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EDUCATION

University of Virginia

Bachelor of Science in Computer Science

Charlottesville, VA

Expected May 2025

PROJECTS

Wordle Screenshot Parser Tool | *Python, OpenCV Pytesseract, NiceGUI*

May 2024 - June 2024

- Developed a parsing tool using Pytesseract and OpenCV that automates the extraction/parsing of game information from a Wordle screenshot
- Integrated a series of smart filters and correction systems to handle several types of edge cases, increasing screenshot detection rate to 96%
- Designed and implemented a front-end debugging interface for developers using NiceGUI, allowing for better visualization of system logic and behavior
- Incorporated a feature that displays the screenshot's performance in comparison with other NYT users

Puzzle App @ UVA | *Python, Django, Heroku, Javascript, Git*

September 2023 – December 2023

- Collaborated with a team of developers to create a full-stack web-game application with Django that allowed players to create and play geographical-based puzzle hunts
- Responsible for the development and testing of many of the system's core features like puzzle creation, puzzle play, and moderation management
- Enhanced leadership and communication skills through effective team collaboration as Scrum Master through weekly team meetings and bi-weekly sprint reports

Top Down Survival Shooter Game | *C#, Visual Studio, Python*

December 2021 - Present

- With a group, developing a top-down shooter singleplayer survival game in C# and Visual Studio
- Originally a project developed in Python using Pygame, now in the process of expanding and refactoring the game's concepts and mechanics in C#
- Engineered the pathfinding algorithm, enabling reliable navigation and interactions between multiple entities

Course Review Catalog Final Project | *Java, Maven, JUnit, SQL, Git*

October 2022 – December 2022

- Collaborated with a group of student developers to develop a course review application using Java and Maven with an emphasis on test-driven development
- Responsible for implementing the backend system managing interactions between the program and SQL database
- Designed and assisted in implementation of the front-end interface using FXML

EXPERIENCE

Audio-Visual Technical Assistant

University of Virginia

September 2022 – Present

Charlottesville, VA

- Deliver technology and troubleshooting support for audio-visual equipment during university events
- Exhibit and exercise a meticulous attention to detail through persistent maintenance and equipment setup
- Strengthen foundational IT skills and problem-solving capabilities through effective troubleshooting and training
- Cultivate strong interpersonal and conflict resolution skills through consistent interactions with clients

SKILLS

Languages: Python, Java, C, JavaScript, HTML/CSS, SQL

Frameworks: JUnit, Django, Express.js

Libraries: NumPy, OpenCV, Pytesseract, FXML, Pygame, React, TailwindCSS

Softwares: Microsoft Office, Google Office Suite, Adobe Photoshop, Premiere