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## Technical Skills

## Languages Applications

- Eclipse
- Xcode
- Microsoft Visual Studio

Microsoft Office

- Subversion
- Fossil
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- Git
- Assembly

   Adobe Photoshop
  Language (x86)
   Adobe After
- SQL

Python

Java

C++

**CSS** 

Julia

HTML

**MATLAB** 

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### Operating Systems

- Windows
- Mac OS
- LinuxiOS
- Android

#### Concepts

- Abstract Data Types
- Sorting Methods
- Object-Oriented Programming
- Agile Development
- Design Thinking

#### **Education**

### **Bachelor of Applied Science – Major in Computing Science Sept**

**Effects** 

Sept 2013-Present

Simon Fraser University, Burnaby, BC

• One year studying abroad at Zhejiang University, Hangzhou, China (Sept 2014–June 2015)

Dean's Honour Roll Spring 2016

Awarded for achieving a 3.50 or higher GPA with a minimum of 12 credits in the term

## Technical **Projects**

#### Shogi Game

Sept-Dec 2016

Introduction to Software Engineering (CMPT 276) – Simon Fraser University | Burnaby, BC

- Worked with a team of five students to produce a Japanese chess game, *Shogi*, with artificial intelligence, a graphical user interface, and networking
- Collaborated with the team leader to develop multiple AI difficulties using the minimax search with alpha-beta pruning and Monte Carlo tree search
- Integrated components and fixed bugs to ensure a runnable software on multiple operating systems, and a high quality final product

### **English-Klingon Translator**

May-June 2016

Data Structures & Programming (CMPT 225) – Simon Fraser University | Burnaby, BC

- Designed an English-Klingon (language of fictional characters in Star Trek) translator in C++ using a binary search tree and a hash table to translate words
- Created a binary search tree by using a doubly linked list to implement its functions in order to insert and display all words in the translation library in sorted order efficiently
- Created a hash table by using chain hashing to avoid collision and a singly linked list to implement its functions in order to translate individual words from the command line

## **Bank Simulation Application**

May-Jun 2016

Data Structures & Programming (CMPT 225) – Simon Fraser University | Burnaby, BC

• Developed an event driven simulation of a bank in C++ using a circular queue and priority queue to manage and process customers efficiently in priority order

Created a priority queue by using a singly linked list to implement its functions in order to insert and remove customers from the priority queue

## Technical Projects (Cont'd)

## FriendsBook Application

May-June 2016

Data Structures & Programming (CMPT 225) - Simon Fraser University | Burnaby, BC

 Developed a social network application, FriendsBook, in C++ that stores user information in a dynamic array with function methods that allow users to add, remove, or search for friends, and to change their image or status

Adventure Game Sept-Dec 2013

Intro to Computing Science & Programming (CMPT 120) - Simon Fraser University | Burnaby, BC

- Worked with a team of three students to brainstorm ideas and write code in Python for the development of an adventure game that allows a single player to interact with the system
- Created images using turtle graphics to display to the player
- Developed several test plans to account for a wide variety of potential errors and ensure that the final program was capable of exception handling

## Work Experience

#### Sales Associate

July 2012, 2015

The Sample Sale Guys | Richmond, BC

- Communicated with customers to help them find merchandise they were looking for
- Organized merchandise displays to maintain a clean and welcoming customer environment

Local Referee Dec 2011–June 2014

Volleyball BC | Vancouver, BC

 Coordinated volleyball competitions smoothly by making quick and confident decisions under pressure to control the flow of the games

Promoter Apr–June 2012

Gold's Gym | Vancouver, BC

 Promoted events for the fitness center by conversing with people on the street to encourage them to sign up for memberships

## Volunteer Experience

#### **Head of High School Fundraising Association**

Sept-June 2013

Heart2Heart Canadian Youth Society | Vancouver, BC

- Organized our 7<sup>th</sup> annual charity banquet, with a team of 12 students, that raised over \$80,000 to help build schools for children in rural China
- Promoted event by spreading awareness, selling tickets, and encouraging people to attend

#### **Adjudicator Assistant**

**July 2013** 

Kiwanis Music Festival | Vancouver, BC

- Greeted participants and ensured they were well-informed of the competition's procedures
- Assisted the adjudicator with announcements and organizing paperwork, to ensure competition results were accurately reported

#### **Interests**

- 10+ years of experience playing the piano and violin
- Strong interest in visual arts and video games
- 4 years of experience snowboarding