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Software Engineer

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Skills

Programming Languages

Java

PostgreSQL

C#

JavaScript

Python

Technologies

Ansible

Terraform

React

Packer

Vagrant

Spring

Spark

Unity 3D

Amazon Web Services

EC2, ASG, ALB

Lambda

EMR

S3

SNS

Amazon MQ

Digital Content Creation

Adobe Photoshop

Adobe After Effects

Adobe Illustrator

Adobe Premiere

Autodesk Maya

Open Broadcaster Software

Languages

English (Native)

German (Fluent)

Summary

Software Engineer with 2.5 years of industry experience and a history of projects combining technical and creative disciplines.

Work Experience

Software Engineer II, Nielsen, Remote

Feb '21 - Current

- Languages: Java, JavaScript, Python
- Third Party: Ansible, Terraform, Packer, React
- Tools: Datadog, Grafana, GitHub, Sentry, Jira
- AWS: EC2, ASG, ALB, Amazon MQ, Lambda, S3, SNS
- Project lead for migration from on-premises infrastructure to AWS
- Contributed to the React webapp portion of a new internal data platform
- Contributed to team growth through code reviews, offering training, and encouraging knowledge sharing

Software Engineer I, Nielsen, Queensbury NY

Aug '18 - Feb '21

- Languages: Java, Groovy, Python, PostgreSQL
- Third Party: Angular JS, Active MQ, Kafka, Spark, Spring, Prometheus, HAProxy
- Created a DevOps code base and best practices for my team
- Maintained and improved upon an internal data entry platform, REST API, and ETL process
- Attended grooming sessions, planning meetings, and scrum standups

Game Programmer Intern, Project H.E.A.R.T., Remote

May '17-Nov '17

- Technologies: C#, Unity3D, Autodesk Maya
- Contributed technical and artistic skills to an experimental art piece for the Oculus Rift
- Collaborated with programmers and artists to realize production goals
- Modeled and animated game assets, such as architecture and vegetation
- This piece has been exhibited in the U.S.A., Canada, and Spain

Education

The Honors Program at Clarkson University, Potsdam, NY

May '18

■ Computer Science and Digital Arts & Sciences double major, with a minor in Mathematics

Projects

Radiant Gardeners. Saratoga Springs, NY

Aug '20 - Current

- Technologies: OBS, Photoshop, Illustrator, iZotope Elements
- Started a co-op gaming channel on Twitch with my girlfriend
- We provide an introspective on our relationship by playing co-op games, or making single player games co-op by splitting one controller
- Improved communication skills and confidence in public speaking
- Created stream visuals to maximize entertainment value
- Improved skills in audio and video production

Dimension, Multiple Locations

Jan '16 - Aug '18

- Technologies: C#, Unity3D, Autodesk Maya, Adobe Photoshop
- Developed a first-person 3D platforming game in which the player can alter their perspective on the game by changing the direction of gravity
- Regularly documented and presented on design and development decisions