# (518) 416-2849

**OBJECTIVE:** To obtain a technical programming position which: utilizes my professional, personal experience and leadership skills; challenges me in ways which foster career growth.

Kaitlyn Tran

### **EDUCATION** Rochester Institute of Technology

Bachelor of Computer Science, June 2022

GPA: 3.2/4.00

#### Computer Languages

Java Python

HTML/CSS *C*#

#### **EXPERIENCE**

01/2019

#### Music And Gaming Education Symposium (MAGES), National Harbor, MD

- Selected as a panelist in a group to speak at the Music And Gaming Festival (MAGFest) where a large group of more than 200 people attended
- Created an interactive lecture for the audience regarding the differences and the analysis between Japanese and Western Role-Playing games
- Reviewed by attendees as the "most well received" panel

11/2018

#### Game Jam 2018 - RIT

- Part of a small team that designed and developed a computer game based on the "Everyday tasks" theme with a time constraint of 48-hours. The game was developed in the Unity engine, and is about playing mini-games and gaining points from those games within a time limit
- Won the "Best in Design" category

09/2018

### Math Equation Processor - RIT

- Developed a computer program in Java to parse arithmetic expressions
- Utilized data structures to build expression trees and evaluated these trees

11/2018

#### **Optimal Transportation - RIT**

- Developed a computer program in Java to figure out various ways to get home from RIT
- Utilized data structures to map out the optimal transportation based on cost, time, and distance

07/2018

# Project Zodiac - Colonie, NY

- Part of a small team that designed and developed a game using the RPG Maker engine
- The game is an adventure game set within ancient and modern China
- Responsible as head producer and lead programmer of the project

#### SCHOOL CLUBS & ORGANIZATIONS

09/17-Present

# Treasurer and Founder, Video Game Symphony Orchestra - Rochester Institute of Technology

- One of the original founders of the club
- Maintain the balance; perform deposits & write out checks for invoices for the club. Financially certified
- Assist in administrative work for the club such as music choice and voting

09/18-Present

#### Game Development Club - Rochester Institute of Technology

- Participate in activities that teach about aspects of developing a game such as art, sound and engines
- Create new and innovative ideas to use in later projects during the semester

09/18-Present

#### Women in Computing - Rochester Institute of Technology

- Participate general body meetings regarding companies interested in professional connections for co-op
- Socially engage with other people to learn more about women in computing

#### **HONORS & AWARDS**

09/13-06/17

# New York State School Music Association (NYSSMA)

Selected to perform on viola in an exclusive orchestra based on scoring assessment conducted by New York State School Music Association (NYSSMA)

05/2016

#### Xerox Award for Innovation and Information Technology, University of Rochester

Award from the University of Rochester given for achievements in computer science and informational technology

10/13-2015

### Raider Scholar Awards, Colonie Central High School, Colonie, NY

Awarded to a Junior Varsity or Varsity soccer player, who has maintained an average of 90 & above and who has shown Raider pride & the ideals of a Colonie player such as sportsmanship and respect

#### **COMMUNITY SERVICE**

2009-06/17

# Guilderland Public Library, Guilderland, NY

Provided tutorials on how to use iPads and computers. Assisted children with summer reading programs