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Education

University of Illinois at Chicago   Chicago, Illinois
Bachelor of Science in Computer Science   December 2020
- GPA: 3.52

Projects

ECommerce Flower Shop   November 2020
- Created an online fictional flower shop built with Bootstrap in the frontend and ASP.NET in the backend.
- Tested the initial user interface with paper prototypes to gain insight on designing a learnable and efficient UI.
- Programmed using the Model-View-Controller (MVC) design pattern to maintain scalability.

Whatsapp Virtual Assistant   June 2020
- Developed a virtual assistant in Java that reads WhatsApp messages from group members and executes various commands.
- Introduced 10+ different commands to automate tasks such as event planning for the group and a joke teller which calls a RESTful joke API and sends a joke.

Work Experience

Marquette Associates   Chicago, Illinois
Software Engineer   Jan 2023 – Present
- Implemented a feedback system, enabling managers to provide task-specific feedback for each completed employee task.
- Automated distribution of client questionnaires to streamline workflow and reduce manual effort.
- Reduced manual workload by building a financial statement retrieval system using Selenium.

Associate Software Engineer   Oct 2022 – Dec 2023
- Migrated internal applications to .NET 8, improving performance and ensuring compatibility with the latest technologies.
- Strengthened security in the internal questionnaire system to protect sensitive data and maintain compliance with industry standards.
- Revised client questionnaires with key enhancements and bug fixes to improve functionality and accuracy.

Abbott Laboratories   Lake Bluff, Illinois
Associate Software Engineer   Feb 2021 – Oct 2022
- Implemented new features including an audit logger for tracking user actions and enhancing application security.
- Fixed critical bugs while following software development practices, design patterns, and agile methodology.
- Collaborated with team members during feature team meetings and updated feature documentation.
- Wrote test cases and performed extensive functional and integration testing.

University of Illinois at Chicago   Chicago, Illinois
Peer Tutor   Sep 2019 – Dec 2019
- Tutored students in various data structures and helped reinforce concepts taught in class.
- Assisted in debugging class projects to ensure students' programs are fully functional.

Skills

Languages: C#, Java, Python, HTML5, CSS3, JavaScript, SQL
Frameworks and Libraries: .NET, DevExpress, WPF, Selenium, JUnit, WinForms
Technologies: Git, JIRA, Bitbucket, Github