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EDUCATION

Durham University

BSc (Hons) Computer Science

Durham, United Kingdom

09/2024 - 06/2027

Relevant Coursework: (in progress) Programming (gold), Computer Systems, Computational thinking, Algorithms & Data

Structures, Mathematics for Computer Science **Student Organizations:** DUcompsoc, Durhack

HarvardX

Certificate: CS50 (online) **06/2024 - 09/2024**

- -Learned core algorithm and data structure principles like arrays and linked lists.
- -Learned how to implement these principles in the real world by programming in C.
- -Gained an overall understanding of recursion, algorithmic efficiency, debugging, version control using Git, along with knowledge of the functioning of computers at different levels of abstraction (Computational Thinking).

PROJECTS

Occurrence List DPLL Sat Solver

Academic Project | Python, Brython

2025

- -Developed a Davis-Putnam-Logemann-Loveland style sat-solver in python from scratch (no libraries).
- -Conducted research and extensive benchmarking to implement the most time-efficient branching heuristic.
- -Implemented clause modification through an occurrence list, resulting in \sim 50% efficiency gains vs. efficient iterative methods.
- -Documented my findings on GitHub.
- -Deployed the solver as an in-browser tool with Brython, running the python solver natively in the client-side JS.

SampleRecorder

Audio Programming | MacOS App | Swift, Core Audio Taps

2025

- -Made a lightweight Open-Source Mac OS app for music producers and creatives to be able to record system audio without having to re-route through an Aggregate Device manually.
- -Used MacOS's new Core Audio Taps API to do so.
- -Learned about the low-level Mac OS audio architecture to create a robust audio system, complete with system permission checking.

Graphic 3-Band EQ

 $Audio\ Programming \mid C++\mid JUCE\ framework$

2024-2025

- -Developed a graphic EQ deployed as AU, VST and VST3 for personal use using the JUCE framework.
- -Made a graphic UI complete with a graph showing the live frequencies of the audio being played

EXPERIENCE

SURFLAND OUALIDIA SURFCAMP

Community Manager & Surfing Instructor

Oualidia, Morocco

06/2022 - 07/2022

- -Coached and taught children and teenagers aged 4 to 16 in a variety of waves and conditions.
- -Held the responsibility of handling all communication between camp staff and younger campers.
- -Describe what you accomplished in your position and give numbers indicating achievements.
- -Managed camp wellbeing and implemented community engagement initiatives for 60 kids.

VOLUNTARY EXPERIENCE

AMIS DES ECOLE – IMPACT MOROCCO

Morocco

Project Manager, Member

10/2021 - 05/2022

- -Successfully raised and oversaw the management of \$33k for the construction of a new classroom and sanitization block at a girls only boarding school in rural Morocco; Dar Taliba.
- -Facilitated communication between NGOs and coordinated a cultural experience in Morocco for over 50 international volunteers.
- -Undertook various negotiations for accommodation, food, cultural integration activities, and construction arrangements, often acting as a translator between locals and the international volunteers.

SKILLS AND INTERESTS

Technical: Proficient in C, Python, Swift, SwiftUI, NumPy, Matplotlib, Rest API, HTML, CSS, Bootstrap, JS, Node.js, express, jest and GIT – Googling – Audio Programming - Microsoft Office Suite, Logic Pro X, Final Cut Pro X, Reaper

Languages: French (First language), English (C1), Arabic (B2), Spanish (B1)

Interests: Surfing, Music (guitar & voice), Cycling, Swimming, books, cinema