# Aayush Gupta

## **EDUCATION**

## **Howard University - Capstone Scholar**

Aug. 2017

Bachelor in Computer Science; Expected Graduation: 2021

Relevant Coursework: Computer Science I, II & III, Computer Organization, iOS App Development, Discrete Structures, Linear Algebra, Artificial Intelligence

## **Google-Tech Exchange Program**

Aug. 2018 - Apr. 2019

A collaboration between Google and Howard University for a year long hands-on learning experience for students under the supervision of Google Engineers and Program Managers.

Relevant Coursework: Intro to Algorithms, Intro to Machine Learning, Software Engineering, Product Management, Data Comm and Network Programming, Intro to Cybersecurity, Operating Systems, Cloud Computing, Data Science

#### **SKILLS**

PROGRAMMING LANGUAGES: Python, C++, C#, C, Java, Swift, Go, Typescript, Javascript

**DEVOPS:** Docker, Kubernetes, Jenkins

TECHNOLOGIES AND FRAMEWORKS: .NET Core, NodeJS, ExpressJS, ElasticSearch, Redis

# **PROJECTS**

## **Dino Run - Reinforcement Learning Model**

Aug. 2019 - Dec. 2019

- Designed and built a **Reinforcement Learning Model** to play Dino Run.
- Set up a two-way interface between the browser and the model to interact with the game.
- Set up an Image Processing Pipeline that takes screenshots periodically and uses OpenCV to resize the image which is fed into the model.
- The model was able to score in the range of 300 after training for a few days which is more than the average for a human player.

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- Collaboratively developed an iOS app that allows students to buy and sell used/new goods online within the university.
- Used **Swift** with Firebase on the backend to handle the **API** calls and data storage.

# **EMPLOYMENT**

Lyft, Software Engineering Intern - Observability, New York

June 2020 - Aug. 2020

- Designed and implemented metrics typeahead/autocomplete for the **Metrics Discovery** platform that allows users to conveniently search for the metrics emitted by their services.
- Built a highly scalable data indexing pipeline, ingesting approximately 4 million metrics per minute, to process incoming metrics and
  index them in an ES cluster. The indexing pipeline used Redis cache to ensure that documents already indexed were not getting reindexed.
- Built an In-Memory Cache module to further optimize the data indexing pipeline and to reduce the load on the Redis servers.
- Built an Invalidation module that updates the search results (in the Redis read cache) in-place in when new metrics are ingested.

Microsoft, Software Engineering Intern - Azure Digital Twins, Seattle, WA

May 2019 - Aug. 2019

- Worked on a POC that demonstrates running the QueryService component of Azure Digital Twins, running on the cloud, as an IoT Edge
  module that allows an IoT cluster to make queries locally and perform operations when the cluster is offline.
- Collaborated with the different teams working on Azure Digital Twins to devise a plan to either host the dependencies on the IoT Edge device or to remove the dependencies to ensure a working PoC that demonstrates offline usage.
- Built a service that syncs cosmos DB running on the edge device with the cosmos DB in the cloud when the IoT cluster gets back online.
- Demonstrated a working end-to-end solution with an IoT cluster running the QueryService as an Edge module that can handle queries
  locally and can sync with the cloud service when the cluster comes back online.

Microsoft, Explore Intern - Azure IoT Remote Monitoring System [Open-Source], Seattle, WA

May 2018 - Aug. 2018

- Designed and Implemented a Notification System for the Azure IoT Remote Monitoring System.
- Built a highly-scalable notification module using Azure Service Bus that sends out emails and texts to the contact listed on the alerts.
- Wrote deployment script to deploy resources for the Notification System on Azure.