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SKILLS

Voice Assistants

Actions on Google,
Amazon Alexa,
Samsung Bixby
Premier developer,
JOVO framework

Backend

Python (Flask),
Node.js, Serverless
framework,
Postman

Natural Language Processing

Tensorflow / Keras,
NLTK, Gensim
(Word2vec / Doc2vec)

Web

HTML/CSS, Javascript,
React, Gatsby

Graph Databases

Cypher, Neo4j
Certified Professional

Tools & Platforms

Google Cloud,
Dialogflow, Voiceflow,
Chatfuel, Git

EDUCATION

University of

Waterloo,

Bachelor of

Computer

Science, Co-op

2019 - 2024

EXPERIENCE

Software Developer Intern @ Mindbliss

June 2019 - Sept. 2019 // Ottawa, ON

- ▶ Augmented the functionality of the existing mobile app by allowing users to play content from popular smart speakers.
- ▶ Worked as a Samsung Bixby Premier developer to publish one of the first Bixby Capsules in the new marketplace.
- ▶ The Capsule was chosen to be featured on the marketplace by the Bixby team.
- ▶ Designed and developed multimodal Samsung Bixby, Alexa, and Google Assistant integrations.
- ▶ Developed account linking workaround to allow for Mindbliss's OAuth 1.0 authentication system to work with required OAuth 2.0 protocol.

Freelance Developer @ Vecgraph

Nov. 2018 - Sept. 2019

- ▶ Worked with DANAMIC to design and develop a programmatic flash briefing for their blog.
- ▶ Implemented system allowing users to request an email containing links to full articles using account linking.
- ▶ Created new channels for sponsor impressions via flash briefings and email templates.
- ▶ Developed core explainable recommendation technology, allowing suggestions for relevant content based on similar concepts and topics.
- ▶ Consulted with startups at Invest Ottawa regarding voice assistant strategy for marketing and augmenting existing applications.

PROJECTS

Tech News Explorer

- ▶ Developed an unsupervised learning system to create a network visualization of the news, providing insight into what is being reported and how it is interconnected.
- ▶ Implemented a Natural Language Processing API to analyze articles, using Doc2Vec ML models and data enrichment with IBM Watson.
- ▶ Wrote graph DB queries (Cypher) to analyze relations and perform community detection.
- ▶ Created a React.js web app allowing readers to visualize relations and topic clusters.
- ▶ The project was featured on the Neo4j Blog.

Freshbots.org Lyrics Generator

- ▶ Created a React.js web app to generate lyrics in the style of over 40 artists, getting about 20,000 unique visitors a month.
- ▶ Trained an LSTM for predicting rhyming lines to arrange the lyrics generated by a Markov Model. Wrote backend in Python (Flask) and deployed to Google Cloud Functions.

Neuroscience Journals Exploratory Data Analysis

- ▶ Inspired by Neuralink, I used Pandas, Matplotlib, and Scikit learn to create an exploratory data analysis of over 16,000 Frontiers neuroscience journals.

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