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EDUCATION

University of Texas Rio Grande Valley | Edinburg, Texas | May 2023

Bachelor of Science in Computer Engineering

South Texas College | McAllen, Texas | May 2019

Associate of Science in Computer Science

RELEVANT COURSEWORK

Database Design and Implementation (CSCI 4333) | Spring 2023
Algorithms and Data Structures (CSCI 3333) | Fall 2022
Software Engineering II (CSCI 3341) | Fall 2021
Software Engineering I (CSCI 3340) | Summer II 2021
Computer Science II (CSCI 2380) | Spring 2020
Computer Science I (CSCI 1370) | Fall 2019

SKILLS

Relevant Skills: HTML, CSS, and JavaScript (3 years), React.js (2 years), Python (1 year), MySQL (1 year), Express.js (5 months), Flask (5 months)

Other Skills: English and Spanish

SOFTWARE PROJECTS

Dating Web App

- Currently designing a dating web app since June 2023 using React.js and CSS for the front end, Flask and Express.js for the back end, and PostgreSQL for the database.
- Currently designing to connect people with potential matches based on their interests and other attributes, such as city and state residence, age, etc.
- Currently considering a future design to allow university students to connect with fellow classmates and gain relationship experience to apply to a real-life relationship after graduation or outside of school.

Personal Website

- Designed and implemented a website using React.js as the main framework while also using CSS and React Bootstrap to stylize the user interface (UI).
- Integrated a RESTful API written in Flask that performs CRUD operations and a PostgreSQL database to handle and display announcements on website.
- Used to display works, mostly consisting of personal photography depicting pieces of nature, and as well as software projects.

EXPERIENCE

Retail Sales Associate, Walgreens | McAllen, Texas | December 2022 - March 2023

- Assisted on average 20-25 customers a week in finding a product and answering their questions or concerns.
- Restocked sold out products in respective bays.
- Helped move products to the promotional section of the store where needed.

Maintenance/Sanitary Crew, Walgreens | McAllen, Texas | June 2022 - July 2022

- · Organized merchandise in the storeroom to allow for easier retrieval and subsequent placement.
- Cleaned areas of the store to ensure presentability to entering customers.
- Faced products behind the shelves to the front and moved misplaced products to correct bays and aisles.

HONORS & ACTIVITIES

Dean's List | Recipient | Spring 2022, Spring 2023

Greater Texas Foundation Scholarship | Recipient | July 2019 – May 2022

High School Programming Contest (HSPC) | *Volunteer* | *February 2020*

Frontera Devs | Member | October 2019 - May 2023

Association for Computing Machinery | Member | September 2019 - December 2022