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### **HIGHLIGHTS**

- Advanced interest in software development, proven by completing personal projects in spare time, using tools and frameworks *not* included in Mohawk College coursework or curriculum.
- 4+ years running a successful e-commerce business, showing maturity, self-discipline and solid understanding of business needs.
- Strong leadership and soft skills, demonstrated by work experience that spans diverse industries and countries, from social work in Germany to equipment service in Canada.



#### **SKILLS**

- Wordpress/Woocommerce
- Javascript React, Node.js Express, jQuery
- C# ASP.NET, WinForms, MSTEST
- Git Version Control
- Basic Linux Admin. / Vagrant

- Java JavaFX
- PHP
- SQL PostgreSQL & MSSQL
- Python Django Framework
- Heroku & Netlify Deploys



#### **EDUCATION**

Software Development | Mohawk College – Hamilton, ON
September 2018 – Present (Expected Graduation 2021)
C1 German Language Certificate | Die Neue Schule – Berlin, Germany
October 2011 – May 2011



# **NOTABLE PERSONAL PROJECTS**

### VOIP In-browser Client | github.com/nckdhl/vanilla-client-node

Node.js Express, Twilio Programmable Voice API, Javascript, HTML&CSS, Heroku, Netlify

• Successfully built and deployed a full-stack web app that uses Twilio's Voice API to make and receive phone calls in the browser.

#### Portfolio Website | nckdhl.com

React.js, Netlify, HTML&CSS

• Successfully built, and deployed to Netlify, a SPA using React.js.



#### **EXPERIENCE**

# Online Store Manager | Peter & Pat Seifenblasen – Berlin, Germany / Remote January 2015 – January 2020

- Managed successful online store with thousands of customers from across Europe each year.
- Developed excellent ability to rapidly troubleshoot by resolving bugs in live website.
- Redesigned Wordpress/Woocommerce site to achieve improved order conversion rate.
- Improved understanding of modern website production by implementing version control with Git as well as development, staging and production environments for website.

### Field Service Technician | Bartell Global - Mississauga, ON

September 2016 – December 2018

- Completed critical on-site repairs of specialized surface preparation equipment.
- Used technical knowledge to diagnose and fix electrical problems with industrial drives.
- Maintained strong working relationship with key accounts, ensuring they received exceptional service and workmanship.
- Collaborated with international engineering and sales teams to identify technical issues, drive new equipment sales and provide after-sales support.

# Dairy Herdsman | Ökohof Stolze Kuh – Stolzenhagen, Germany

August 2015 – September 2016

- Strengthened small team of farmers who founded a first-of-its-kind organic dairy farm in eastern Germany, by contributing my agricultural skills and holistic management experience.
- Showcased my ability to perform under pressure, work well in a small team and prioritize tasks while caring for a herd of over 100+ cattle.

### Livestock Operations Manager | Whole Circle Farm - Acton, ON

December 2013 - December 2014

- Responsible for the holistic management of all livestock production at Whole Circle.
- Succeeded in completely modernizing the dairy infrastructure and practices, leading to improved animal wellbeing and increased production.
- Gained skills in staff training by overseeing farm apprentices and mentoring successor.

#### Farmer Apprentice | Whole Circle Farm – Acton, ON

January 2013 – December 2013

• Made valuable contributions to farm business and community as apprentice.

# Farmer Apprentice | Kirchhof Agrar KG – Oberellenbach, Germany

August 2012 – December 2012

• Key member of team at influential ecological dairy farm.

# Shift Supervisor | Berliner Stadtmission Homeless Shelter – Berlin, Germany January 2012 – April 2012

• Responsible for maintaining a peaceful atmosphere in a facility with over 100 homeless guests, de-escalating conflicts, delegating tasks to kitchen, security and support staff.

# Support Worker | Berliner Stadtmission Halfway House – Berlin, Germany September 2011 – August 2012

• Demonstrated ability to communicate and connect by building lasting relationships with marginalized men with recurring substance abuse problems.



## **ACCOMPLISHMENTS**

- Achieved written and spoken fluency in the German language.
- Co-founder and organizer of community garden for halfway house and refugee center at Berliner Stadtmission. (2012)
- Volunteer at homeless shelter at Berliner Stadtmission. (*November 2010 March 2011*)
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