# Saksham Sharma

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## **Educational Qualifications**

Bachelor of Technology: Indian Institute of Technology, Kanpur CPI: 10.0 July'14-Present Senior Secondary - CBSE: D.A.V. Public School, Amritsar Overall percentage: 97.6% 2014

# Academic Achievements and Scholarships

• All India Rank 138 in Joint Entrance Exam Advanced 2014 among 150,000 candidates 2014

• All India Rank 10 in Joint Entrance Exam Mains 2014 among 1.5 million candidates

2014

• Received the Aditya Birla Group Scholarship along with 15 other IITans

2014

• Kishore Vigyanik Protsahn Yogna (KVPY), National Talent Search Scholarship (NTSE) awardee 2013,10

## **Projects**

#### • Web Developer at IIT Kanpur

May'2015-Present

- Working on developing a scaleable web-app using Scala with Akka, ElasticSearch, Node.js, Dart, Angular.
- Worked on the backend and the frontend team, and handled an independent division of the app.
- Microsoft code.fun.do 2014 and 2015 Winning team member twice Jan'2015 and Sep'2016
  - Fresher Designed a graphing app to plot implicit 2D mathematical functions for Windows Phone.
  - Sophomore Made a frontend to an open source program simulation code for Microsoft Windows.
- ABU Robocon 2015 Supervisor: Prof. Bhaskar Dasgupta

Oct'2014-Mar'2015

- Worked on making 2 semi-autonomous robots capable of playing badminton on a full court.
- Image-processing to track the shuttle, predict trajectory. Used Arduino and Odroid for robot control.
- Used stereo-vision, and later Microsoft Kinect to source depth data.
- Microsoft code.fun.do Finalists Forum 2015 National 5th in Coding Milestone May'2015-Jul'2015
  - Developed an app to help users learn programming in their spare time.
  - An extensive app in C#. Wrote backend web service in Node.js to compile, run and verify user's input codes.

# Work and Volunteer Experience

MAY'15-JULY'15	Web Intern at IIT KANPUR, under Prof. Manindra Agarwal, DoFA Was adjudged as one of the best interns.
Apr'15-Present	Secretary at Programming Club, IIT Kanpur Organized Freshers' Programming Contest and programming workshops.

Technical Secretary at Association for Computing Activities, IIT Kanpur Aug'15-Present Member of the student body of CSE department, IIT Kanpur.

#### Technical Skills

Web Development	Node.js (with Express), Scala (with Akka) Javascript, Dart, PHP, Angular
Programming Languages	C/C++, Python, Java, C#, Scala, Haskell
Operating Systems	Arch Linux, Gentoo, Ubuntu
Utilities	Vim, Git, Shell Scripting, Visual Studio, GNU Octave, OpenCV
Platforms	Windows Phone, Microsoft Kinect, Arduino

### Relevant Courses

Introduction to Programming(A*)	Abstract Algebra	Introduction to Logic(*)
Discrete Mathematics(*)	Data Structures and Algorithms(**)	Computer Organization(**)
Probability and Statistic (**)	Linear Algebra and O.D.Es	Introduction to Calculus

Received A\* grade for exceptional performance: A\*

Course in progress: \*

Course to be completed by April '16:  $\ast\ast$ 

Interests

Web Development Functional Programming

Cyber Security Operating Systems