# Philippe Demontigny

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## **EDUCATION**

#### **U. OF WATERLOO**

MASTERS IN COMPUTER SCIENCE Sept 2014-Present | Waterloo, ON Cum. GPA: 96.0 / 100.0

#### WILLIAMS COLLEGE

BA IN MATHEMATICS & STATISTICS, WITH HONORS (THESIS OPTION)

Grad. June 2014 | Williamstown, MA Magna Cum Laude

Thesis Adviser: Bill Lenhart Dean's List (All Semesters) Phi Beta Kappa Honor Society Sigma Xi Science Research Society

Cum. GPA: 3.82 / 4.0

## **COURSEWORK**

#### **GRADUATE**

Algorithms for Shortest Paths Applied Machine Learning Cryptography/Network Security Computer Graphics

#### **UNDERGRADUATE**

#### COMPUTER SCIENCE

Data Structures Artificial Intelligence Algorithm Design & Analysis Theory of Computation **Programming Languages Creating Games** 

#### MATHEMATICS & STATISTICS

Linear Algebra Linear Programming Regression & Forecasting Bayesian Analysis Probability Graph/Game Theory **Teaching Mathematics** 

## SKILLS

#### **PROGRAMMING**

Java • Javascript • Python • LATEX C++ • OpenGL • HTML • CSS R • Mathematica

#### **LANGUAGES**

English • Japanese

#### RESEARCH

## U. OF WATERLOO ALGORITHMS LAB | RESEARCH ASSISTANT

Sept 2014 - Present | Adviser: Therese Biedl

• Studying Computational Geometry with a focus on Graph Drawing. Topics include layered representations of trees, NP-hard problems, and lower bounds.

#### SMALL REU PROGRAM | STUDENT RESEARCHER

June 2013 - Aug 2013 | Adviser: Steven J. Miller

 Studied generalizations of Zeckendorf's theorem and other integer representations using recurrence relations.

#### PUBLICATIONS FROM SMALL 2014:

- P. Demontigny, T. Do, A. Kulkarni, S.J. Miller, D. Moon, U. Varma. Generalizing Zeckendorf's Theorem to f-decompositions. Journal of Number Theory, vol. 141, pp. 136-158, 2014.
- P. Demontigny, T. Do, A. Kulkarni, S.J. Miller, U. Varma. A generalization of Fibonacci far-difference representations and Gaussian behavior. Fibonacci Quarterly, vol. 52, pp. 247-280, 2014.

## TFACHING

## U. OF WATERLOO | TEACHING ASSISTANT

Sep 2014 - Present | Waterloo, ON

- CS 136: Algorithm Design and Data Abstraction (Winter 2015)
- CS 234: Data Types and Structures (Fall 2014)

#### WILLIAMS COLLEGE | TEACHING ASSISTANT

Sept 2011 - May 2014 | Williamstown, MA

- STAT 101: Elementary Statistics & Data Analysis (Spring 2014/Fall 2011)
- MATH 150: Multivariable Calculus (Fall 2013/Spring 2012)
- CSCI 107: Creating Games (Spring 2013)
- MATH 130: Calculus I (Fall 2012)

## **PROJECTS**

## **48-HOUR GAME JAM CREATIONS**

#### Mind Crush | Jan 2015

• A game that combines the difficulty of Set with the addictive gameplay of Candy Crush. Created using Javascript and Codeheart.js.

#### Constellations | APRIL 2013

• A game that teaches graph theory through a series of thought-provoking puzzles. Created using Javascript and Codeheart.js.

#### MACHINE LEARNING ALGORITHMS

#### MAGIC THE GATHERING (MTG) PRICE PREDICTOR | SEPT 2014 - DEC 2014

• Uses scikit-learn decision tree classifiers to predict the price of MTG singles based on combinations of card attributes.

#### KamiGo | DECEMBER 2013

• Uses a neural network to generate moves in the 9x9 version of the game of Go. Programmed using a combination of Java and Python.