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PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Wix web designer, Jewish Community Mental Health Shabbat Feb 2021 – Present
[mentalhealth.tbdj.org]

- Designed a modern, mobile-friendly **Wix** website for a weekend of mental health awareness
- Used Wix's Datasets feature to ensure **ease of modification and maintenance** after my contract

Wordpress web designer, PILS McGill Aug 2020 – Jan 2021
[pils.sus.mcgill.ca]

- Designed and created a website for PILS, McGill's pharmacology undergraduate society
- Created and managed a **Wordpress** installation; wrote and managed plugins in **PHP**

Fullstack web developer, CHIME Experiment May 2020 – Aug 2020

- Wrote frontend (**React/Typescript**) and backend (**Go**) plugins for **Grafana**, a cloud metrics system
- Redesigned the group's public website (chime-experiment.ca) with a **Gulp.js** build pipeline

PROJECTS

EMGkeyboard, with McGill NeuroTech 2020 Jan 2020 – Dec 2020
[[DOI: 10.1109/SMC42975.2020.9283117](https://doi.org/10.1109/SMC42975.2020.9283117)]

- Helped build an armband capable of identifying finger motion using **EMG** and haptic feedback
- With the dashboard team, designed a **React** app for collecting data and testing ML models, and a hybrid **Python/Flask-Node.js** backend
- Assisted with the **recruitment and application process** for members of the incoming team

SFventilator, Agorize Code Life Ventilator Challenge Mar 2020
A low-cost, open-source ventilator. [github.com/ilangleben19/SFventilator]

- Built in 3 weeks with a team of 20 for ICU use during the COVID-19 pandemic
- Designed and implemented the **React**-based UI, which ran as a **Linux service** on a **Raspberry Pi**
- Handled **serial comms** between an **Arduino** and the **Pi** with a **Node.js/Express** server

The Fifth Sense, Partner: Liana Martins-Medina Aug 2018 – May 2019
Award-winning project presented at the 2019 Intel International Science and Engineering Fair.

- An aid device for visually impaired people. Users visualize their surroundings through surround sound. Uses a data pipeline which projects optical images of a user's surroundings into surround sound in real-time. Helps prevent head-level injuries that occur despite use of a white cane
- Hosted on a trio of **Raspberry Pi's** communicating over an **ad-hoc Wi-Fi network**
- Pipeline written in **Python** - communication handled by **Flask** servers; computer vision in **OpenCV**

EXTRA-CURRICULAR ACTIVITIES

Med-1 Representative, McGill CSTAR Oct 2020 – present
CSTAR (Clinical Skills Training and Assessment Room) is a McGill Medicine club.

- **Organize the logistics** of monthly clinical skills workshops for students in my class
- Promote the workshops on **social media** and via internal publications

Med-1 Representative, McGill MDJA

Oct 2020 – present

MDJA (*Medicine and Dentistry Jewish Association*) is a McGill Medicine club.

- Plan educational and cultural events tying Judaism and Jewish life into medical education
- Promote these events to both Jewish and non-Jewish medical and dental students in my year

Medical student researcher, MNI NeuroSim group

Sep 2020 – present

- Assist an MSc student with the **logistics and data collection** of a trial focusing on the effectiveness of VR neurosurgery simulations in training prospective surgeons
- Wrote a detailed **protocol** for the trial
- Trusted to **run the trial** for participants when the MSc student is unavailable
- Enhance the group's **Wordpress** site (neurosim.mcgill.ca) with custom **PHP/HTML/CSS** plugins

First Aider, St. John Ambulance

Feb 2019 – present

- Volunteer at events such as hockey games, fundraisers, and concerts as a first aider
- Attend monthly CPD workshops on first aid situations
- Trained in crisis management, communication, and teamwork

VP Technology, MDSA Fashion Show for ANEB

Nov 2019 – May 2020

A fundraiser fashion show run for Anorexia et Bulimie Quebec by McGill's Medical-Dental Students' Association.

- Handled **social media, communication and registration** for the 2020 edition of the show
- Personally **organized a secondary fundraiser** for 80 at a board games bar venue

President, Hillel, Dawson Chapter

Aug 2018 – May 2019

- **Oversaw a team** of 12 responsible for the promotion of Jewish life and presence on campus
- **Organized events** for Jewish holidays and charitable causes.

Organizer of MariHacks, the first CEGEP-level hackathon

Jun 2018 – Mar 2019

- Responsible for technology and content
- **Recruited** educators and mentors via personal networks and LinkedIn
- **Communicated** with them regularly in a professional manner

ACHIEVEMENTS AND AWARDS

Intel International Science and Engineering Fair

May 2019

For *The Fifth Sense*

- Oracle Academy Award for Outstanding Project in the Systems Software Category
- Second Award in the Physical Sciences: Systems Software Category
- GoDaddy Joining Forces for the Community Award

Montreal Regional Science and Technology Fair

Mar 2019

For *The Fifth Sense*

- Gold Medal (Senior 2 category)
- Super expo-sciences Hydro Québec Experimentation & Design Award
- Concordia School of Engineering and Computer Science Innovation Scholarship
- Intel Excellence in Computer Science Award
- McGill University - School of Computer Science (Non Robotics) Award
- McGill Faculty of Engineering Award

Lieutenant Governor of Quebec's Youth Medal

May 2017

Awarded for academic achievement and for outstanding personal and social involvement.

PUBLICATIONS

A 3D-Printed, Adjustable Armband for Electromyography-Based Finger Movement Classification With Haptic Feedback, *IEEE* (Dec. 2020)

See *EMGkeyboard* under *Projects* above. DOI: [10.1109/SMC42975.2020.9283117](https://doi.org/10.1109/SMC42975.2020.9283117)