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#### Education

Michigan Technological University, Houghton, MI

B.S., Computer Science Expected Graduation: December 2019

Cumulative GPA: 3.9, Department GPA: 4.0

Honors: Dean's List (x2)

# **Project and Related Experience**

### **Husky Game Development Enterprise**

January 2017 - Present

Worked cooperatively on a team developing a video game in Java.

- Develop a new game engine from the ground up, using the Java programming language.
- Communicate with a team using GitHub, Slack, Taiga, and Google services
- Draw 2D artwork
- Collaborate using Scrum and Agile development processes

Self Study 2007 - Present

Java and C++ for work with:

- Game Development
  - o 2D video games for the PC
  - OpenGL and GLSL shaders for rendering
- Machine Learning
  - Artificial neural networks and genetic algorithms
  - Optical character recognition
- Procedural Terrain Generation
  - o Perlin and value fractal noise
  - Procedurally generate 2D and 3D landscapes and heightmaps
- Physics Simulations
  - o 2D rigid body physics
  - o 3D N-body gravity simulations

## **Work Experience**

## Michigan Technological University, Houghton, MI

**September 2016 - Present** 

Registrar Assistant

- Assist with clerical duties
- Add and drop students' classes
- File confidential documents

#### Century High School, Rochester, MN

**September 2015 - June 2016** 

Tutor

- Assisted students in learning a number of subjects, including:
  - Computer Science
  - Mathematics
  - Physics