# Joseph DeGrand

# **EDUCATION**

**Rochester Institute of Technology** 

August 2017-May 2022

Bachelor of Science in Computer Science

Relevant Courses: Analysis of Algorithms, Concepts of Computer Systems, Mechanics of Programming, Principles of Data Management, Introduction to Artificial Intelligence, Concepts of Parallel and Distributed Systems, Graph Theory, Foundations of Computer Graphics

# WORK EXPERIENCE

tuit May 2021-August 2021

## Software Engineer Intern

- Worked on a dashboard to track statuses of pull requests with important updates to internal repositories, to be used by Program Managers
- Created the entire front-end in React and connected it to the backend
- Wrote backend in Java Spring which involved creating Java and GraphQL models, mutations, and queries and connecting to a MongoDB cluster. Also pulled data from GitHub and AWS Athena
- Learned how to write effective Mockito unit tests and how to architect my code in a readable and maintainable fashion

#### **Sandbox Union**

December 2020-May 2021 August 2021-Current

Part-Time Full-Stack Developer

- Developed websites for upcoming and local businesses
- Technologies used include Angular and TypeScript for front-end, Node.js and Sequelize for API calls and database management, and MariaDB with MySQL Workbench for data storage
- · Learned how to properly and efficiently structure a full-stack application

Intuit May 2020-December 2020

#### Software Engineer Co-Op

- · Worked on Intuit's Identity Platform Team using Java and Wavefront
- Extended an internal tool that pulls useful metrics from various services into a single dashboard to be used daily by Intuit's Identity Team
- Participated in Intuit's Global Engineering Week, where I worked with a new team to fix several address validation issues customers were experiencing

### **CHESS Health Solutions**

Jan 2020-May 2020

## Software Engineer Co-Op

- Contributed to the company's Android applications, all of which strive to help users with addiction recovery
- Used Android Studio with Java and XML
- Learned how implement UI in a way that worked across various types of phones and versions of Android

# PERSONAL PROJECTS

Camagotchi Spring 2019

#### github.com/jdegrand/Camagotchi

- A remake of the Tamagotchi, a digital pet simulator, written in C
- Implements neurses and pthread libraries to handle visuals and user interaction
- Future plans include 3D printing a case and attaching a screen and buttons to work with the program

VlocChain Spring 2018

## github.com/VlocC/VlocChain-0.0

- · A hackathon project that combined blockchain with video sharing
- Implemented all of the UI, set up a database with MySQL, set up routes with Flask, and created a custom web video player
- Quickly learned new technologies I haven't used previously to create a working product within a short time frame

Seeking a full time position starting **Summer 2022** 

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# **Skills**

# **Experienced**

Angular, Python, Java, Git, HTML, CSS, C React, TypeScript

## **Familiar**

Node.js, MySQL MongoDB, GraphQL, Spring, Rust

# Extra Curricular

Orientation Leader
Helped groups of students
with their transition to RIT
and college life

## Computer Science Ambassador

Ambassador for RIT's Computer Science Department. Helped run department wide events, such as open houses for potential students

#### **Computer Science House**

Alumni of a competitive special interest house consisting of people with a passion for computer science and personal projects