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**CAREER OBJECTIVE:** Web Applications Developer and Designer

**WORK EXPERIENCE**

09/12 – 12/12 Mobile App Developer Intern

Dominion Enterprises, Norfolk, VA

Created a Mobile App for Android and iOS using Appcelerator Titanium Studio. The goal of the app was be able to bring up the Property Value of a house or apartment that you are standing next to, while filtering out property, based on your mobile device's compass, is not in the direction you are facing. This app also features a way to manually search addresses, in the event that the device's Location Services are not available for any reason.

Summer 2008 Customer Assistance / Backup cashier

Target, Virginia Beach, VA

Walked through store offering assistance to customers, restocked return items, and straightened shelves. Served as cashier during busy times, especially electronics section.

Spring season 2006 Games Area

Merchandise Department, Busch Gardens, Williamsburg, VA

Made change, operated games

Fall season 2004- 2005 Howl-O-Scream Entertainer

Entertainment Department, Busch Gardens, Williamsburg, VA

Performed in various shows to entertain guest

**QUALIFICATIONS**

**Certifications:**

MOS Certifications: Excel 2007

Career Readiness Certificate, Silver Level, Commonwealth of Virginia

Customer Service Certification by International Customer Service Association, certified through National Seminars, Inc.

**Computer Skills:**

Operating Systems: MS DOS 6, Windows 3.1, Windows 95/98, Windows 2000, Windows XP, Vista, Windows 7, Windows 8

Applications: Word 97 – 2013, Access 2007, Excel 2007, Outlook 2007 -10,

Adobe Dreamweaver CS4 – CS6, Visual Studio 2008 – 2012, Adobe Flash CS5/5.5

Basic theory: Photoshop, Illustrator, Website Design Principles – Basic through Advanced

Internet Use: Skill Soft study program, research, email, designed web pages for IPC’s and mobile devices, develop web applications for iOS

Programming languages: Java, JavaScript, MySQL, Visual Basic, HTML, CSS3, PHP, C++

Content Management Systems: WordPress 3

**Office Skills:**

Record Keeping: manual and digital database management

Office machines: Printers, copiers, faxes, scanners, shredders, calculators

**Interpersonal:**

Assisted others with Visual Basic as requested

Teamed with classmates to develop programs

**RELATED WORK EXPERIENCE**

05/12 – 07/12 Student Project

Enhanced “Guess The Phrase” Java final exam using techniques learned in Advanced Java Programming course. Source code is available at www.raggiesoft.com/gtp

04/12 – Present Portfolio Project

Website Portfolio

Created a website which centrally houses the major projects I completed, both for class, as well as self-taught. This portfolio can be viewed at http://portfolio.raggiesoft.com/ and uses CSS and PHP to demonstrate knowledge of the languages.

01/11 – 03/11 Student Project

Cordova County Department of Transportation

Website for fictional agency to demonstrate website knowledge. Site uses PHP, CSS3, JavaScript, jQuery, and jQuery Mobile and adapts to desktop, mobile device, and printer automatically. http://cordova.raggiesoft.com/

10/10 – 12/10 Student Project

Talking Books Center, Staunton, VA

Worked on web site upgrade. Site available at www.talkingbookcenter.org

09/10 – 10/10 Student Project

Shenandoah Valley Disability Employment Awareness Committee

Updated website, developed more user friendly mode

Committee has disbanded, but website can be viewed at http://portfolio.raggiesoft.com/index.php?page=svdeac

**EDUCATION**

Currently working towards an Associate’s Degree is Computer Science

08/12 – 12/12 Course, C++ Programming

Tidewater Community College, Virginia Beach, VA

05/12 – 07/12 Course, Advanced Java Programming

Tidewater Community College, Chesapeake, VA

01/12 – 05/12 Course, Java Programming

Tidewater Community College, Portsmouth, VA

12/09 – 01/10

05/10 – 03/11 Certificate, Web Development and Design

Business Information Technology

Woodrow Wilson Center for Employment, Fishersville, VA