



Nicholas Elder

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Skills

Entrepreneurship, Product Design, Graphic Design, Web Development (PHP, MySQL, Python, Socket.IO, REST APIs), Natural Language Processing, Word2Vec, Adobe: (Illustrator, Photoshop, Premiere), Team Management, git.

Education

The University of Western Ontario, London ON

Graduating May 2020

3.9 / 4.0 GPA | Dual Degree:

BSc, Honours Specialization in Computer Science | Scholars Electives, Machine Learning Research
HBA, Honours Business Administration | Richard Ivey School of Business

Employment Experience

Business Technology Analyst

Summer 2017

Deloitte, Toronto

- 1st prize at internal hackathon; community-centric app now in development for Toronto-wide pilot.
- Automated data migration system on ETL client project to eliminate human control, increase reliability, and enable around the clock operation which was compatible with existing team tools.
- Developed intent handler for Google Home / Amazon Alexa voice controlled system.

Freelance Web Designer & Developer

2012 - Present

Nick Elder Studios, Toronto

- Full stack web development with stunning design. Hired by firms, startups, and Stanford lecturer.

Chief Technology Officer

2016 - 2017

Asset Direct of Canada, London

- Fintech startup. Designed complex API protocol for systems integration with 9 private lending firms, UI/UX Design, launch of MVP to market, oversaw multi-server hosting environment.

Founder and Administrator

Summer 2011 - 2015

Stormcraft Minecraft Game Server, Internet Based (www.stormcraft.ca)

- Created profitable online community welcoming 15K users, generating 4k+ Revenue, with staff of 15.

Projects

Fero Analytics, Startup Founder, featured on Product Hunt. www.fero.io

2017 - Present

Setsail, Freelance Project, education platform, 2100+ users. www.setsail.io

2015 - 2017

Wishfor, 3rd Prize Hackathon Project. www.wishfor.xyz

2015

Extra Curricular Activities

President, Western Founders Network. *(Former VP Operations & Head of Entrepreneurship)*

2015 - Present

- *Lead a team of 40 and set club vision/strategy. Created **new future technology conference** & Ideation Event.*

Organizer (Design Lead), Hack Western 3 & 4.

2016 - Present

Organizer, World Affairs Conference. *(Lead Operations and Technology for **Edward Snowden** & Glenn Greenwald Keynote)*

2015

Awards

University of Western Ontario, Dean's **Honour List** - 2016 to 2017

Hack Western, **Third Place** Project (100+ Submissions) - 2015

University of Western Ontario, Selected for **Scholars Electives** Academic Program (50 students) - 2015

Richard Ivey School of **Business, Ivey** Advanced Entry Opportunity **Award of Excellence** - 2015

Upper Canada College, Thompson Subject Prize for **Computer Science** - 2013

The Duke of Edinburgh's Award, **Silver** Standard - 2015

Upper Canada College, Wills Subject Prize for European **History** - 2015