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Education

Queen's University | Bachelor of Computing (Honours)

09/2020 - Present

- Coursework: Data Structures, Algorithms, Software Architecture, Artificial Intelligence
- Extracurriculars: COMPSA Scribe, Queen's Web Development Club Member

Experience

LCBO | Customer Service Representative

05/2022 - Present

- Gained deep knowledge of product categories and attributes and provided expert advice to consumers within the first week.
- Prioritized and adapted to current needs of a hands-on, fast-paced environment and remained flexible during high peak periods.
- Developed strong relationships with coworkers and provided friendly and professional service for customers.
- Implemented a new method of unloading stock which reduced task completion time by 30% within the first 2 months.

FRC 5024 | Programming Captain / Software Developer

09/2016 - 06/2020

- Programmed various subsystems for each year's robot using Java and WPILib, a custom library specific to the First Robotics Competition organization.
- Planned, designed, built, and programmed a climber with a 100% success rate.
- Developed, tested, and improved robot code using software development life cycle principles and testing methodologies to ensure quality performance.
- Ensured team members completed tasks on time and ensured clear communication with hardware team members.

Skills

- Languages: Java, C#, JavaScript, HTML/CSS, Python, SQL
- Frameworks: ReactJS, React Native, Express
- Technologies: NodeJS, MongoDB, Git, Jira
- Soft: Fast Learner, Independent, Adaptable, Strong Communicator

Projects

Recipe App | JavaScript, SQL, Express, React, NodeJS

- Fullstack web-based application that allows users to create, save, and share their recipes with the world.
- Built around a SQL database and utilizes relational database design for efficiency.

Meal Planner App | JavaScript, React Native

- Mobile app that allows users to create meals and add them to their calendar.
- Utilizes Navigation, State, and Local Storage to create a seamless experience.