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EDUCATION

Lighthouse Jan. 2022 to Labs Apr. 2022 Diploma - Web Development

McMaster Sept. 2014 to University Apr. 2018 Bachelors of Medical Radiation Sciences

SKILLS

LANGUAGES: TypeScript, JS, Node.js, Java, Python, HTML, CSS FRAMEWORKS & LIBRARIES: React.js, Redux, Express, Jest SYSTEMS, CMS & DATABASES: SQL, Git, Postgres, Firebase

EMPLOYMENT

MedEssist Software Engineer Toronto Jan. 2023 to Current

- Decreased app memory usage by 30-40% and shortening time to interactive by implementing lazy loading from scratch
- Led integrations of a two factor authentication system, setting up REST API endpoints and ensuring secure authentication using password encryption through Firebase Authentication Password Hashing
- Acted as **Co-op Manager**, providing mentorship by formulating growth plans through weekly 1-1s and hosting pair programming sessions
- Increased unit test coverage of legacy shipping code areas by **53**%, reducing bugs and improving developer productivity by reducing PR lag time
- Yielded a notable decrease in error rate and significant reduction in state update frequency by introducing Redux as a global state management solution
- Performed various Front End on-call rotations, smoke testing and deploying releases daily, and swiftly triaging and resolving developer-blocking CI/CD issues as they arise.

PROJECTS

React Pokemon Card Prices and Gallery

May 2022 to Current

- -> Real-time tracking Pokemon Card **application** using an API with links to purchase, check, or compare prices through TCGplayer
 - Front-end written in **TypeScript** using **React**, **Axios** calls are made to PokeAPI and **Pokemon Card API**
- API key used with Pokemon Card API for scalability, allowing for up to 20k calls a day
- **Postgres** used as database to store user's favourite cards and collection to get information about their collection worth

Mentor Me Mar. 2022

- -> Mentorship application developed in a group setting where eager developers can seek help from experienced developers for coding questions or to build their network
 - Front-end written in Javascript using React
 - Scheduling created using backend calls in Javascript to a Postgres database

AWARDS

Hack the 6ix Hackathon · Best Blockchain Project Using Hedera

Aug. 2022

- Created an NFT minter on a new **blockchain** technology in a pair programming setting over the course of a weekend
- Encrypted Node.js calls made to IPFS for secure retrieval of NFT images
- Back-end functions created in Javascript using Node.js using Hedera's developer tools