Mitchell Mercer

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EDUCATION

California State University Northridge

Bachelor of Science in Computer Science

August 2022 - Dec 2023

Northridge, CA

Los Angeles Pierce College

Woodland Hills, CA

Associate's in Japanese

Jan 2017 - August 2022

EXPERIENCE

Student Engineer

October 2023 - Present

Los Angeles Dept. of Sanitation

Playa Del Rey, CA

- Evaluated event logs and metrics of Distributed Control Systems
- Assisted in reducing nuisance alarms by 10 percent
- Created training materials for new Student Engineers

Security Guard

Jun. 2023 – October 2023

Allied Universal Security

Simi Valley, CA

- Oversaw daily monitoring and patrolled buildings, grounds, and work sites
- Responded quickly to incidents and calmly resolved active crises
- Successfully resolved 3 critical incidents

Nordstrom

May 2021 - Apr. 2023

Canoga Park, CA

- Achieved 10,000 dollar profit weekly
- Swiftly and effectively took detailed and complex food orders with accuracy and mindfulness of client needs
- Cultivated warm relationships with regular customers

Projects

Server

The Cruicble | Python, MongoDB, FFmpeg

Sept. 2023 - Dec. 2023

- The Crucible is a python application that takes a video provided at runtime, and removes frames of the video as requested by "editors" for further Post-Processing.
- Video processed with FFmpeg.
- Final output uploaded via API to 3rd party via API, or created local excel file depending on runtime arguments
- Utilized MongoDB to retrieve "work-order" and select frames to be retrieved

Non Amazona | MySQL, React, Git

Sept. 2023 - Dec. 2023

- Created a MySQL database resistant to SQL Injection, and Bot attack/Spoofing
- Developed a website in React, run locally, to display the items in the database, purchase items, leave reviews, etc
- Implemented a control pannel in front end to test various attacks and create and remove items

EarWorm | Firebase, React, Git

Aug. 2022 – May 2023

- Earworm is an application akin to Tinder, that matches users based on their music preferences
- Matches users based on music taste
- Utilizes Spotify's API to retrieve users Spotify listening data and assign each a music taste
- Deployed app to the internet via Firebase

TECHNICAL SKILLS

Languages: Java, Python, C/C++, SQL (MySQL), JavaScript, HTML/CSS, R

Frameworks: React, Node.js, Flask, JUnit

Developer Tools: Git, Docker, Google Cloud Platform, VS Code, Gnu C Compiler/Debugger (GCC/GDB), IntelliJ,

Eclipse

Libraries: pandas, NumPy, Matplotlib