Wanda Boyer

Education

2016 - University of Victoria

MSc. - Computer Science

Thesis: A Decision and Minimization Procedure for Modal Logic

2012 - University of Victoria

BSc. - Computer Science

 Combined degree: Computer Science and Mathematics

Speaking engagements

2021 - Command + F Hackathon

The Anatomy of a Game

2019 - Power-Up Lunch Series at Kabam Games > Testing Automation with the CT Automation Solution

2018 - Lunch and Learn Series at Intel The Petfacts API: Implementing Slack Slash Commands using FlaskRestful and Amazon EC2

2016 - UVic SPACE Program

A Decision Procedure for Modal Logic, with Applications to Quantum Kitten Theory

2013 - UVic SPACE Program

Game Theory and Modal Logic

Volunteering

2022 - CBO - print("CODINGO") Challenge

Judge

- > Coordinated with other judges to develop rubric
- > Evaluated submissions to determine winners

Hackergal

Mentor

- Facilitating coding opportunities for girls to improve technical literacy
- Demonstrating how to approach technical problem-solving

Canada Learning Code

Mentor and Lecturer

- 2016 Mentor Data Insights with Python for Beginners
- > 2017 Mentor Using Data to Solve Problems
- 2019 Mentor Data Insights with Python for Beginners
- 2019 Lecturer Using Data to Solve Problems: An Introduction to Artificial Intelligence and Machine Learning for Beginners

- **GitHub:** github.com/wbkboyer
- Site: wbkboyer.com

Summary

I strive to act as a force-multiplier by proactively identifying obstacles to my team's success and mitigating those organizational inefficiencies with process driven by tooling, automation, and documentation. My work has entailed:

- Designing, implementing, and distributing tools
- Architecting and deploying infrastructure to improve the quality of tooling
- Authoring clear documentation
- Tech: Python, C, Powershell, Bash, NodeJS, MongoDB, Git, Confluence, Jira
 Art. Cinging, Mathematica, Video, Campo
- Loves: Art, Singing, Mathematics, Video Games

Experience

2023 - 2024 - Edge-addition Planarity Suite

Software Engineer

- Working at the C application layer to restore ability to test all graphs of a given order for a chosen graph algorithm
- Modernizing legacy C codebase and introducing infrastructure to support development
- Implementing Python framework to facilitate large-scale testing of the planarity executable, to provide investigation support, and for memory analysis
- Please see the edge-addition-planarity-suite for more details

2021 - 2023 - SkyBox Labs

Support Engineer II - Tooling and automation

- Wrote extensive documentation to support the onboarding and development process for Halo Infinite team
- Coordinated with 343Industries and SkyBox Labs IT to identify and remediate showstopping development environment issues
- Implemented debug tools for Halo Infinite Forge
- Drove development of Arsenal Environment Management and Configuration tool (internal), implementing CI/CD pipelines with GitHub Actions such as an Automated Documentation Generation pipeline using mkdocs

2020 - 2021 - Kabam Games

Backend engineer - Feature development + SRE

- Participated in agile process with designers, frontend engineers, and live operations to design, implement, and deliver backend features for **DISNEY MIRRORVERSE**
- Worked with GitLab Pipelines, GitHub Actions, Terraform, Ansible, and Packer to support automated deployment of backend services
- Troubleshooting backend issues using Grafana, MongoDB Atlas, Sumologic, and Datadog
- Establishing and documenting process for detecting and recovering from errors

Experience (continued)

2018 - 2020 - Kabam Games

QA Engineer

- Defined QA Engineer role at Kabam, delineating the responsibilities into in-game tooling, standalone tooling, and testing automation using the in-house testing automation framework
- Drove adoption of agile process for development of tools and testing automation
- > Wrote extensive documentation covering the use of the in-house testing automation framework, in-game tools for QA/Designers, and standalone tools
- Developed a **Perforce** pre-commit validation tool in **Python** to facilitate Unity codebase quality improvements

2017 - 2018 - GlobalMe

QA Automation Engineer

- Member of an agile team working to refactor an internal testing automation framework with a focus on maintainability and extensibility
- > Wrote testing automation script suites in Python using the internal testing automation framework
- > Learned to read **Jenkins** console data as well as serial com logs while investigating automated test failures
- > Assisted with the maintenance of the test farm, particularly the setup and configuration of iOS test benches, which I then thoroughly documented on **Confluence**
- > Was exposed to Intel's iOS software development process when adding accessibility labels to page object elements as required for automation
- Assisted in the execution and reporting of daily integration tests for Android and iOS, as well as troubleshooting and improving these test suites
- Designing SQLite Database schema to support automation framework grid, as well as the web UI using Django, bootstrap, and crispy forms
- > Assisted with implementation in Python of libraries for interaction with Android phones.

2016 - 2017 - Fortinet Software Dev. QA Engineer

- > Took ownership of numerous antivirus certification dispute processes, requiring the development of scripts and modules to support detailed technical documents.
- Responsible for implementing new features or modifying existing functionality for production systems, such as the cloud-based behaviour scan server.
 Constructed a complex federation of **Django** applications comprising a user interface for use by antivirus
- Constructed a complex federation of Django applications comprising a user interface for use by antivirus analysts, drawing upon the entire set of sample data collected since the company's inception as well as querying the ElasticSearch REST API, and presenting this data using bootstrap, crispy forms, and the datatables JQuery plugin.

References available upon request