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▶ SKILLS

GENERAL:

Fluent in Microsoft Office / Google Suite,
Fluent in the Adobe Suite

LANGUAGES: Java, Bash, C/C++, Python, Java
Script, HTML/CSS

MUSIC: Production in FL Studio (and Complete
VSTs), Serato

▶ EDUCATION

McGill University Aug. 2018 - May 2022

B.A. & Sc. Cognitive Science & Computer Science

Lycee Francais de Chicago 2014 - 2018

Honors Baccalauréat Français, International Option 2018

French High school diploma in the Science track, augmented as the bilingual American international option, in addition to the fine arts option. Graduated with High Honors (earning one year of university credit)

▶ ACTIVITIES

ALPHA SIG MCGILL

Vice President of Finance

Jan. 2020 - Current

- Drafted an in-depth budget to compensate for previous "in the red" operations, steering the organization for fiscal health.
- Led a team to develop the organization's maintenance, fundraising, and sponsorship, demonstrating initiative for innovation and leadership.
- Created the automation of payment collection, technically complex Google Sheets for easy budgeting and finance tracking, and a 'master' Google Form establishing all-in-one member data collection and insight generation.

Vice President

May 2019 - Dec. 2019

- Recruited and managed a cabinet of 7 positions.
- Improved operations by revealing deficiencies and offering solutions, such as two new positions, which lead to improved public relations (a new website, promotional video, and higher social media presence), increased transparency and more formalized operations.

Fundraising Director

Jan. 2019 - May 2019

- Took initiative on an event after creating over 5 formal project proposals, delegated and organized individuals to tasks, and created a marketing campaign with high-quality promotional material, which led to an 85% increase in fundraising.

REBOOT MCGILL

Member

Jan. 2019 - Current

- Worked on refurbishing and repairing devices to transform e-waste into functional computers for McGill students in need.

JUNIOR PEACEMAKERS

Social Media Director

Aug. 2019 - Dec. 2019

- Developed intelligent marketing strategies and campaigns, including consistent activity for the growth of a new Instagram page, which greatly increased organization's exposure on campus.

▶ AWARDS

Hackathon Challenge Winner: Helpdesk of the Future · RBC at McHacks Feb. 2020

Won RBC's challenge at Canada's original collegiate Hackathon by developing Cura, an all-in-one solution for companies, automating tasks on their end using insights from their customers, generated across the customer's digital life. One part back-end automation of processes that would have traditionally required lengthy communication between users and companies, and another part browser extension which intelligently offers direct access to said automations. The helpdesk of the future is no helpdesk at all. (devpost here)

Hackathon Challenge Winner: Workplace Well-being · Sun Life Financial at ConUHacks Jan. 2020

Won Sun Life Financial's challenge at Quebec's largest Hackathon by creating an application to help Canadians reduce work-related stress levels and prevent workplace burnout. The project was distinguished for being opt-in and non-invasive, focusing solely on improving the well-being of employees and their managers. (devpost here)

▶ EMPLOYMENT

GLENN'S DINER

Food Expeditor, Runner and Busser

Chicago, IL, USA
June 2019 - Aug. 2019

- Worked collaboratively in a very fast-paced and high volume restaurant, entrusted with increasingly critical tasks such as running, and eventually food expedition over the course of my employment.

BANANA REPUBLIC

Brand Associate

Chicago, IL, USA
June 2019 - Aug. 2019

- Responsible for engaging and connecting with customers by providing excellent customer service resulting in brand loyalty.