Salvatore Skare

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Education

Bachelor of Science

University of Wisconsin - La Crosse, December 2019

Concentration: Computer Science

Minor: Physics with an emphasis in Astronomy

Relevant Skills and Experience

- Written extensively in C, C#, Java, PHP, Python, JavaScript, and TypeScript
- Extensive experience with backend web development, including Python/Flask, LAMP and C#/MSSQL stacks
- Experience with frontend development using JavaScript, Typescript, JQuery, and Angular
- Experience with Optimizely EpiServer CMS software
- Advanced knowledge of Unix-like operating systems
- Familiar with with parallel computing, using OpenMPI
- Familiar with modern machine learning technologies and frameworks
- Experience with circuit design and fabrication, as well as low-level microcontroller programming.

Work Experience Full Stack Web Developer

Fall 2016 - Present

University of Wisconsin - La Crosse

- In charge of adding features to and maintaining https://www.uwlax.edu, as well as internal web-based tools
- Worked closely with a diverse team of professionals
- Re-designed internal tooling to increase performance and remove code redundancy
- Built a blogging plugin for Optimizely EpiServer with JavaScript based templating
- Designed and wrote custom system monitoring tool using a Flask API and Angular frontend

Computer Science TA

 $Fall\ 2020-Spring\ 2021$

University of Wisconsin – Madison

- Assisted in teaching students in CS 252 Introduction to Computer Engineering
- Designed quiz/exam questions, held office hours and graded student assignments

Research Experience

Using a Recurrent Neural Network and Articulatory Synthesis to Accurately Model Speech Output Spring 2018 - Fall 2019

Undergraduate Research with Professor A. Sauppé

- Secured \$11,000 in funding
- Was awarded the Dean's Distinguished Fellow's grant
- Presented a talk at the 2019 Midwest Instruction and Computer Symposium and published in the conference proceedings
- Presented a talk at the 2019 National Conference of Undergraduate Research conference published in the conference proceedings

Extra-curricular Activities and **Hobbies**

Volunteered as web-developer/administrator for NAMI northwoods chapter

Competed in the International Collegiate Programming Contest

Amateur Herpetologist

Designing and building IoT devices for personal use

Amateur robotics enthusiast

Maintaining a small home-lab with web server, DNS, DHCP, and network storage