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Work Experience

Spotwork Toronto, ON Mobile Developer May 2022 – Aug 2022

Mobile app designed to help users find jobs in proximity with flexible hours and instant pay.

- Developed end-to-end user onboarding flow for US expansion; estimated to impact 10K+ users
- Created new submission flow using Flutter and Dart for contractors to submit ID and equipment for verification; deployed cloud functions to initialize verification statuses; feature used by 15K+ users
- Utilized Firebase to store and query user, job posting, and employer data
- Collaborated with 15 developers to test cross-platform (web and mobile) features

Mortgage Automator Inc

Toronto, ON

JUNIOR HTML DEVELOPER

Aug 2021 - Dec 2021

- Coded structures for 10+ documentation forms and input custom variable fields using HTML and CSS
- Collaborated with a team of 25 developers to resolve assigned JIRA tickets
- Conducted tests to identify errors, debugged code to ensure documents fully met client requirements

Felicity Toronto, ON FRONT END DEVELOPER May 2021 — Aug 2021

Productivity app that diagnoses user habits and provides integrated tools (e.g. to-do lists, calendars, etc.)

- Developed UI for a productivity assessment questionnaire consisting of a sequence of timed questions using Flutter and Dart
- Designed and developed a customizable pomodoro timer for personal work/break times
- Collaborated with 17 developers to integrate questionnaire and timer into core application
- Tested cross-platform functionality using Android Emulator to ensure compatibility

Projects

Consano — Voice-based wellness update web interface for hospital patients.

- Predicted changes in patient health based on natural language statements using NLP API Cohere.ai to train ML model
- Incorporated voice recognition system into web interface using React
- Designed RESTful APIs to get patient's health updates and post results to patient's portal using Express

Harmonyy — Real-time messaging and interactive gaming platform.

- Designed a responsive user interface using HTML, CSS and JavaScript
- Developed game logic using JavaScript, allowing users to draw a word on a canvas before prompting others to input a guess
- Created real-time messaging system using Node.js allowing users to send messages through the server and web sockets
- Created a login system using MySQL to store user login data and authentication tokens

YuMyUm — Web interface for users to view, select and total the cost of food items from a menu

- Designed a menu that allows users to add the desired quantity of items to a cart
- Created modal overlays to display order details and allow item adjustments
- Used hooks to update the state of the cart upon the addition and removal of items

Education

University of Waterloo 2020 - 2025

BACHELOR OF COMPUTER SCIENCE

- President's Scholar (2020) Awarded to students with entrance average of 95%+ (4.0 GPA)
- Extracurriculars: Varsity Ultimate Frisbee Captain
- Relevant courses: Algorithms, Object Oriented Software Development, Application Development, User Interfaces

Technical Skills

Languages: JavaScript, C/C++, Racket, R, Kotlin, Java, Python, HTML, SQL, Dart

Frameworks: React.js, Bootstrap, React Native, Flutter, Firebase

Tools: Git, RStudio, Visual Studio Code, Bash