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## EDUCATION

### Northeastern University

College of Computer and Information Science

*Candidate for a Bachelor of Science in Computer Science and Business Administration*

Relevant courses: Fundamentals of Computer Science I and II, Discrete Structures, Calculus, Logic and Computation, Object Oriented Design, Computer Systems, Algorithms, Software Development

Clubs: NU Hacks/ NU ACM/ Northeastern Orchestra

Awards: Excellence Scholarship, Blackrock API award (MHacks8)

Boston, MA

Fall 2015 - Present

2020 (Expected)

### New England Conservatory of Music

Enrolled in Violin Performance Certification program, studying advanced theory, composition, and performance.

Boston, MA

2015 – Present

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## EXPERIENCE

### Software Engineering Co-op

*Harvard Catalyst: <https://catalyst.harvard.edu>*

Boston, MA

Jan 2019 – July 2019

- Worked closely with BA, QA, Senior SWE, and Tech Lead on two agile teams, providing technical analysis through story grooming, feature development, and bug fix processes
- Increased RSpec test coverage on the national-scale SMART-IRB application by roughly 7%
- Implemented a new IRB request amendment workflow in Ruby on Rails
- Created several new React pages and components for the LearnResearch Tool
- Implemented HarvardKey single sign-on and addressed browser incompatibility issues in LearnResearch

### Full Stack Developer

*Unibit: [www.unibit.ai](http://www.unibit.ai)*

Allston, MA

Sep 2018 – Apr 2019

- Built interactive financial charts using Vue and Plotly.js, allowing users to compare various securities and market trends
- Built the UI for a conversational Q&A chat bot which could answer financial questions and point the user towards additional resources in the database
- Configured and populated Elasticsearch index, significantly speeding up application query times
- Implemented Google Analytics on documentation website, enabling the company to gather accurate metrics on the usage of each API endpoint

### Full Stack Development Co-op

*Zylotech: [www.zylotech.com](http://www.zylotech.com)*

Cambridge, MA

Jan 2018 – June 2018

- Wrote chart dashboard library using React, Redux, and Plotly.js to accelerate internal application development
- Built customer data management application with React, Express, Mongo, Node, and aws-sdk to be used by the data management team
- Created several custom components for the customer intelligence platform application using React and Material UI and populated them with data from a Node backend

### Software Development Intern

*Center for Research and Training at the Learning Center for the Deaf: [www.tlcdeaf.org](http://www.tlcdeaf.org)*

Boston, MA

June 2017 – Dec 2017

- Utilized test driven development in order to rewrite a Flask API in Ruby on Rails
- Worked on rewrite converting the web client, an Angular application for interacting with STEM related ASL signs, into React

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## Skills

Languages: HTML5, CSS3, Javascript (ES2017+), Java, Ruby

Frameworks/Libraries: React, Vue, Node.js, Express, SCSS, Ruby on Rails, Elasticsearch, Material UI, Bootstrap

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## Interests

Violin, Origami, Hackathons, Runescape, Pho