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PROFILE STATEMENT

Highly motivated and organized professional in Waterloo's Nanotechnology Engineering program equipped with a variety of multidisciplinary skills. Possesses an ability to adapt to new challenges and learn new skills relatively quickly. Able to work well in groups and to co-ordinate and prioritize tasks effectively in order to gain the most desirable outcomes.

SKILLS

TECHNICAL

- Microsoft Office
- Python
- ✓ Java
- <u>Matlab</u>
- ✓ HTML,CSS, JavaScript
- ✓ Laboratory Experience

ANALYTICAL

- ✓ Computing
- ✓ Prioritization
- ✓ Critical Thinking
- ✓ Organizing
- Planning
- ✓ Problem Solving

INTERPERSONAL

- Public Speaking
- Strong Communication
- ✓ Team Player
- Collaboration
- Event Co-ordination
- **Event Planning**

EDUCATION

B.Eng, UNIVERSITY OF WATERLOO NANOTECHNOLOGY ENGINEERING CO-OP

RELEVANT COURSES:

- ✓ Organic Chemistry

✓ Computational Methods

✓ Material Science

EXPERIENCE

WATERLOO, ON WINTER 2016-PRESENT

WATERLOO, ON

CLASS OF 2020

MIDNIGHT SUN SOLAR CAR TEAM

- Member of a team that is creating a solar powered car from scratch to compete in the American Solar Challenge 2016
- Worked in a team environment helping to develop effective <u>interpersonal</u>
- Adapted to new roles and responsibilities and created a flexible schedule to adapt to the diverse shift times

WATERLOO, ON WINTER 2016-PRESENT

MISSISSAUGA MAY 2016-PRESENT

PEARSON INT'L AIRPORT SUMMER 2015

REGENT PARK, TORONTO SUMMER 2014

iGEM - POLICY & PRACTICES

- Member of iGem, an organization advancing the cause of synthetic biology through competition
- Develops <u>public speaking</u> skills by working in a team to give various presentations
- Hones <u>time management</u> skills managing iGem responsibilities with school work

TOASTMASTER'S INTERNATIONAL

- ➤ Attended and participated in weekly presentations given by members
- Successfully gave talks at end of discussion to improve my <u>communication</u> skills

PANAM/PARAPAN AM GAMES VOLUNTEER

- Organized systems to effectively transport athletes from the baggage pickup area to be transported to their respective venue
- **Lead** training sessions to train new volunteers to perform certain tasks
- Collaborated with airport employees to offer the best possible experience for the athletes and guests

VOLUNTEER MEDIA PRODUCER

- Co-ordinated the creation of a community radio show
- Developed an ability to <u>learn quickly</u> whilst learning to use various new technologies
- ➤ Sharpened <u>conflict resolution</u> skills whilst working with a group of individuals with a variety of creative ideas

ACTIVITIES & INTERESTS

During my spare time, I enjoy:

- Reading
- Volunteering
- Cooking
- Learning new skills through online courses
- Learning French
- Programming
- Meeting new people