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Work Experience

Hekaton Studio

Co-Founder

Kitchener, ON

April 2019 to Present

- Producer for Deeper Worlds (C# and Unity3D)
- Lead Developer for the in-house game engine (Rust)
- Business Development
- Financial Planning

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 of a web-based ROS node to control a robot over REST and WebSocket (Flask and Python)
- Development of an OPC-UA ROS Bridge for integrating with PLC's (Python and Ignition)

Savoir-Faire Linux

Montréal, QC

Free Software Consultant

July 2018 to December 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

Junior Web Engineer

January 2018 to July 2018

- Development and maintenance of the lbry.io website
- Development of a Back-End API in Go
- Development of web applications in Go, Node.js, PHP, 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 mode

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)

Pratt & Whitney Canada

Advance Quality Assurance Intern

Longueil, QC January 2014 to April 2014

- Analysing aircraft engine parts with Non-Destructive testing
- Investigating failure rate and condition

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
- 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

OC Chair

July 2018 to Present

- Responsible for the Plannification and Logistics of the biggest service robotics competition in the world
- Act as the point of contact for the LOC of the current host country

RoboCup Montréal 2018

Montréal, QC

Major LOC 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 Montréal, QC Independent Student January 2018 to December 2018 École de Technologie Supérieure Montréal, QC Bachelor degree of Engineering in Information Technology 2015 to 2017 - Completed 62 credits École de Technologie Supérieure Montréal, QC Bachelor degree of Engineering in Automated Production 2013 to 2015 - Completed 32 credits **CCNB** - Bathurst Bathurst, NB Technologie du Génie Électronique 2011 to 2013

Skills

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

Conference

- 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