# David ZHOU

### **PROFILE**

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LANGUAGES: Fluent in English, intermediate French and conversational Mandarin

### TECHNOLOGY SKILLS

ADVANCED: Java, Kotlin, Microservices, AWS, Akka, SQL (Postgre, Oracle, MS), Linux Intermediate: Web Dev (HTML, CSS, JavaScript), VB/C# .NET, LTEX, C/C++, Windows

Basic: Python, Bash

# **EDUCATION**

JUNE 2016 | McGill University, Montréal

B.A. in Software Engineering, minor in Economics

VP Internal, Computer Science Undergraduate Society, 2015-2016

Student Help Desk Tutoring, 2015

PROGRAM GPA: 3.79/4.00

## Work Experience

AUG 2016 - NOW

Software Development Engineer at AMAZON ROBOTICS *Technologies used:* Java, Kotlin, Microservices, AWS, Akka

- Designed and implemented critical path software to launch the first robotics-enabled transportation facility as well as subsequent next-generation facilities.
- Exceptional ownership: volunteered to staff on-site launch support shift, 5 days of 12AM 10AM.
- Champion of continuous improvement and operational excellence: realized a robust distributed caching layer that reduced database throughput cost by 65%.
- Skilled negotiator in building consensus across teams: tech lead during complex evaluation process to select new work cell architecture with many divergent stakeholders perspectives.
- Top-notch communicator: broke through log-jams with clear technical documentation.
- Promoted to SDE II in under 2 years.

APR-SEPT 2015

Solutions Development Trainee at Purkinje Inc.

*Technologies used:* C#.NET, ASP.NET, MSSQL, MVC 5, X.509 certificates, Twilio, Delphi On a team of 3 interns, I built a new online platform for patients to manager their appointments and integrate this information into the company's existing scheduling product.

MAY-AUG 2014

Software Developer (Student) at

INDIGENOUS AND NORTHERN AFFAIRS CANADA

Technologies used: VB.NET, ASP.NET, PL/SQL in Oracle, CSLA, Crystal Reports

As part of a continuing maintenance team, I resolved backlog tickets and assisted in the implementation of new features from change requests.

# OTHER SKILLS, INTERESTS AND ACTIVITIES

STEAM course instructor and AP CS Honours Project mentor at Prospect Hill Academy Strong knowledge of history, and geography