

The aim of the OpenGovGear project is to develop a series of data portals implementing CKAN, the Comprehensive Knowledge Archive Network. These portals will allow administrators to upload and organize data for the general public to freely browse and download. OpenGovGear will develop three separate CKAN extensions for rapid turnkey deployment to serve the rising needs of the Open Data movement.



Michael Sinclair - *Project Manager / Developer*

Michael has had an aptitude for problem solving since a young age. This quality eventually led him to the Computer Systems Technology program at Camosun College, where he turned his innate creativity toward software design. In the future he is interested in harnessing “big data” to discover new datasets and trends.

Hayden Waring - *Lead Developer*

Hayden was born with the inexhaustible desire to create and explore. After several years of study at the University of Victoria, he became fascinated with the power of computing to simulate complicated economic models and process human language. He enrolled in Camosun’s CST program where he has turned his focus to Open Data, where he seeks to apply real world data to solving real world problems.



Jared Brown - *Developer, Systems Architect*

Jared has a political science degree from the University of Alberta, and a law degree from the University of Victoria. He practiced law for three years before deciding to try his hand at a different way of solving problems. Jared has thrived at Camosun, and is grateful for the help in transitioning to an exciting new career. He plans on leveraging his legal background in a consulting practice focused on information assurance and identity compliance.

Luke Chisholm - *Developer, Technical Documentation*

Luke started the computer science program at Camosun College with no background in programming. Despite this, he has excelled in the two year program and is excited to pursue an exciting career in computer science. His post-graduate ambition is to be a programmer in any of the “C” family languages.



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