# Yahya Thai

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## **SKILLS**

Languages: Java, Python, C, C++, C#, Dart, SQL, VBA for Excel, ARM Assembly

Web & Design: HTML, CSS, JavaScript, React.js, JSON, XML

Tools: Git, Jira, Selenium, WebdriverIO, Perfecto, Apache Superset, Jupyter Notebook, Microsoft Azure

#### **EXPERIENCE**

## Manulife, Waterloo

September 2020 - Present

DevOps Engineer

- Develops on automation tools such as Selenium, WebdriverIO, and Perfecto using JUnit and the BDD Framework
- Works in an Agile team environment using Atlassian Jira and Confluence, reducing workload by 25%
- Works on various Jira stories ranging from features, bug fixes, POTs (proof of technology), documentation, etc.
- Presents upcoming feature updates for our automation tools at demo events to 30+ internal stakeholders
- Supports the DevOps Intake Process Team to resolve internal end-user problems and strengthen end-user requirements for our automation tools.

## Gide Analytics Inc. Waterloo

**July 2019 - September 2019** 

Web Developer

- Implemented Gide's first web application based on the open-source software Apache Superset
- Developed sentiment visualizations for large structured data through the use of HTML, CSS, and React.js
- Designed SQL queries to access an SQLite database to visualize sentiment analysis data

# Gide Analytics Inc. Waterloo

May 2019 - July 2019

Data Scientist

- Integrated and diagnosed raw data into the data pipeline by exploring, processing, and cleaning the dataset using Microsoft Excel, Jupyter Notebook, Pandas, and multiple NLP frameworks
- Conveyed key problems and solutions with internal stakeholders, speeding up the development process 40% faster
- Developed and executed product test conditions for stability testing by translating business requirements

## Wilfrid Laurier University

September 2019 – December 2019

Teaching Assistant

- Instructed students with laboratory assignments covering the "Introduction to Programming" course
- Graded 50+ students' work submissions based on professors' devised rubrics
- Proctored and instructed 100+ student candidates in the examination room

# **COMPETITIONS & PERSONAL PROJECTS**

Hack the North September 2019

Machine Learning Developer

- Contributed to a team Flutter mobile project called SpeakNow which has two functions:
  - o Obtained speech and converted it to sign language for the user
  - Used machine learning with Microsoft Azure's Custom Vision AI to predict hand sign language from the camera feed and converted it to text

Nintendo Wii U App July 2017

Swap DRC

- Co-Developed a Nintendo Wii U App in C/C++ that redirects the graphics and audio between the TV and gamepad
- Established as a top popular program on the internet with over 70,000 global views

## **EDUCATION**

## Wilfrid Laurier University

Waterloo, ON

Expected Graduation: Spring 2022

Honours Bachelor of Science in Computer Science

o Pursuing Concentration in Big Data Systems; Minor in UX Design