Rick Huang

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Education

University of Waterloo

Bachelor of Applied Science in Mechatronics Engineering

- Relevant Courses: Digital Computation, Algorithms and Data Structures, Linear Algebra
- University of Waterloo President's Scholarship

Technical Skills

Languages: $C++ \cdot C \cdot SQL \cdot Python \cdot HTML/CSS \cdot JavaScript \cdot ROBOTC$ Frameworks & Libraries: React · Tailwind CSS · discord.js · Node Developer Tools: Git · VS Code · SOLIDWORKS · AutoCAD · Figma

Projects

BlueK $\mid C \cdot ROBOTC$

- Developed a fully functional robot that dynamically/algorithmically solved puzzles using **C** and **ROBOTC**
- Implemented user interaction and file input functionality, enabling users to customize board shapes and optimizing the start for the robot
- Refined algorithms for precise motor control, sensor interpretation, and strategic decision-making, improving puzzle-solving efficiency by 25%

HotStockBot | *discord.js* · *JavaScript* · *Node*

- Developed a finance Discord bot with 5 commands that integrated a financial REST API
- Improved user experience with slash commands, integrated **autocomplete** for user guidance, **validation** to ensure accuracy, and implemented error handling for reliability
- Implemented a dynamic capability to fetch historical and real-time data for any stock

$rickhuang.dev \mid HTML \cdot CSS \cdot JavaScript$

- Applied Nielsen's usability heuristics, including affordance, user control, consistency, flexibility, efficiency, and aesthetics, for a user-centered design approach
- Created fully **responsive** layouts that adapted to diverse screen sizes, ensuring an optimal user experience
- Selected an appropriate color scheme, typography, and created cover art using Figma to enhance visual clarity

EXPERIENCE

Web Developer

Electrium Mobility

- Proficiently debugged and resolved issues on the website using **HTML**, **Tailwind CSS**, and **gulp.js**
- Migrated code base to GitHub and introduced Git for version control and streamlining collaborative development processes
- Enhanced user experience and website functionality through the incorporation of optimized font colors, sizes, and integrated sponsor images

Kumon Assistant

Kumon Institute of Education

- Assisted students in comprehension of intricate concepts by breaking down complex topics into components
- Optimized study plans by tailoring study plans to individual students
- Managed front desk with a focus on customer service, multitasking, and maintaining a welcoming environment

Sept 2023 – Dec 2023

Waterloo, ON

Sept 2023 - May 2028

May 2020 – Sept 2022 Richmond Hill, ON

Sept 2023 – Present

Waterloo, ON

Nov 2023

Dec 2023