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Education

University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign

May 2020

Bachelor of Science in Computer Science & Statistics with a Business minor

GPA 3.70/4.00

- College of Liberal Arts and Sciences Honors James Scholar Program
- Relevant Courses: Discrete Structures, Linear Algebra, Statistical Analysis, Data Structures, Computer Architecture, Systems Programming, Algorithms, AI

Experience

Champaign Urbana Business & Engineering (CUBE) Consulting

Champaign, IL

Consultant (2017 – 2018), Project Manager (2018 – Present)

August 2017 - Present

- As a consultant, worked with a variety of local and international companies to create innovative technology solutions and improve marketing strategies and revenue
- As a project manager, communicate with client to establish project scope and lead team of 4 consultants to design project and ensure deliverables are met within 12 weeks

Illini Awaaz Acapella

Champaign, IL

Manager, Fundraising Chair

August 2017 – Present

• Communicate with local businesses to organize fundraising events to generate competition funds, and communicate with other universities and organizations to organize 2 annual on campus performances and register for 2 - 3 annual competitions

CS 125: Introduction to Computer Science

Champaign, IL

Course Assistant

January 2017 – May 2017

- Facilitate weekly discussions surrounding key concepts of Java including data structures, object oriented programming, design decisions, and time complexity
- Assist class of 20 students with programming projects by correcting syntax errors, assisting with testing and debugging code, and answering conceptual questions

Promoting Undergraduate Research in Engineering (PURE)

Champaign, IL

Research Assistant

August 2016 – December 2016

- Conducted research to determine and resolve security threats surrounding Amazon Echo through lab experiments and analysis of open source code and conference papers
- Collaborated with team of undergraduate students to present research conclusions to industry professionals and graduate students at research symposium

Employment

Google

Los Angeles, CA

Software Engineering Intern

May 2019 – August 2019

- Completed full stack work on Youtube Ads Format team to design new instream ads layouts which impacted user engagement and increased revenue
- Used EML framework to design UI components, and Python and C++ to complete infrastructure work to add and pipe down new server side metadata.

Microsoft Redmond, WA

Explorer Intern

May 2018 – August 2018

- Worked in a team of 3 interns to develop the classification portion of a protection feature for O365 products, which detects sensitive data types in text documents and suggests labels for the file based on the classifications found.
- Used C++ REST to implement HTTP requests, created and utilized in-depth unit tests.

University Housing

Champaign, IL

Resident Advisor

August 2017 – May 2018

- Responded to crisis situations maintaining campus crisis protocols, documented incidents accordingly, conducted 3 building rounds once a week to ensure safety of residents
- Facilitated monthly floor meetings and quarterly 1:1 conversations to discuss social identity issues, mediate conflict, and build personal relationships with all 45 residents
- National Merit Finalist, AP Scholar with Honor, Dean's List (2016, 2017)

Skills

Honors

• C (Advanced), Java (Advanced), C++ (Advanced), Python (Advanced), French (Intermediate), R Studio (Beginner)