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## EDUCATION

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**Algoma University, Canada**  
Bachelor of Computer Science  
Minor in Music

*January 2019 - April 2022*  
GPA: 3.9

## WORK EXPERIENCE

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**School of Computer Science, Algoma University**  
*Teaching Assistant*

September 2019 - April 2022

- Held weekly sessions to provide help to students
- Assessed assignments and quizzes
- Worked 10 hours per week while being a full-time student

**School of Computer Science, Algoma University**  
*Research Assistant*

May 2021 - September 2021

- Used OMNeT++, Veins and SUMO to create a traffic simulation
- Optimized VANET communications using reinforcement learning in Python
- Researched and implemented result from academic papers

**Security Architecture & Standards, OLG**  
*Cooperative Education Student*

January 2020 - December 2020

- Developed web applications using Share Point, Power App and Power Automate
- Provided data-driven insights to senior cybersecurity consultants using Power BI
- Worked full-time while maintaining work-school balance

## TECHNICAL SKILLS

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<b>Programming Languages</b>	Python, Java, JavaScript, SQL, Rlang
<b>Models &amp; Frameworks</b>	React, Next.js, REST API, Tailwind CSS
<b>Software &amp; Tools</b>	Redis, Git, Node.js, Numpy, Panda, PowerBI, Latex

## PROJECTS

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**ductran.net** ([github.com/englishlayup/ductran.net](https://github.com/englishlayup/ductran.net))

Personal blog built using the Next.js framework. The site uses static generation to fetch posts from my Redis Cloud database and render all pages at build time. This results in low first contentful paint and high search engine optimization.

**Blunder Dodger Destroyer** ([github.com/englishlayup/blunder-dodger-destroyer](https://github.com/englishlayup/blunder-dodger-destroyer))

Chess Engines written in Python using Alpha Beta Pruning and Monte Carlo algorithms.