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SKILLS

Programming Languages: Python, C
Frontend: JavaScript, HTML, CSS, React, WordPress
Other: Flask, Git, Figma, Adobe Photoshop, Adobe Illustrator, Google Analytics, Microsoft Office Suite

PROJECTS

Tranquil Travel 🔗

- Used HTML, CSS and JavaScript to create a site dedicated to help travellers plan their tours
- Utilised the **Dark Sky API** to allow users to check the weather when they arrive at their destination
- Created a list to which users can add, delete and cross out items using **Javascript** to let them keep track of items they need while traveling
- Designed an HTML form that redirects users to TripAdvisor's search page based on their queries

Creators' Colosseum 🔗

- Developed a **WordPress** site dedicated to artists to showcase their artwork
- Used the **Ultimate Member** plugin for user profiles, **WP User Frontend** to let users upload work directly to the blog page and **myCred** to automate the points management system and make a leaderboard
- Used **Elementor, Adobe Photoshop** and **Canva** to design the UI
- Built an online community of **over 500** artists within the first three months and arranged the first virtual competition, receiving over **100** submissions in the official website

Quest Gaia 🔗

- Worked on the UI/UX design of an app idea to help tackle global warming by assigning users weekly activities, notifying them to participate in community events and showing nearby organic stores
- Developed a high fidelity mockup of the application using **Figma** to acquire initial user feedback
- Designed the pages and **prototyped** the app using Figma

EXPERIENCE

Waterloo MathSoc
Website Developer

Waterloo, ON
Jan 2021 – Present

Currently working as a Junior Web Designer to implement new changes on the MathSoc website and improve design

Divine
Technology Department Head

Dhaka, Bangladesh
May 2020 – Present

Worked with a team of 4 to host webinars and taught over 30 students about Web Development and programming, suggesting further resources to look into for inspiration to do side projects

Waterloo Bengali Students Association (BSA)
Web Designer

Waterloo, ON
Jan 2021 – Present

Currently working as a Junior Web Designer to redesign the BSA website and improve navigation

AWARDS & LEADERSHIP

- **President's Scholarship of Distinction** — Awarded by University of Waterloo for an admission average of over 95%
- **Team Lead** — Managed the schedule and acted as the main point of contact between the supervisor and a team of **20** volunteers
- **Best Reporter** — Won first place in **2** Model United Nations (MUN), competing against **500** students
- **President** — Conducted informal Model UN sessions to refine the diplomacy and leadership skills of **45** students for Sunnydale Model UN Club
- **Co-Founder and Vice President** — Helped develop the artistic skills of **30** students at Sunnydale Art Club

EDUCATION

University of Waterloo
Bachelor of Computer Science

Sept 2020 - Present (Est. April 2025)