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Software Engineering

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Summary of Qualifications

- 3 years of experience with Java development on Android, Node.is, Angular.is and Web design
- Developed and released 15 Android utilities and games (natively and using Apache Cordova)
- Comfortable with Python, PHP, C and C# development as well as working with git, Linux and design (Photoshop)
- Proficient in English, French and Mandarin Chinese

My Experience

SchedulingDirect, Montreal

Summer 2014

Android Developer

- Acquired teamwork experience while working in conjunction with the web service team at a local startup company
- Worked on the Android application programming and UI/UX design

Art For Healing Foundation, Montreal

Summer 2014 - present

Web designer

- Revamped and currently maintaining a website powered by WordPress for a local NGO

Marianopolis Robotics Team, Montreal

Sept. 2013 - Feb. 2014

Robot programmer and Web designer

- Built the school team website and worked on robot autonomous navigation using ROBOTC.

My Projects

Android Development 🖷

- Published 15 Android applications, including games and utility apps, over 3 years
- Released 6 open source apps and libraries on GitHub

SleepyTime — Popular sleep planning and scheduling application on Android used by over 400 000 users

Notable — Lightweight reminder app that makes use of the Android notification area used by over 300 000 users

TakeABreak — Location-aware tool to find nearby bathrooms and water fountains using open data from OpenStreetMap

- Winning project at Canadawide science fair 2014

EarthGuesser — Google Street View inspired trivia game using Google Maps SDK

Metal Sniffer — Metal Detector app using the built-in compass

Web Development 🚱

- Experience with both front-end and back-end development, especially with Angular.js, Node.js, and Python (Flask)

WatInfoSession - Open source Apache Cordova/Ionic app to find job info sessions on the uWaterloo Campus

- Built web scraper and API to serve content to app in Node.js

WatAreFriends — Hackathon project to calculate school-work schedules for UW Coop students in Node.js CVPress — LinkedIn Resume generator for Hack the North built using Node.js

My Education

Candidate for Bachelor of Software Engineering

2014 - 2019 (expected)

University of Waterloo, Ontario

- GPA: 3.6 (83%)
- Involved with the UW AppDev club in Android app projects

Diploma of Collegial Studies in Science

2012 - 2014

Marianopolis College, Montreal, Quebec (CEGEP)

- Average: 88%
- President of the photography and computer science clubs & part of CRC robotics team and science fair club

My Awards

- 2014: Graduated CEGEP on the Honour Roll in the Honours Pure & Applied Science program
- 2014: Bronze medal at Canadawide Science Fair, Silver Medal at Expo-Science Hydro-Quebec for work on TakeABreak
- 2014: 1st place in CRC Robotics competition
- 2014: 1st place at Google Developer Group Montreal Hackathon for an Android Wear application