Christine Lytwynec

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SUMMARY

Former software developer with a Master's in Journalism seeking a position as a technical writer specializing in documentation of software integrations and developer tools.

SKILLS

- Working with APIs
- Building web crawlers/scraper
- Databases (SQL and NoSQL)
- Data-analysis pipelines
- CMS management and customization
- FOIA and public records
- JavaScript
- Python & Django
- Ruby on Rails
- Git/version control
- Virtual environments
- Browser automation
- Read the Docs
- Markdown
- HTML/CSS/XML
- HTML templating

EXPERIENCE

INVESTIGATIVE REPORTING WORKSHOP – Remote / Washington, DC
Freelance Data Reporter   *2019*
- A collaborative project resulting in a 4000+ word story with a companion database. Designed and built a web-scraper and database to analyze congressional disclosure forms. Contributed as part of a four-person team to on-the-ground reporting, writing, and data entry & verification.

MUCKROCK – Cambridge, MA
Reporting Intern   *Summer 2018*
- Conducted an analysis of how perceived ethnicity affects FOIA response times, and produced content based on public documents.

AGORA – Cambridge, MA
Software Engineer   *July 2016 - June 2017*
- Second full-stack engineer and product developer for start-up with fewer than 5 employees.

EDX – Cambridge, MA
Software Engineer, Accessibility   *August 2015 - May 2016*
- Developed and documented internal accessibility compliance tools and trained engineering teams how to recognize and test for accessibility issues in a Massive Online Open Course (MOOC) platform.
- Designed and developed web crawler to quantify site accessibility and identify issues.

Software Engineer in Test   *April 2014 - August 2015*
- Developed custom testing tools, monitored and maintained testing infrastructure, and wrote documentation for testing tools and infrastructure.

Previously: *Contract Software Developer at NeuroScouting (October 2013 – April 2014), Contract Software Developer at coUrbanize (July 2013 – December 2013)*

EDUCATION

BOSTON UNIVERSITY, COLLEGE OF COMMUNICATION – Boston, MA   *January 2019*
Master of Science in Journalism; Cumulative GPA: 3.9
Production Editor for BU News Service (*Fall 2018*)
Reported from the State House for the Daily Hampshire Gazette (*Spring 2018*)

UNIVERSITY OF ROCHESTER – Rochester, NY   *May 2011*
Bachelor of Arts, Psychology
Minor in Music, Cluster in Mathematics & Statistics

Additional coursework: *Artificial Intelligence (Harvard Ext. School, 2013), Machine Learning (Coursera, 2012), Human Computer Interaction (Coursera, 2012), Irish Music and Archaeology (NUI Galway, 2010)*