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Education

Western University

B.Sc. Computer Science - GPA: 3.0/4.0

London, ON, Canada

Expected April 2022

Skills

Languages: JavaScript, TypeScript, Python, Java, C++, SQL, Elasticsearch Query DSL, HTML/CSS/SCSS

Technologies: Git, AWS, Angular, Serverless Framework, NodeJS, Express, Jest, Cypress, Sentry

Work Experience

Team Study

Software Engineer

Toronto, ON, Canada

May 2020 - March 2021

- Tech Stack: **Angular 11** frontend, **Serverless** and **microservices** backend maintained by **CloudFormation**; tested using **Jest**
- Consistently jumped between the angular client and the various backend services
- Leveraged **RxJS Observables** and the **NgRx store** to simplify and consolidate site-wide search across 6 unique entities
- Designed and deployed a 4-part onboarding series on **Mailchimp**; saw an open rate of 8.2% over 3000 emails sent
- Lead an ambassador team of 20 students over 10 schools, the fall semester had 3.8x impressions and 3.9x clicks on Google

Team Study, Ed-Tech Platform

Software Engineer - Intern

Toronto, ON, Canada

May 2019 - August 2019

- Tech Stack: **Angular 8**, SSR pre-rendering using **Angular Universal**, **RxJS Observables** and **NgRx** store pattern, **Cypress**
- Responsible for implementing new frontend features using best **Git** practices and documenting features added
- Tasked with uploading ~1500 students' handwritten/typed notes to the Team Study platform within a short time frame and managing the motivation and progress of 10 overseas team members to type-up/format notes and 5 student proofreaders
- Created a **Google Sheets** pipeline to manage overall progress, hours worked, and work completed by each person

ProViso Consulting, IT Staffing Agency

Software Engineer - Intern

Toronto, ON, Canada

April 2018 - Jan 2019

- Tech Stack: Worked with **AngularJS**, **PostgreSQL**, **NodeJS**, **Express** and **Jest**
- Tools Used: **Jira** used to manage workflow and documentation, and **Postman** for REST API documentation and testing
- Tasked with creating an internal application module to streamline assignment and management of work allocation;
- Communicated directly with product managers to understand operations and adjust module specifications as needed

Extra-Curricular Involvement

Humans of Western, Student-run club to showcase the people of Western U

Interview Director

London, ON, Canada

May 2019 - April 2020

- Led a team of 9 interviewers to conduct weekly student interviews and build a catalogue of posts for the school year
- Introduced cross-functional projects as part of the general member's responsibilities to promote innovation and teamwork
- Oversaw 4 projects: Fashion of Western, April fools project (Pet Tinder), Pride of Western, Pairs Project

Nspire: Mind Over Matter Mental Health Case Competition

Case Competition Participant, Top 3 Finalist

London, ON, Canada

March 2018

- Recommended a scalable chat bot-based solution in creating a virtual, central hub for youth's well-being in London
- Chat bot would use AI (Watson) to look for keywords and notify the appropriate services of the user's need for support

Additional Information

Ultimate Frisbee Fanatic • Space Exploration Enthusiast • Strongly opinionated on the function of higher education in our society • Watched Inception 17 times • Favourite Show is Prison Break and Avatar the Last Airbender • Have an essay on Kendrick Lamar's albums in space