# **Iverson Ruffin**

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## **SUMMARY**

Dedicated Software Engineer graduate from the University of North Carolina at Charlotte with a proven track record of effectively communicating complex technical concepts to diverse audiences through presentations, workshops at NC State University, and classroom settings. Strong interpersonal skills coupled with a passion for technology, creativity, and innovation. Ability to be agile in difficult settings and developing solutions to complex problems through software and team cooperation.

#### **EDUCATION**

University of North Carolina at Charlotte Charlotte, NC Bachelor of Science in Computer Science Date: 12/15/2023

**Relevant Coursework:** Data Structures and Algorithms, Software Engineering, Software Development, Game Design and Development, Technical Communication

#### **WORK EXPERIENCE**

NC State University SRCA(Socially Relevant Computing and Analytics) Research

Undergraduate Researcher Full-Time Intern

May 2023 - July 2023

- Constructed STEM camp curriculum for underrepresented groups in STEM fields, specifically computer science
- Collaborated with graduate and undergraduate students to create presentations focused on relating technical concepts to teaching methods with research practices.
- Conducted research with camp students, and presented research findings at Summer Symposium

# CodeRev Kids Charlotte, NC

June 2022 - July 2022

Full-Time Summer Instructor

• Taught 80+ kids (about 20 per week through 4 weeks), aged 8-14, about the basics of coding and how to code by utilizing video games:

Minecraft(Java) - writing scripts in Java to manipulate game aspects

Roblox(Lua) - writing scripts in Lua to design different levels

Robotics(Arduino) - programming robots to drive and interact with environment through sensors

- Collaborated with co-workers to organize child-friendly lesson plans for kids to demonstrate their coding skills
- Split kids up into groups in order to increase their comfortability with sharing projects and ideas with their peers

## **PROJECTS**

#### Portfolio/Personal Website

January 2024

Web Design (second link at the top)

- Developed portfolio website using Bootstrap, HTML/CSS/JS to design pages and page interactions.
- Website features an assortment of artwork, a link to my CV, and an about page for informing viewers about my brand and background.

Code-to-Go Fall 2023

Software Development Projects

- Developed an online code repository called "Code-to-Go" that allows users to upload and pull snippets of code from their account(Agile project groups)
- Made for teachers, students, and programmers to seamlessly keep track of code snippets and gather feedback from other

# users

• Includes a VSCode extension which pulls individual code snippets from the repository into the VSCode IDE

# **TECHNICAL SKILLS**

- Languages: Java, C++, Python, HTML/CSS/JavaScript, mySQL
- IDE uses: Apache Netbeans, Visual Studio Code, jGrasp, Virtual Machine, GameMaker