# **Brandon Amos**

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#### **Research Interests**

Machine learning, mobile computing, and distributed systems.

#### **Education**

- o Ph.D. Student, Computer Science, Carnegie Mellon University, Aug 2014-Present
- o B.S., Computer Science, Virginia Tech, May 2014 (3.99/4.00)

### **Research Experience**

Aug 2014-Present

- Advisor: Dr. Mahadev Satyanarayanan
- Area: Machine learning, mobile computing, and distributed systems.
- o Undergraduate Research Assistant, Magnum Research Group

May 2012-May 2014

- o Advisor: Dr. Jules White
- Area: Mobile computing, cyber-physical systems, and security.
- Undergraduate Research Assistant, Virginia Tech

Jan 2013-May 2014

- Advisor: Dr. Layne Watson
- Area: Scientific computing, global/stochastic optimization, and bioinformatics.
- Undergraduate Research Assistant, Systems Software Research Group

Nov 2012-Mar 2014

- o Advisor: Dr. Binoy Ravindran
- Area: Heterogeneous compilers.

## **Teaching Experience**

o Software Design and Data Structures (CS 2114), Undergraduate TA

VT S2013

#### **Publications**

Conference Proceedings.

Journal Articles.....

Magazine Articles.....

## **Industry Experience**

o Data Scientist Intern, Adobe Research

May 2014-Aug 2014

Software Engineer Intern, Snowplow Analytics

Dec 2013-Jan 2014

Software Engineer Intern, Qualcomm

May 2013-Aug 2013

o Software Engineer Intern, Phoenix Integration

May 2012-Aug 2012

# **Graduate Coursework**

<ul> <li>Semantics of Programming Languages (15-812), A. Platzer</li> </ul>	CMU S2015
<ul> <li>Optimizing Compilers for Modern Architecture (15-745), T. Mowry</li> </ul>	CMU S2015
o Advanced Operating Systems and Distributed Systems (15-712), D. Andersen	CMU F2014
o Mobile and Pervasive Computing (15-812), M. Satyanarayanan and D. Siewiorek	CMU F2014

### **Skills**

- o Most Experience: Linux, Python, Scala
- $\circ$  Some Experience: Akka, Android, Bash, C/C++, Haskell, LATEX, Make, *Mathematica*, R

Honors & Awards	
o 1st Place Undergraduate Senior Capstone Award, Virginia Tech Computer Science	2014
<ul> <li>David Heilman Research Award, Virginia Tech Computer Science</li> </ul>	2014
- Given to the Computer Science student with the most outstanding research experience	
<ul> <li>Senior Scholar Award, Virginia Tech Computer Science</li> </ul>	2014
- Given to the senior in Computer Science with the most outstanding academic record.	
<ul> <li>Honorable Mention, CRA Outstanding Undergraduate Researcher Award</li> </ul>	2014
<ul> <li>Awarded eight undergraduate merit scholarships</li> <li>2011</li> </ul>	-2014