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EDUCATION

University of Waterloo

Waterloo, ON

Candidate for Bachelor of Computer Science

Sept. 2021 - April 2026

EXPERIENCE

Computer Science Summer Institute (CSSI) Student

Remote

Google

July 2021 - Aug. 2021

- Participated in a selective computer science program based on JavaScript and Firebase taught by Google engineers
- Explored several different APIs such as Giphy, Spotify, and Deezer API, while collaborating with two other CSSI students to create a music storage and playback web application (My Music Mix) using Git and GitHub
- Integrated Firebase's Realtime Database and authentication services into 4 different web applications to automatically manage and sync user data

Programming Instructor

Region of Peel, ON

Peel District School Board of Ontario

June 2021 - July 2021

- Lead a regional developmental program to introduce 50 middle-school students to object-oriented programming and computer architecture
- Designed a curriculum based around Python and JavaScript through interactive coding platforms such as Ear-Sketch and Replit, helping every student create a personal culminative programming project

Competitive Robotics Team Founder & Mentor

Brampton, ON

Kraftwerx Robotics

July 2017 - May 2021

- Created Kraftwerx Robotics to help students practice robotics programming and mechanical design through weekly meetings and competitions
- \bullet Developed a robotics curriculum from scratch to teach new students about control systems and feedback loops, while also integrating them on a real robot in C++
- Expanded the organization from 4 students to 15, who have qualified for the World Championships every year (500 out of ~20,000 teams worldwide)

PROJECTS

My Music Mix | Project Demo | GitHub Link

Aug. 2021

Created with Firebase, Deezer API, Bulma

- Created a web application for users to store and play their favourite music outside of paid streaming services
- Integrated asynchronous item-search functionality using the Deezer API, and automatically stored user selections in a Firebase Realtime Database
- Managed user authentication using Firebase's OAuth 2.0 credentials to associate user preferences to their account

Art of Motion | GitHub Link

Dec. 2020

Created with VEX Robotics Components, OkapiLib Odometry API

- Determined a mathematical movement model which ensures minimal inaccuracy of robotic drivetrain movements
- Used VEX Robotics parts to build a robotic prototype, and the OkapiLib Odometry API to run ~30 testcases
- Released all findings publicly, reaching 50+ other competitive VEX teams worldwide

SKILLS

Software Languages: HTML/CSS, JavaScript, TypeScript, Python, C, C++, Java, SQL Other Technologies/Frameworks: Firebase, Git, GitHub, Sass, jQuery, Bootstrap, Bulma

Spoken Languages: English, French, Punjabi, Hindi, Urdu