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EDUCATION

University of Michigan Ann Arbor

Bachelor of Science and Engineering, Summa Cum Laude (2020)

Major: Computer Science

Minor: Art History

University of Wisconsin-Madison

Ph.D. of Computer Science (2026) (Anticipated)

Major: Computer Science

Minor: Art History

AWARDS

University of Michigan EECS Scholar Award (2020)

University of Michigan James B. Angell Scholar Award (2021)

GRANTS AWARDED

USENIX Security Student Grant (2020)

RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

University of Michigan Ann Arbor

Censored Planet Laboratory - Undergraduate Researcher (2020-2021)

- Performed research into online censorship of COVID-19 resources resulting in a 15-page academic paper.
- Developed new features for Censored Planet's remote censorship detection tool Hyperquack-v2.

Lay Automotive Laboratory - Undergraduate Researcher (2018-2019)

- Developed new methods of underwater sound localization using noise subtraction techniques.
- Developed new experiments to test our sound localization technology.

Produced presentations and delivered them to the research team and NAVSEA (project sponsor).

Marine Hydrodynamics Laboratory - Undergraduate Researcher (2015)

- Developed data acquisition software using LabVIEW.
- Assisted in collection of structural dynamics experimental data.

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

NETSCOUT Ann Arbor - Software Development Intern (2019)

- Assisted in developing new systems that integrated with existing Sightline architecture.
- Implemented various client-requested features for the NETSCOUT network visibility product Sightline.

PUBLICATIONS

"Global Internet Censorship in the Time of Corona" A. Vyas, R. Sudara Raman, N. Ceccio, P. Lutscher, R. Ensafi, Proc. Of Financial Cryptography and Data Security 2021 (2021)

LANGUAGES

English (native language)