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EDUCATION

University of Toronto | Honours Bachelor of Science in Computer Science

Sept 2018 - Apr 2023

- GPA: 3.87/4.0
- Awards: Dean's List Scholar | Honour Roll 2019-2020, 2020-2021

TECHNICAL SKILLS

- Programming Languages: JavaScript, TypeScript, Java, Python, HTML, CSS, C Programming, SQL
- Tools/Frameworks: React, Jest, Node.js, Express, Storybook.js, Webpack, Docker, AWS, Git, PostgreSQL

EXPERIENCE

Associate Web Engineer

May 2021 - Present

Wattpad | Toronto, ON

- Migrated the web application's Search experience from Backbone.js to **React**, leading to an **11%** boost in user engagement within the initial two weeks of launch.
- Developed submission forms and contest banners for the 2022 Watty awards, optimizing API calls by 67% and receiving over 30K submissions with zero significant bugs on launch.
- Built the foundation elements for Wattpad's **design system** in using **React, TypeScript**, **Storybook** and **Webpack**, enabling over **15** web engineers to deliver consistent user experiences.
- Improved app accessibility for users by implementing WCAG guidelines, resulting in a more than 20% reduction in accessibility issues.

Web Developer Sept 2020 – Feb 2021

ICUBE UTM | Mississauga, ON

- Developed five responsive websites for clients using HTML, CSS, JavaScript, and MySQL.
- Created a custom WordPress plugin using PHP to simplify and automate clients' workflow, saving them over 30 manual hours of work per month.
- Worked in an Agile environment and participated in sprint planning and code reviews.

Quality Engineer Intern

May 2020 – Aug 2020

Royal Bank of Canada (RBC) | Toronto, ON

- Worked on the Client Cards team to automate UI Testing, authoring 350+ test cases, the highest by an intern.
- Utilized Python with Selenium to develop automation scripts that enhanced automated test coverage by 48%.
- Worked closely with the QA team to create clear, dependable, and sustainable test suites.

Teaching Assistant

Jan 2022 – Apr 2022

University of Toronto | Mississauga, ON

- Worked as an Undergraduate Teaching Assistant for the course CSC309: Programming on the web.
- Delivered weekly tutorials to teach JavaScript, React, and Django fundamentals to a class of 10-15 students.
- Offered prompt feedback and mentoring to over **50** students.

PROJECTS

Video Editor on the web

Jan 2020 – Apr 2020

- Built a web application for editing videos right from your web browser using React and Typescript.
- Developed a rich user experience that enables users to crop, scale, trim, move, split, and animate videos with ease.
- Implemented a RESTful backend using Node.js, Express and MongoDB to handle requests from the client-side application.

2-D MMOG game

Jan 2020 – Apr 2020

- Developed a Massively Multiplayer Online Game (MMOG) game using **React**, allowing multiple players to play the game against each other, fire ammunition, pick up and use items, and move around using a keyboard.
- Built a **RESTful** backend using **Node.js**, **WebSockets**, **Express**, and **PostgreSQL** to handle API requests, story game data, and run the game's model.