSE's *crackme* challenge.

### Scandium

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A fully self-written in-development game engine relying solely on GML, Vulkan, and C++.

### Handwritten LaTeX

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A personal project which leverages machine learning and image recognition to transform my handwriting to LaTeX code. Uses Numpy, TensorFlow, and opencv2.

### Chaosball - McGameJam 2021

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Singleplayer 3D action game developed for the McGill Game Jam 2021 in 45 hours. Won 3rd place.

### Solar power

Custom modular 500W solar-powered sonar for the Coast Guard, 1500W solar offgrid setup for a customer's cottage (approx. 160 Ah of batteries along with cabling, protection equipment, etc.)

### Home lab

Set up a NAS on a LAN network along with a OpenVPN to access the LAN network securely from the outside. Added a Raspberry Pi to act as a local DNS along with Pi-hole. Added a remote server with WoL functionality running Ubuntu server edition. Worked with multiple VPS in order to set up services for games, Mediawiki and syncing files across devices.

## LANGUAGES

**French**  
Native

**English**  
Native

**Russian**  
Basic

## COURSES

**Computer Science** - 208 (Prog. for Eng. and Phys. Sci.) | 250 (Intro. to Comp. Sci. [Java]) | 273 (Intro. to Computer Systems [Assembly/MIPS]) | 322 (Intro to C++ [C++]) | 557 (Computer Graphics [C++])

**Physics** - 328 (Electronics) | 432 (Physics of Fluids) | 534 (Nanotechnology) | 521 (Astrophysics)

**Chemistry** - 204 (Physical Chemistry) | 212 (Organic Chemistry I)