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# Objective

Interested in a Co-op the summer of 2014 with the goal of gaining a work experience that will help me use the skills I have learned thus far and gain further knowledge beyond what I currently know.

#### Education

Bachelor of Science in Applied Networking and Systems Administration

2012 - 2017 (Expected)

Classwork thus far includes Networking I, Routing and Switching, Scripting, Programming in C++, Discrete Mathematics, Database Structure and Data Modeling

# General Technology Work

- Programming and problem solving in Perl, Python, C/C++, C#, Java, Visual Basic
- Design and building of computers of varying levels
  - Extensive knowledge of common hardware and configurations for most personal desktop deployments
  - Experience with assembling server hardware, including racking and cable management
- Computer Generated Imagery/Animation using Adobe Photoshop, After Effects, and Cinema 4D
- Knowledge of wired/wireless networking and upkeep
- Knowledge of Windows, Mac, and Linux troubleshooting and upkeep

### Work Experience

Residential Computing Consultant – Rochester Institute of Technology

Spring 2013 - Current

As an ITS Technician, I am responsible for troubleshooting software, networking, and hardware issues for personal and certain university-owned computers and ultimately resolving these issues. These repairs include advanced Windows troubleshooting, hardware troubleshooting, and network troubleshooting in a physical and software medium, as well as frequent customer service interactions.

#### Information Security Intern – iSIGHT Partners

Summer, 2013

Worked with the Threatspace team to develop new puzzles for use in the Threatspace environment and wrote and integrated quality assurance tests using Selenium and Python.

### Target Development Intern – iSIGHT Partners

Summer, 2012

Worked with Threatspace team doing target development for the Threatspace environment, working mostly with Python and C#. This project also included hardware work, learning and deploying Arduino with Wi-Fi for remote uses. Also worked doing graphic design work for the team. Other responsibilities included maintaining a clean server room space and workspace.

## **Projects**

Camera Shutter/Time Lapse Controller

Using a Teensy++ 2.0, small LCD display and a simple circuit, I created a shutter and time-lapse controller able to interface with Canon cameras. This controller used a built in menu and control system that was created for this project entirely in Arduino style C.

#### Terracraft

Terracraft is a 2D platformer written in Java that was co-authored by Connor Mahaffey and myself. This game was an experiment in dynamic generation of content and menu systems. For this project, I worked with random generation of the terrain and the menu system software and graphic design. I also created the textures used in the pallet of the game, creating a world that is randomly generated and none-repeating.