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WORK EXPERIENCE

• Developer Operations Intern, Oracle

January 2016 - Current

- Write bash, shell and ruby scripts to automate tasks through Teamcity configurations.
- Edit Chef cookbooks to change system settings or add/migrate software across multiple servers.
- Automate creation, bootstrapping and removal of machines in the Eloqua network.
- Provide metrics for and add health checks to various Elasticsearch nodes through using Sensu monitoring.

• Developer Intern, Payments Team, Shopify

May 2015 - August 2015

- Added over 50 third party payment system integrations by automating addition of these systems to Shopify. Led project from early prototype to beta phase through test-driven full-stack web development work.
- Improved financial GMV calculations by 10% by fixing long-standing issue where payment gateways sent duplicate responses, doubling total amount of transactions.
- Independently created, open-sourced, and integrated Payment Icons ruby gem across Shopify's codebase, providing a simple and uniform way of adding these icons into any Rails app.

Relevant Projects

• Personal Blog Gem | ♠ | ♥ | ♥

February 2016

- Mountable Ruby on Rails engine that adds a markdown-supporting personal blog to any Ruby on Rails application.
- Responsive layout with no user model and admin access provided through environment variables.
- Downloaded over 550 times since it's launch on March 17, 2016.
- One Press Man | UofT HACKS 2016, 2nd Best Overall | \mathbb{O}

January 2016

- Application that uses the Pebble watch's controls as a discrete, quick panic button to message preselected contacts and 911 in emergency situations.
- Implemented the Pebble application in C to build screens and communicate with companion Android application when triggered.
- Payment Icons Gem | Open Source Contribution | 🗘 | 🤝

August 2015

- Extracted Shopify's payment icons into an open-source gem currently used by over 600 3rd-party developers.
- Ruby on Rails engine which mounts payment icon assets and frozen record model to access those assets into any rails app.
- Inventory Notifier App | \mathbb{O}

- Used Django and Twilio API to build web application that calls or texts Shopify merchants when their product inventory goes below 10 items.
- Blogging Service | Ω | \square

December 2014

- Built a blogging service which includes OAuth authentication login, user profiles, following users, etc. using Flask
- MyoRunner | ENGHACK, 2nd Best Overall | 🖸 | 🗹

November 2014

- Developed arm gesture controlled Temple Run type browser-based game using Lua and Myo SDK.
- Feed Me! | HACK THE NORTH 2014, Participant | 🗘 | 🗹

September 2014

- Created a Django web application which provides possible cooking recipes by parsing ingredients listed in a search across an API from Yummly.

EDUCATION

• Bachelor of Software Engineering, University of Waterloo

September 2014 - August 2019

- Received Presidents Scholarship of Distinction for having admission average over 95%.

Extracurricular Activities & Achievements

• Software Engineering Orientation Leader

September 2015

- Led orientation group throughout week, set up events, guided students across different events, and answered questions about university life.
- Engineering Ambassador, University of Waterloo

September 2014- Current

- Represented University of Waterloo by creating online portfolio. Actively participated in events like move-ins, shadow days.