# **ABBIE DEWHIRST**

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## **PROFILE OF SKILLS**

- Proven organizational skills through co-op placement at Redoe Mold while working within the IT department, overseeing, prioritizing, and solving help desk tickets.
- Proven leadership skills as a programming leader of my high school FIRST Robotics team, and as a teaching assistant.
- Proficient in programming languages such as Java, C, C++, Python, HTML and CSS, showcased through my
  personal website and university courses.

### **EDUCATION**

# Bachelor of Science Honours Computer Science with Software Engineering Specialization Co-op

University of Windsor, Windsor, ON

Sep 2020 – Present

- Achieved Dean's Honor Roll for first year.
- Major Average: 86%

## **WORK EXPERIENCE**

**IT Support Co-op** May 2022 – Aug 2022 Redoe Mold, LaSalle, ON

- Provided support by assisting with Help Desk tickets, setting up new user laptops, troubleshooting hardware and software issues as well as computer inquiries.
- Program using VBA in Microsoft Excel for macros.

**TA/Grader** Sep 2021 - Present University of Windsor, Windsor, ON

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- Host personal office hours to assist students with assignments and answer questions.
- Lead lab sections of 25 students to teach concepts for COMP1000, COMP1410 and COMP 2560 to help complete assignments.

### **EXTRACURRICULAR EXPERIENCE**

**Programming Leader/Mentor** Sep 2016 - Present FIRST Robotics Team 772, Sabre Bytes

- Programming leader for 3 years on my FIRST team as well as being driver at competitions.
- Led a team of 15 students to program the team robot in C++, C and Java so it could complete tasks both in teleoperated and autonomous modes.
- Current mentor for 2 years.

TPT

Jan 2022 - Present

FORD Motor Company, Windsor, ON

- Run and operate line and make sure production is never stopping.
- Complete tool changes, engine checks and regular maintenance.

**Technology Associate** Mar 2021 - Present STAPLES Canada, Windsor, ON

- Inform customers about different types of technology and find what is best suited for their needs.
- Exploring possible issues customers may be having with personal technology and creating tickets to solve problems if necessary.

**Board Member/Secretary** Aug 2022 – Present University of Windsor, Computer Science Society

- Position includes scheduling and setting up meetings, taking meeting minutes and overall organization of important documents.
- Keep board members on track with events and meetings.