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EDUCATION

Honours Computer Science Co-op (B.A.Sc.)

McMaster University, 3.8/4.0 GPA

September 2021 – April 2025

Hamilton, Ontario

WORK EXPERIENCE

Full Stack Developer

McMaster Start Coding

September 2023 – Present

Hamilton, Ontario

- Developing an Integrated Development Environment (IDE) with React.js, PostgreSQL, Haskell, and Docker for teaching functional programming in Elm.
- Implementing user-centric features, including a highly requested dark mode, to enhance the experience of thousands of students, resulting in a notable increase in user satisfaction and engagement.
- Participating in weekly stand-up meetings and participating in peer code reviews.

Teaching Assistant

McMaster University

September 2023 – Present

Hamilton, Ontario

- Facilitating COMPSCI 2ME3: Introduction to Software Development as a teaching assistant, teaching concepts such as design patterns, interface specifications, Unified Modeling Language (UML), and Software Development Life Cycle (SDLC).
- Assisting students with questions and promptly evaluating assignments for a cohort of 180+ students.

Jr. Software Engineer

Tech Mahindra

May 2023 – August 2023

Toronto, Ontario

- Designed formal specifications for a complex bank mortgage system which increased software reliability and reduced maintenance costs.
- Normalized database schemas in MySQL to reduce data redundancy, saved 10% storage space, and reduced maintenance.

Jr. Software Engineer

Tech Mahindra

May 2022 – August 2022

Toronto, Ontario

- Designed a plugin with UML that uses JUnit to generate unit test cases for Java Spring Boot applications reducing testing time for developers in the organization.
- Conducted research on Agile Methodology, Software Development Life Cycle and different version control tools and presented findings to Tech Mahindra's Digital Transformation and Execution Director.
- Completed Tech Mahindra's courses on modern banking, digital technologies, Junit, Java, and UML.

PROJECTS

Personal Website | HTML, CSS, JavaScript, JQuery, Bootstrap, Animation Libraries

August 2020 – Present

- A responsive website that visualizes my resume by highlighting my work experience, projects, skills, and awards.

Face Lock | Python, OpenCV, Fernet

January 2023

- Encrypts and decrypts files/folders with facial recognition using symmetric authenticated cryptography.

Linear Algebraizer | Elm, Git

January 2022 – April 2022

- A web study tool containing resources on 10 abstract linear algebra theorems.
- Implemented an intuitive UI that allows users to visualize abstract linear algebra theorems through their input.
- Interviewed users and iterated over its design throughout the course of 12 weeks.

Cat Viewer | JavaScript, Vue.js, Vuetify, The Cat API, Git

February 2022

- Displays paginated images of cats, with filters over 67 different breeds of cats, containing over 8000+ images.

Tip.cc Suite | Python, PyAutoGUI, Git

May 2021 – July 2021

- Allows users to transfer their entire cryptocurrency portfolio (up to 295 cryptocurrencies) to another Tip.cc account on Discord, auto type in Tip.cc phrase drops, and calculate missing cryptocurrencies in portfolios.
- Automate commands to the Tip.cc bot.

Mahjong Counter | HTML, CSS, JavaScript, Render, Git

June 2020 – September 2020

- A web application to keep score during Mahjong gameplay, saving 5-10 minutes each game.
- Aggregates and reports 10 statistics including money won/lost, win streaks, and highest win, throughout the game.

TECHNICAL SKILLS

Languages: Java, Python, C, MySQL, PostgreSQL, JavaScript, HTML/CSS, Bash, Elm, Haskell

Frameworks: React.js, Node.js, JUnit, HUnit, Bootstrap, Spring

Tools: Git, VS Code, Jira, Docker, Linux, Unix

Libraries: Matplotlib, OpenCV