# MICHAEL MAREK

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## **SUMMARY OF QUALIFICATIONS**

- Enthusiastic and vocal team member, who strives to offer multiple approaches to problems
- Demonstrated self-motivation and perseverance through academic achievement
- Interest in undertaking side projects connotes a willingness to take initiative and an ability to complete tasks with minimal supervision
- Solid oral and written communication skills developed throughout academic career and through hobbies
- Displayed diligence and exceptional adherence to instructions and procedures

#### **TECHNICAL SKILLS**

- Proficient in C and Java
- Experienced in HTML, CSS, JS
- Familiar with Ruby, Python, and the basics of Git

#### **PROJECTS**

Personal Website 2014

- Designed and built a personal website using HTML, CSS, and JavaScript
- Used Ajax to achieve asynchronously loaded tab content upon click

The Drinking Game 2014

- An interactive web application made in HTML, CSS, and JS, which lets the user watch as their glass gets filled with a substance whose color is of their choosing

#### **VOLUNTEER EXPERIENCE**

Assistant "Coach" 2013

K-W Gymnastics Club, Kitchener, ON

- Assisted with in-gym coaching for over 80 hours, with 50 of those hours being a part of the club's Pre-Coach-in-Training program
- Actively supervised and spotted gymnasts as they performed routines and learned acrobatic exercises
- Demonstrated leadership and an inclination toward collaboration by working with other staff to organize events and games for kids

Peer Tutor 2012 – 2014

Forest Heights Collegiate Institute, Kitchener, ON

 Accumulated 30+ hours of tutoring experience through a program aimed at assisting students in various courses, with math being the primary focus Gardening 2013

Forest Heights Collegiate Institute, Kitchener, ON

- Participated in a courtyard gardening/restoration project that emphasized teamwork and having an eye for aesthetic detail
- Contributed ideas regarding the successful completion of the project amidst unfavourable weather

## **ACHIEVEMENTS**

## **President's Scholarship**

2014

University of Waterloo, Waterloo, ON

- Awarded for admission average of 90 – 94.9%

Published Writer 2014

Polar Expressions Publishing

- Had a short story published in a collection entitled "Let There Be Dragons"

### **EDUCATION**

- Candidate for Bachelor of Software Engineering University of Waterloo, ON 2014 - present

## **HOBBIES & INTERESTS**

- Attended various workshops that were held during Hack the North 2014
- Occasionally solve problems on Project Euler
- Participated in the 2013 and 2014 Canadian Computing Competition
- Frequently annotate and edit on Genius.com
- Enjoy doing research on music artists and record charts