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Education Experience

Goal: To earn a PhD in mathematics

University of Washington

Seattle, Washington
Working toward bachelor's
B.S. in computer science
B.A. in mathematics

Tacoma Community College

Tacoma, Washington
A.S. in electrical engineering

Work Experience

Lab Assistant

University of Washington Herbarium
September 2019 - December 2019
<https://github.com/josiest/Flora-Data-Extraction>

- Used regular expressions to extract geographical information from text
- Used python to transform text data from pdfs to csv data

Internationally Certified Tutor

Computer science and mathematics
July 2018 - August 2019

- Helped students understand new concepts
- Encouraged critical thinking by asking leading questions

Supplementary Instruction (SI) Leader

Computer science
March 2019 - August 2019

- Planned SI sessions that encouraged collaborative learning
- Facilitated group discussion to reflect on new material
- Designed creative activities that reinforced class material

Programming Experience

Skilled in technologies

- Python, C/C++, Java, Mathematica, Matlab

Hax and mapgen

<https://github.com/josiest/hax>
<https://github.com/josiest/mapgen>
Small libraries for working with hexagonal maps

- Implemented algorithms for working with unique mathematical norms in C++
- Wrote well-covered tests
- Wrote clear documentation

Pygtails Library

<https://pygtails.readthedocs.io/en/latest/>
Event-handler for Python's Pygame library

- Implemented event-handling interface
- Used Sphinx and reStructuredText to write and compile original tutorials and clear documentation
- Published module to Python Package Index

404

<https://github.com/josiest/404>
Virtual art piece on the concept of Utopia

- Used lua and love2d to create a new media art piece reflecting on the definition of Utopia
- Used mathematical models of electricity and friction to emulate an imagined force

Extracurricular Activities

Programming Club

Treasurer
January 2018 - June 2018

- Presented a lecture on programming languages
- Held decisions on club purchases
- Helped in organizational decisions