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Work Experience

Hekaton Studio

Kitchener, ON / Montréal, OC / Remote

Technical Director/Co-Founder

April 2019 to Present

- Deploying Client Application to AWS and our in-house Dokku Container server
- Developing Custom Software for our various Clients (Node.JS, Python, PHP)
- Planning Development Sprint with the client or stakeholder
- Managing and Invoicing Clients

Lighthouse Labs

Remote

Web Boot camp Mentor

September 2021 - Present

- Mentoring the different Web Boot camp cohort by answering question about Node.JS and React

Clearpath Robotics

Kitchener, ON

Product Application Developer

December 2018 to July 2019

- Development of a web application frontend to interact with a fleet of robots (React and JavaScript)
- Development and maintenance of a web-based ROS node to control and setup a single robot over REST and WebSocket (Flask and Python)
- Designing and Development of an OPC-UA ROS Bridge for integrating with PLC's (Python and Ignition)
- Integration of third-party API to the fleet management software

Savoir-Faire Linux

Montréal, QC

Free Software Consultant

Junior Web Engineer

July 2018 to December 2018

January 2018 to July 2018

- Leading and Managing the Python Web Development team
- Development of web applications for clients in Django and Node.js
- Development of free software tool in Python

LBRY inc.

Manchester, NH

- Development and maintenance of the lbry.io website

- Development of a REST API Back-End in Go
- Building and Designing application to interact with the blockchain (Go, JavaScript and Python)
- Contributing to the desktop application (JavaScript, React and Electron)

Lockbird inc.

Montréal, QC

Software and Hardware consultant

March 2017 to November 2017

- Hardware development of the first laser turret prototype for bird control
- Software development for laser control and motion planning
- Development of the Onboard Control Panel for configuring the different options

Savoir-Faire Linux Montréal, QC

Django developer

April 2016 to August 2016

- Django developer for the Sous-Chef community project for the Santropol-Roulant
- Engaging the Open Source community to contribute to the project
- Sous-Chef source code is available on GitHub (https://github.com/savoirfairelinux/sous-chef)

Student Clubs

Walking Machine Montréal, QC

Lead software developer

March 2016 to December 2017

- Lead Developer for our General Purpose Service Robot for Home S.A.R.A for the RoboCup@Home competition
- Planning the robots main architecture
- Development of Object Detection algorithm for finding an object in an unstructured environment (Python and OpenCV)
- Development of Gender and Emotion recognition using CNN (Python and Keras)
- Development of Custom Navigation Planner and Layer using the ROS Navigation Stack (ROS and C++)
- Implementation of algorithms from research papers

Club Conjure Montréal, QC

Game Programmer

April 2016 to December 2016

- Participated in multiple Game Jam
- Creation of a homebrew arcade cabinet

Club Capra Montréal, QC

Electrical and Software team member

November 2015 to September 2016

- Conception of a power delivery system for an autonomous ground vehicle
- Work on developing motion controller in ROS using ros control
- Building SPI device to monitor battery level and amperage draw
- Diagnostic of electrical and software failure

BajaETS Montréal, QC

Electrical team member

September 2013 to November 2015

- Developed a CAN-based data acquisition device for the race vehicle based on various sensors

Volunteer Work

RoboCup@Home

Organizing Committee Chair

July 2018 to Present

- Responsible for the Planning and Logistics of the biggest service robotics competition in the world
- Act as the point of contact for the Local Organizing Committee of the current host country

RoboCup Montréal 2018

Montréal, QC

Major Local Organizing Committee Chair

July 2017 to July 2018

- Part of the organising committee of the biggest robotic competition in the world
- Responsible of the @Home, @Work, RoboCup Logistics, and Simulation

Education

Concordia University
 Independent Student
 • Independent Student
 École de Technologie Supérieure
 • Bachelor degree of Engineering in Information Technology
 — Completed 62 credits

 École de Technologie Supérieure
 Bachelor degree of Engineering in Automated Production
 — Completed 32 credits

 Montréal, QC
 Montréal, QC
 2013 to 2015
 — Completed 32 credits

• CCNB - Bathurst Bathurst, NB
Technologie du Génie Électronique 2011 to 2013

Skills

- Programming Language: Bash, C, C++, Go, Java, JavaScript, Node.js, PHP, Python, Rust
- Software: Altium, Ansible, Django, Docker, Git, Keras, Linux, MacOS, Numpy, OpenCV, Pandas, PCL, ROS, Vim, Windows

Conference

- Why are robots becoming Pythonistas?
 - Presented at Montréal Python on November 5th 2018
 - Video
 - Slides
- Challenges surrounding autonomous service robots
 - Presented at LIVIA on December 6th 2017
 - Slides
- Walking Machine
 - Presented at École de Technologie Supérieure on February 16th 2017