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1B Software Engineering

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Summary

- Experience with Java, Android Development, Node.js, Angular.js and Web design
- Comfortable with Python, PHP, C and C# development
- Deeply passionate about all things technology
- Three years of Java programming experience, especially on the Android platform
- Proficient written and verbal communicator in English, French and Mandarin Chinese

My Experience

SchedulingDirect

Summer 2014

Android Developer

- Designed UX as well as interfacing with the web service API at a local startup company
- Acquired teamwork experience while working in conjunction with the web service team

Art For Healing Foundation

Summer 2014 - present

Web designer

- Redesigned and is maintaining a website powered by WordPress for a local NGO based in Montreal, Canada

Marianopolis Robotics Team

Sept. 2013 - Feb. 2014

Robot programmer and Web designer

- Worked on school team website and robot programming in ROBOTC.

My Projects

Android Development



- Published 15 [Android applications](#), including games and utility apps
- 3 years of experience with Java/Android and 1 year of experience with Cordova development
- Released 6 open sourced apps and libraries on GitHub

[SleepyTime](#)

- A sleep planning and scheduling application on Android
- Used by over 400 000 users worldwide

[Notable](#)

- A lightweight reminder app that makes use of the Android notification area
- Used by over 300 000 users worldwide

[TakeABreak](#)

- A location aware tool to find nearby bathrooms and water fountains using open data from OpenStreetMap
- Winning project at Canadawide science fair 2014

EarthGuesser

- A Google Street View inspired trivia game using Google Maps SDK.

Metal Sniffer

- A metal Detector app using the built-in compass

Web Development



- Experience with both frontend and backend development, especially with Angular.js, Node.js, and Python (Flask)

WatInfoSession

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

WatAreFriends

- Hackathon project to calculate school-work schedules for UW Coop students

CVPress

- Resume generator for Hack the North
- Scrapes information from LinkedIn, if desired

My Education

Candidate for Bachelor of Software Engineering

2014 - present

University of Waterloo, Ontario

- Expected to graduate in 2019

Diploma of Collegial Studies

2012 - 2014

Marianopolis College, Montreal, Quebec (CEGEP)

- President of the photography and computer science clubs for two terms
- Involved in the planning of various campus activities and club workshops
- Part of the school CRC robotics team and science fair club

My Awards

- **2014:** Received the Merit entrance scholarship at the University of Waterloo
- **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

My Hobbies

Photography - Electronics - Reading - Geocaching - Hiking - Biking - Food Enthusiast - Rock Music