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#### **EDUCATION**

## **University of Waterloo**

Sep 2022 - Apr 2026

Bachelor of Computer Science, Honours, Co-op

- **3.91** GPA, **89**% cumulative average, **90**% computer science average
- Relevant coursework in C, C++, algorithm design, OOP, data structures

### **EXPERIENCE**

# **Software Engineering Co-op**

Jan 2024 - Apr 2024, Sep 2024 - Dec 2024

Deephaven Data Labs

New York, NY

TypeScript, React, Redux. Docker, Playwright, Python, Java, gRPC, GitHub Actions

- Engineered gRPC API endpoints, algorithms, and components capable of efficiently handling billions of data points, used by Fortune 500 companies
- Optimized GitHub Actions CI end-to-end tests to shorten runtime by over 75% by modifying tests to be capable of running concurrently
- Developed PyPI Python package for **rapidly calculating JSON tree diffs**, following RFC 6902

# Full-Stack Web Developer Co-op

May 2023 - Aug 2023

DocTalk

Toronto, ON

TypeScript, Python, React, Next.js, PostgreSQL, Redis

- Re-architected messaging platform to reduce response times by over 93%, using websockets
- Developed responsive forms and pages with REST APIs with Redis and PostgreSQL

## **Robotics Software Team Lead**

Dec 2021 - Apr 2022

MGCI FIRST Robotics Team

Toronto, ON

C++, Git, GitHub

- Won Ontario Rookie All-Star Team, progressed to Texas World Championships
- Developed C++ autonomous robotics code using real-time sensors and motor control

#### **PROJECTS**

# 4 Hackathon Wins + UC Berkeley AI/LLM Hackathon

2023 - Ongoing

Python, Django, Flask, TypeScript, React, React Native, Keras, Tensorflow, GPT-4, and more

- MetHacks 2023 Cohere Challenge 1st, Overall 2nd OCR image-to-speech app
- ConUHacks VIII Overall 2nd multiface detection and trained ML sentiment analyzer
- uOttaHack V Noibu Challenge 1st Amazon review summarizing extension
- DeerHacks 2023 Overall 2nd block code website to create Python Discord bots

## Course Compiler Optimization Challenge #1 Place

2024

C++

- 1st place in CS 241 bonus optimization challenge, with 18% better score than 2nd place

#### SKILLS

Languages: Python, C, C++, TypeScript, JavaScript, HTML, CSS, Go, Java, R, Bash

**Technologies:** Django, Next.js, NumPy, PostgreSQL, React, React Native, Redis, Redux, SQL

Tools: Amazon Web Services, Git, GitHub, Gradle, Google Cloud P, Ubuntu GNU/Linux