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I want to get involved with web development. I love programming, sharing ideas and learning about new technologies.

As a person who loves logical puzzles, I get excited when presented with a tough problem. I believe a tough problem truly challenges how much you know, and provides the opportunity for me to learn more about the solution on how to solve the problem. I love collaborating, sharing ideas, knowledge and skills with others, as well as learn from others.

</> Projects

- **UpSkill (2020)**. An online platform that offers live local lessons to help upskill learners to help them re-enter the job market. Built using **MongoDB, Express, ReactJs**, and **NodeJs**.
- **LearnFromA.Kiwi (2020)**. A web application that connects individuals with instructors in New Zealand. Created as part of Startup Weekend Aotearoa 2020. Built using **ReactJs** and several UI components such as **reactstrap**.
- **Personal Website (2020)**. My personal website. Built in a week using **ReactJs, JavaScript** and **Bootstrap**.
- **Cinema Application (2020)**. An application that allows users to add, update, delete and display movie times, as well as employees working at a cinema. Application was built with the **MongoDB, Express, ReactJs** and **NodeJs** stack.

🔧 Skills Summary:

Problem Solver - I love solving problems, and was able to apply this skill by debugging experimental software issues while conducting research. I have also joined various hackathons to create solutions to real life problems.

Team Leadership - I love collaborating, and working with others on projects to solve a problem. I was able to demonstrate my leadership skills through hackathons, university group assignments and my past employment as a residential assistant.

Adaptability - I adapt very quickly to the environment by learning, asking questions and debate ideas with others. Due to COVID-19, I adapted by making online videos instead of tutoring students in person, which was a new challenge that I enjoyed overcoming.

Enthusiasm - I am always excited to learn more, whether it be a new skill, programming language, or new cultures. I have received good reviews on my personality from my role as a residential assistant, with students approaching me when they required pastoral care.

Technical Skill	Months of Use	Last Used	Capacity	Language	Proficiency
Python	28	current	university, competitive programming, private study, commercial	English	Fluent
JavaScript	8	current	private study, university	Chinese	Fluent
HTML/CSS	8	current	private study, side projects, university	Melayu	Conversational
ReactJs	5	current	commercial, side projects	Cantonese	Beginner
C++	4	current	competitive programming		
C#	5	6 months ago	university, commercial		
Java	4	12 months ago	university, hackathon, side projects		
C	2	24 months ago	university		

Experience

- **Mar 2020 - Present** **Graduate Teaching Assistant**
University of Auckland
Tutored the Human-Computer Interaction (CS345) class. Led tutorial discussions, and taught certain concepts in more detail. Created tutorial videos to adapt to changes in content delivery to students.
- **Nov 2019 - Feb 2020** **Data Science Intern**
Orion Health
Conducted user research with clinicians and data scientists to elicit requirements for a data annotation tool. Built a web application using **ReactJs**, and used **Git** as version control.
- **Jun 2018 - Nov 2019** **Research Assistant**
University of Auckland
Conceptualized the experiment for the study. Built a desktop application to record sensor data using **C#**.
- **May 2018 - Nov 2019** **Volunteer: CodeClub Aotearoa**
Pakuranga Library
Ran weekly sessions for a class of 15-20 children, some with learning difficulties. Taught **Python**, **Scratch** and **JavaScript**.
- **Feb 2016 - Nov 2017** **Residential Assistant**
University of Otago
Addressed student needs resolving conflicts, and providing counsel on various personal and academic issues. Liaison with other colleges and University staff to organize sport and art events.

Achievements

2020 DEVs Hackathon — First Place

Summer Research Scholarship — Precision Driven Health

Certificate of Outstanding Achievement — Research Project (*Investigating the Effects of Notifications on Productivity and Stress*)

Education

- **University of Auckland, New Zealand** **Mar 2020 - Nov 2021**
Bachelor of Science (Hons) in Computer Science
- **University of Auckland, New Zealand** **Jan 2018 - Nov 2019**
Graduate Diploma in Computer Science
- **University of Otago, New Zealand** **Jan 2014 - Nov 2017**
Bachelor of Science in Neuroscience and Genetics

References

References available upon request