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EDUCATION

Auckland University of Technology   **Auckland, New Zealand**
Bachelor of Software Engineering (Honours)   *Graduation Date: Aug 2024*

AWS   **Seattle, USA**
AWS Certified Developer - Associate   *Graduation Date: Aug 2024*

Project Management Institution   **New York, USA**
Certified Associate in Project Management   *Graduation Date: May 2023*

WORK EXPERIENCE

United Nations   **Remote**
Web Developer   *Jul 2020 - Oct 2020*
- Developed and implemented innovative website features using PHP tools like Drupal, JavaScript, HTML, and CSS to enhance user experience, resulting in a performant responsive website.
- Had clients meetings on weekly and bi-weekly basis to gather feedback on website requirements and functionality, resulting in a 40% increase in client satisfaction, and finishing the website project before the deadline.
- Collaborated with team members to troubleshoot and resolve websites issues using agile methodologies and brainstorming sessions, which resulted in a 98% uptime rate for the website.

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Teacher Assistant   *Jul 2023 - Nov 2023*
- Collaborated with lecturers to enhance student learning experience by providing feedback on assignments and lab sessions, resulting in a 40% increase in student performance.
- Assisted in using teaching materials, including class handouts and research articles, to support lecturers in delivering engaging and informative lessons, resulting in a 20% better student engagement and understanding.
- Worked closely with lecturer and other teacher assistants to analyze student data from grading assignments and lab sessions, identifying areas for improvements that led to a 10% decrease in assignment revisions.

PROJECT EXPERIENCE

Personal Project (<u>Github</u>)   **Auckland, New Zealand**
Globe of Articles   *Feb 2023 - Apr 2023*
- Enabled users to create, comment on, and like articles on the platform, in order to increase user engagement.
- Utilized AWS services for website deployment and Next.js for server-side rendering, leading to a 20% reduction in page load times and better performance.
- Implemented secure user authentication system utilizing React and Django frameworks, resulting in a 100% of decrease in unauthorized access attempts.

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Software Practical Empirical Evidence   *Jul 2022 - Nov 2022*
- Defined project milestones and sprint goals for the development of the SPEED app, utilizing Agile methodology to ensure timely delivery of features and functionalities.
- Collaborated with UX/UI designer of the team to create a visually appealing interface for the SPEED app.
- Utilized MongoDB to store and manage large amounts of empirical research data for the SPEED app, leading to an 30% improvement in search query response times.

SKILLS & INTERESTS

Skills: AWS, Javascript, Python, Typescript, SQL, NoSql, Django, React, NodeJs, ExpressJs, Next, HTML, CSS.

Interests: Programming, Reading, Gym