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New media creator, content generator, game designer, sanguine writer, UI/UX dabbler, visual artist, NLP enthousiast, designer for the senses, all in all proactive generalist.

Work Experience

Research Assistant Now Lablablab - Montréal 2014

FRQSC-funded research project [5 months]

> Research Natural Language interfaces Explore implementation in video games

Extensive writing and scripting

Undergraduate Research Assistant 2012 **OBX Labs - Montréal** 2011

Hexagram-affiliated experimental media lab [1 year]

Strong focus on text and video games Participate in branding and web design effort

Manage network infrastructures

Undergraduate Teaching Assistant 2012 Concordia University - Montréal 2011

400-level Speculative Design class $[1 \frac{1}{2} \text{ year}]$

Evaluate student's work

Tutor students in web design & integration

Offer support on differents CMS

IT Support Technician 2011 TRSB Inc. - Montréal 2007

[5 years]

Provide first, second and third level support Manage virtual and physical server space

Protect highly confidential data

Suggest and order hardware & software systems

Education

Concordia University, B.F.A. 2014 2010 **Specialisation in Computation Arts**

Hired as TA after my first semester Participated in two international exchanges Graduated w/ distinction

2007 Ahuntsic College, D.C.S. Arts et Lettres, Cinéma et Média 2006

Relevant

- Co-Founder of artsyfact.net
- Recipient of a MELS Bursary
- Recipient of a FOFA Grant
- Part of a group showing at PHI Center
- Contributor to Headlight Anthology #17
- Publisher of two self-produced photo books
- Volunteer at Eastern Bloc (ARC)
- Participant at Co-Lab 2014 (Artist talks)
- Former contributor to *Rêves d'Acteurs*
- Fully proficient in analog & digital photography
- Perfectly bilingual (French/English)

Aptitude

Code

| Chatscript | HTML | UnityScript |
|------------|---------------|-------------|
| Processing | CSS | Bash |
| Java | <i>jQuery</i> | C# |
| PHP | MySQL | Python |
| JavaScript | | • |

Software

| Adobe CS6 Master Suite | Final Cut Pro |
|------------------------|------------------|
| Unity3D | Stacey CMS |
| Sublime Text 2 | Wordpress |
| Sourcetree (Git) | Debian (Ubuntu) |
| Stencyl | VMWare |
| Fritzing | Windows Server |
| MaxMSP / Jitter | LAMP |
| Image Magick | Microsoft Office |
| Rhino | Magic Lantern |
| OpenWRT | - |

Hardware

| Arduino | Sony HVR |
|----------------|---------------|
| Rasberry Pi | Sekonic L-758 |
| Odroid-U3 | Bronica ETRSi |
| Nikon Coolscan | Canon Prograf |
| Canon 5D Mk2 | Leitz Focomat |