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Education

Oregon State University, Corvallis, OR BS Degree, Computer Science, GPA: 3.3 University of Washington, Seattle, WA BA Degree, Geography

Jun 2013

Expected May 2019

Eagle Scout, Boy Scouts of America

Oct 2008

Employment

Risk Investigator II May 2017 - Oct 2017

Amazon, Seattle, WA

- Handled three projects intended to reduce wasted warehouse space occupied by unsellable inventory items
- Collaborated with team members in India to audit sellers suspected of fraudulent activity and remove or dispose of their inventory
- Developed tool to simplify online catalog refresh process using visual basic

Key Accomplishments

- Instrumental in the initiative to remove and dispose of approximately 400,000 units of stranded inventory belonging to sellers investigated for fraud
- Successfully increased warehouse space by over 50,000 units to accommodate for peak capacity during the holidays

Risk Investigator I Oct 2016 - Jan 2017

Amazon, Seattle, WA

- Investigated and resolved trouble tickets involving Fulfilment by Amazon products and warehouse inventory
- Collaborated with team members to write four standard operating procedure documents for new processes and ticket types
- Performed over 50 daily quality audits of trouble tickets to ensure proper procedure was followed

Key Accomplishments

Streamlined standard operating procedure for new and existing processes resulting in faster completion time

Visual Data Specialist II Visual Data Specialist I

Jun 2014 – Jun 2015

Jun 2013 - Jun 2014

Google, Google Maps, Bothell, WA

- Created and maintained high value data sets in the Google Maps database from engineer and user sources
- Responsible for new team member training and mentorship
- In charge of policy documentation and quality control work in my team's region

Key Accomplishments

- Optimized project workflow for five countries in Northern Europe by streamlining data policy documentation
- Supported the rapid development of a temporary user interface on Google Maps for finding local polling stations for the 2014 midterm elections

Technical Experience

Projects

- File Transfer Server (2017) Two connection client-server network application utilizing sockets API to transfer files. C, Python
- Small Shell (2018) Custom shell written in C, similar to bash for file handling and management. C
- One Time Pad (2018) Program to encrypt and decrypt information using a one-time pad-like system and utilizes socket-based interprocess communication to validate codes. C

Languages and Technologies

- C++, C, Java, Python, SQL, JavaScript, Node js, Visual Basic
- Visual Studio, Eclipse, Vim