Kyle Schmidt

Objective

To work with bright people who want to build interesting things and who are fanatical about being experts at their systems and tools.

Gettysburg College

Education

Dual Major, Computer Science and Psychology

Completed an independent study in Genetic Algorithms and conducted independent Cognitive Neuroscience research on Synaesthesia

Montgomery County Public Schools

9/2005-Present

Teacher

Currently teaching CCNA and A+ Certification Preparation courses as part of the Cisco Networking Academy, as well as courses on programming in Python and web design. Additional responsibilities include administering the internal web server, developing Bash and Perl scripts to automate tasks, and developing and conducting web based surveys.

Cognitive Neuroscience Laboratory, Gettysburg College

9/2001-5/2005

Research Assistant

Developed programs in E-Prime, conducted research, performed computer administrative tasks, collected and analyzed data, and maintained the laboratory web presence.

Experience

Computer Science Department, Gettysburg College

9/2004-5/2005

Student Assistant and Grader

Helped students during a lab for an introductory programming course and during office hours. Graded homework assignments on a rotating schedule with other graders.

Psychology Department, Gettysburg College

Summer, 2004

Shand Summer Research Fellow

Developed and taught a series of classes to the faculty of the Psychology Department on the use of E-Prime, an experiment development software suite roughly based on Visual Basic. Developed a support website for the college to assist new research assistants and faculty in the use and learning of the program.

Gettysburg College Ultimate Frisbee, President and Captain

9/2003-5/2004

Trained, captained, and administered a 30 person team, organizing home tournaments, and planning for attendance at tournaments up to several hundred miles away. In May of 2003, organized and successfully completed a 48 hour series of frisbee games, a world record at the time.

Leadership Positions

House Leader

9/2003-5/2005

Organized events open to campus, handled conflicts between house members and acted as a liaison to residence life. Conducted duties normally performed by residence assistants.

Mitchell Cadet, United States Air Force Civilian Auxiliary, Civil Air Patrol

Society for Neuroscience

10/2004

Investigating Automatic Processing in a Color-Grapheme Synaesthete. K. R. Schmidt, J. Graham, A. Brooks, J.M. VanMeter, C.M. Wessinger.

Conferences Cognitive Neuroscience Society

4/2005

Distinct Object-Based Effects during Initial and Recrienting Shifts of Visual Spatial Attention. K.D. Wilson, K.R. Schmidt, and K. Gamble.

Proficiency

Linux (Ubuntu/Debian, Fedora), IATEX, Microsoft Windows, Python, Bash, Perl, PHP, HTML, CSS, Inkscape, VirtualBox

TechnicalSkills

Familiarity

Windows Server, Apache, VMWare, MySQL, C++, SPSS, Adobe Photoshop, Cisco IOS, Java

Certifications

CompTia A+, Network+, Security+; Maryland Education Standard Professional Certificate I