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#### **EDUCATION**

B.Sc. Computer Science, UNIVERSITY OF SASKATCHEWAN

Certificate of Computing, UNIVERSITY OF SASKATCHEWAN

2022 - 2024
Great Distinction

B.E. Civil & Environmental Engineering, AMERICAN UNIVERSITY OF BEIRUT

2016 - 2020

Lebanese Baccalaureate in Life Sciences, BAR-ELIAS OFFICIAL HIGH SCHOOL

709 1% Nationally

### **EXPERIENCE**

### **Student Assistant at CS Department USASK**

Sept 2023 - April 2024

- Represented computer science department in multiple events.
- Created & shared promotional content for department events.
- Assisted in organizing CS department biggest annual events: CS Career fair & Digitized.

# Teaching Assistant at USASK - CMPT 270

Sept 2023 - Dec 2023.

- Analyzed performance data & provided insights fostering academic growth.
- Delivered lab material & conducted lab exercises.
- Invigilated & graded lab exams maintaining academic integrity.

### Store Associate at TJX Canada

May 2023 - Oct 2023

- Processed product following department policies & code.
- Assisted customers with inquiries & product search.
- Performed safety checks & ensured compliance with standards & policy.

#### Teaching Assistant at USASK - CMPT 214

May 2023 - Aug 2023

- Conducted weekly lectures explaining educational material.
- Assisted student acquisition of complex concepts by identifying trends.
- Identified student weaknesses through well-crafted examples.

# **Teaching Assistant at USASK - CMPT 145**

Jan 2023 - May 2023

- Proof-read & discussed instructional material ensuring clarity & correctness.
- Lectured on topics of Object-Oriented Programming, Data Structures, Algorithms & complexities.
- Utilized Canvas LMS to track student progress & maintain organized digital records.

# **Engineering Management intern**

Dec 2019 - Feb 2020

- Project Management & Scheduling using management software Primavera.
- Handled Client Relations, concerns, & ensured satisfaction.
- Inspected site, materials, & safety standards to ensure compliance.

#### **PROJECTS**

- **BEAP Engine:** React Js, Ts, Node, Java, Spring Boot, R, PGSQL, Docker, Apache Tomcat & Maven. Website allowing smartwatch data upload & providing predictions through user-selected ML model.
- Farm Management Application: Java, Java FX, Spring Boot, Apache Maven, MongoDB.
- Veterinary Clinic: Java, Java Swing, MVC, Singleton, Command, Observer & Factory patterns.
- Assistant Study Bot: Python, Flask, PGSQL, Discord API, Uptime Robot API.
- Task Planner: React Js, Node Js, PostgreSQL, EmailJS.
- Spotify WebApp: Python, Flask, PGSQL, OAuth, Spotify API.

# **ACHIEVEMENTS & CERTIFICATIONS:**

•	USASK Computer Science Alumni Award	2024
•	Winner of USASK UI/UX Design-athon	2023
•	Courageous Curiosity Award in Saskatoon Eco-Hack	2022
•	Certificates in Advocacy Skills, Proposal Writing & Entrepreneurship	2017, 2018, 2018
•	Certificates in Presentation & Public Skills, Problem Solving & Decision Making	2017
•	Certificates of High Achievement in Math & Reading, Capacity & Team Building	2016, 2017
•	USAID USP higher education full ride scholarship award	2016

### **SKILLS**

- Python 3, PGSQL, Tableau, Power BI, Java, Flask, MongoDB, C, C++, HTML/CSS, Bash, Assembly, Scala, C#, Js, Ts, React, Node, Akka, Prolog, Jest, Playwright, Redis, Postman, Maven
- IDEs: IntelliJ, PyCharm, Clion, WebStorm, QtSpim, Visual Studio, VS Code, LABVIEW
- Communication & Organization: Canvas, Microsoft Teams, Slack, Zoom, Webex, Notion, 8x8
- Version Control: Git, Gitlab, GitHub
- Operating Systems: Windows, Linux (Unix), Mac OS
- Other: MS Office, MATLAB, AnyLogic, AutoCAD, Revit, Civil3D, SAP2000, EPANET2.0, Primavera, SAFE
- Languages: English, French, Arabic

# **LEADERSHIP ROLES**

# **Corporate Relations Manager CSSS, Saskatoon**

Apr 2023 - May 2024

- Leveraged local partnerships towards fulfilling CSSS goals.
- Maintained existing ties with regional key entities.
- Identified possible collaboration opportunities with stakeholders.
- Coordinated with executive team on event planning.

### Upper Year Representative UX/UI Design Club, Saskatoon

Apr 2023 - April 2024

- Improved upper year perception of UX/UI club goals.
- Increased exposure & fostered interest in club activities.

#### **USASK Esports Team Manager**

Sep 2022 – April 2023

- Fostered coordination & engagement through planned exercises.
- Managed team logistics including scheduling, reservations, & meetings.
- Ensured performance expectations are met based on established metrics.
- Maintained team & individual player compliance with university regulations.

#### **Building Social Bridges , USAID**

2019 - 2020

- "Building Social Bridges", funded by USAID & overseen by CCECS, AUB, in Lebanon. An initiative fighting racism against Syrian refugees & fostering social cohesion.
- Mediated different stakeholders towards meeting project schedule & goals.
- Procured items, arranged transportation, & administered workshops.

### **VOLUNTEERING ACTIVITIES**

#### Disaster Response, Beirut

2020

Joined disaster response efforts in Beirut after the devastating explosion in 2020.

# **Programming Teacher, AUB CCECS**

2018 - 2019

Designed & delivered a 4-month long intro to coding class to underserved grade 11 students.

### **English/Arabic Translator, AUB**

2017 - 2019

In International Student Program 2017, as well as Humanitarian Engineering Course 2018-2019.

# AUB Outdoors, AUB

2017 - 2018

Member of both Marketing (2017) & Construction team (2018) in AUB's biggest Yearly event.

#### **AUB Outlook, AUB**

2017 - 2018

• Contributing writer for the popular, student-run campus newspaper "Outlook" at AUB.