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**SUMMARY**

Second-year software engineering student seeks opportunity to confront technical problems in the “real world” in order to cultivate a greater understanding of industry best practices.

**EDUCATION**

Champlain College - Burlington, VT

Bachelor of Science in Software Engineering for Emergent Technologies, expected 05/13

* Cumulative GPA: 3.967
* Dean’s List
* President’s List
* Member, FIREHOSE Open Source Club

**HONORS & AWARDS**

* **Winner of Visual Basic Programming Contest** sponsored by Planet Source Code (http://www.planetsourcecode.com), June 2010
* **Recipient of Mathematics Excellence Award** for the Information Technology & Sciences Division, Champlain College, 2007-2008 academic year

**Skills & Expertise**

*Regularly use these languages at the intermediate and/or expert level:*

* Visual Basic 6.0
* C#
* C++
* SQL

*Experience with the following:*

* Java
* VB.NET
* JavaScript
* VBScript
* HTML
* Microsoft XNA

*Familiar with such IDEs as:*

* Visual Studio 2005/08
* SQL Server 2000/05
* Visual Basic 6
* Eclipse

**Work Experience**

*Concord Incorporated* – New York, NY

**Entry-Level Software Engineer**: 09/10 – Present

* Resolve issues in application code to eliminate errors and abnormalities.
* Integrate new features into existing software according to client specifications.
* Perform software builds and release to client; access data servers via VPN to perform updates.

*ABC Manufacturing* - New Haven, CT

**Software Intern:**  06/08 – 08/10 (summers)

* Collaborated with company owner and workers to design custom network-based business software solution that saved company $35K+.
* Trained 25 users on functionality of new system and features.

*Sonar Computers -* Berlin, CT

**Computer Hardware/Software Technician**: 10/07 – 06/08

* Helped customers indentify computer issues, then proposed solutions based on needs and budget.
* Provided technical support in a variety of areas, including internet use, web-mail, spy-ware removal, and word-processing.

**REFERENCES available upon request**