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EDUCATION AND COURSEWORK

University of Chicago, Chicago, IL   June 2017 — June 2019
Master of Science, Computer Science
Coursework: Discrete Math, Java Programming, Algorithms, Python, Databases, Introduction to Software Engineering, C++ for Advanced Programmers

Wesleyan University, Middletown, CT
Bachelor of Arts, Major: Government, Certificate in Writing   May 2014

TECHNICAL SKILLS AND COURSES

Languages: HTML/CSS, JavaScript, Ruby on Rails, SQL, Heroku, Python, Java, C++

Other Skills: Git/Github, UNIX, Terminal (Linux), MS Office (Word, Excel, Powerpoint)

Additional Technical Coursework:

- Introduction to Java, *New York University,* January 2017 - April 2017

- Python Programming, *Wesleyan University/Coursera,* November – December 2016

- Web Development Intensive, *New York Code and Design Academy,* Web Development Intensive

TECHNICAL PROJECTS

Web Developer, JUST Where They Stand   August 2016 – November 2016
- Conceived, designed, and built an interactive grid web application where users can find a presidential candidate's stance on certain issues. Wrote and compiled summaries from a number of sources: campaign websites, candidates' quotes, newspapers, party platforms, etc.
- Built the app for desktops and tablets using Ruby on Rails and Javascript
- Modified app for mobile devices based on user feedback

OTHER WORK EXPERIENCE

Project Assistant, Office of Special Programs, University of Chicago   October 2017-
- Held part-time job while working on Master's coursework
- Assisted the Program Evaluator in creating the Annual Performance Report for Fiscal Year 2016 for the University of Chicago's chapter of Upward Bound
- Created new procedures for maintaining, updating, and navigating the office's BLUMEN database

Internet Researcher, SC International, Fairfield, NJ   May 2015 – May 2016
- Expedited the IT consulting recruiting team's hiring process by finding candidates though LinkedIn and company websites
- Mastered LinkedIn and created new methods for the team to locate candidates, using new features and more complex Boolean logic
- Improved and updated the office's electronic database, CAPS, which contained decades-old information
- Communicated and collaborated with the team to brainstorm alternative ways to navigate LinkedIn, CAPS

INTERESTS

Software and web development, tech meetups and hackathons, news/media, writing, cultural and performing arts, photography