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## Employment

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**Full Stack Developer**                      **University of Waterloo**                      **Jan – Apr, Sept – Dec 2023**

- Developed a **Next.js**-based web platform for a figures of speech research group, enabling user submissions and annotations of figure instances.
- Spearheaded the implementation of advanced features including **Rich Text Support** and dynamic highlighting functionality for annotations.
- Reduced **page load time** by 80% by streamlining data retrieval to a single API call on page load, utilizing **Context API** for efficient data distribution, and implementing pagination to minimize data overload.
- Engineered and deployed robust backend endpoints for the **Golang**-based REST API.
- Authored comprehensive tests using **Jest** and **React Testing Library** to ensure code integrity and functionality.

**Software Developer Intern**                      **Hewlett Packard Enterprise**                      **May – Aug 2023**

- Developed and launched a **React.js**-based demo portal as the sole developer, effectively showcasing **HPE GreenLake** solutions and streamlining the demo process by at least 50%.
- Orchestrated the automation and optimization of demo processes for a range of HPE solutions, utilizing **Python** and **Bash** scripts, and managed **VMware vSphere** VM environments to ensure efficient and effective demo execution, reducing setup time by approximately 80%.



**Software Developer Intern**                      **Bolee Machine Tool Ltd.**                      **Apr – Jun 2023**

- Tackled the challenge of time-consuming manual product entries on the company's WordPress e-commerce site, previously reliant on a lengthy admin GUI process.
- Revolutionized product management by developing a **Python**-based automation tool using **Selenium** for the company's WordPress e-commerce site; achieved a remarkable 99% reduction in time required for bulk price updates.
- Managed the company's server system, including configuring the VPN server for remote access and upgrading the storage of the NAS server.

## Technical Experience

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### Projects

- **Instagram Clone** . Developed an Instagram clone using Next.js, TailwindCSS, Express, Firebase Auth, MongoDB, Socket.io, and Node.js, replicating core features such as user registration, profiles, post creation, and real-time chat.
- **Biquadris** . Engineered a customizable Tetris variant in C++, utilizing MVC and Factory Method design patterns for a robust architecture. Created an engaging and user-friendly GUI using the X Window System, with adjustable board dimensions and win conditions.

## Education

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**Waterloo, ON Canada**                      **University of Waterloo**                      **Sept 2020 – Aug 2024**

- Honours Bachelor of Mathematics.
- Double Major: Computational Mathematics, and Combinatorics & Optimization.
- Minor: Computer Science.

## Skills

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- **Languages:** TypeScript, JavaScript, HTML, CSS, Python, C++, Go, Bash, SQL, LaTeX, MATLAB

- **Technologies/Frameworks:** React, Next.js, Socket.io, Node.js, MongoDB, MaterialUI, TailwindCSS, Jest, React Testing Library, Selenium, Git, Linux/Unix.