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EDUCATION

University of Southern California (USC) 2011 to 2015
B.S. Computer Science and Business Administration
Los Angeles, California
<http://usc.edu/>

International Christian School (ICS) 2009 to 2011
High School Diploma with AP Comp. Sci., and AP Physics
Sha Tin, Hong Kong
<http://ics.edu.hk/>

WORK EXPERIENCES

Social Reminders at Onoko Limited Application Developer, Hong Kong July 2010 to Present
> Built a UI from scratch for a to-do list web application with HTML5 elements, Ajax, and Facebook integration
> Worked closely with strategic planning and backend systems, as well as presenting new ideas for features
<http://socialreminders.com/> / <http://onoko.com/>

icsCourseChoice & other ICS apps Freelance Developer (self-employed) November 2009 to May 2011
> Developed 4 apps for the school population, including a field trip database and a Facebook app out of self-interest
> Created icsCourseChoice, a course database with Facebook integration, and received 12,000 hits in 10 days

Vitaku Freelance Developer (self-employed) September 2009 to May 2011
> Established and maintained a complete online trading system for ICS students and faculty to trade educational supplies
> Received wide-range support throughout school, used widely by students, and remained active for a long period
<http://vitaku.net/>

VeriGuide at Chinese University of HK Intern Programmer, Hong Kong June to July 2010
> Worked on a plagiarism detection system that helps protect integrity of documents with a research team led by a Ph. D
> Developed a integration plugin for Moodle users to submit assignments, and revamped the system's web UI with Ajax
<http://veriguide.org/>

CubePoints (open-source) Freelance Developer (self-employed) December 2008 to Present
> Created a points management system plugin designed for WordPress blog owners to motivate users and activities
> Downloaded over 28,000 times. Integrated with at least 2 paid plugins and more than 3 other open-source plugins
<http://cubepoints.com>

Freelance Web Developer September 2008 to Present
> Built websites and applications for various clients. A complete profile may be found on <http://peetahzee.com/portfolio>

PUBLIC ACHIEVEMENTS

ThinkQuest Website Competition 1st Place, 19 and Under June 2009
> Created an educational website and won a competition hosted by Oracle with a team of 6 international students
> Overcame problems such as achieving interactivity and progress tracking with lack of server-side technologies
<http://thinkquest.org>

VOLUNTARY EXPERIENCES

Habitat for Humanity Indonesia May 2011
> Traveled to Batam, Indonesia with a team of 16 students to participate in a house construction project for locals

Promotional Film for SMIC School Director, Editor, Producer June 2009
> Spearheaded the entire production process for a 13-minute short film introducing the school to prospective students

Solar Panel Installation in Yunnan, China July 2008
> Installed solar panels and technology equipment for schools in a rural part of China with a student team of 6

SKILLS

Computer Skills PHP, MySQL, JavaScript (incl. Ajax and jQuery), HTML, CSS and Java

Art Skills Experience graphics designing and film editing with Adobe Creative Suite 5

Language Skills Fluent in English, Mandarin and Cantonese