

# Abilarsh Vijiananthan

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## Skills

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**Languages** Python, Java, Groovy, C, HTML, CSS, JavaScript

**Technologies** AWS, Git, Arduino, Linux, Android Studio, Selenium, Docker, Kafka, OpenCV

## Experience

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### Amazon Web Services (AWS)

*Toronto, Ontario*

PROFESSIONAL SERVICES INTERN (IN PROGRESS)

*June 2021 - August 2021*

- Architected a serverless infrastructure for a web app utilizing S3, Lambda, DynamoDB, and CloudFormation
- Built CodePipelines for the website and backend Lambda APIs using CloudFormation
- Completed the AWS Certified Cloud Practitioner exam

### Loblaw Companies Limited

*Brampton, Ontario*

ANALYST INTERN - INTELLIGENT AUTOMATION

*Apr 2020 - April 2021*

- Developed automation use-cases with **Groovy, Selenium, Powershell and Bash** to reduce IT Tickets
- Conducted meetings to understand business processes and automation possibilities
- Assessed potential benefits and savings of automation for business processes

### McMaster University

*Hamilton, Ontario*

TECHNICAL ASSISTANT

*May 2019 - Aug 2019*

- Developed in house, end-to-end **LoRa** network and infrastructure using **Docker, RPi, InfluxDB and Arduino**
- Created **Android** app comparing access times between MQTT, RabbitMQ (AMQP), Kafka, and DDS
- Set up **Kafka** pipeline from OPC UA Server to retrieve server cooling data for monitoring and visualization
- Built IoT demo station showcasing various microcontrollers and communication protocols to guests

## Projects

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### Smart Unlock (UoftHacksVI)

*Toronto, Ontario*

[HTTPS://GITHUB.COM/ABILARSHVIJI/UOFT HACKS VI](https://github.com/AbilarshViji/UofTHacksVI)

*Jan 2019*

- Developed an **Android** App that allows the user to authenticate face and allow user to unlock the vehicle
- Set up SmartCar API backend using **Python** and Flask to handle unlocking the vehicle
- Utilized **Microsoft Azure's** Face API (Face Verification) to verify facial features

### Boston Sidewalk Ratings (BostonHacks)

*Boston, Massachusetts*

[HTTPS://GITHUB.COM/ABILARSHVIJI/BOSTON HACKS 2018](https://github.com/AbilarshViji/BostonHacks2018)

*Nov 2018*

- Built an **image classifier** that determines the quality of sidewalks for the City of Boston
- Gathered 400 images for training data by scraping Google Images using **Python**
- Trained image recognition model using Microsoft's CustomVision.ai
- Tested model with images gathered from the Google StreetView API, and outputted the results to a webpage

### GIGO Robotic Arm

*Hamilton, Ontario*

ENGINEER 1P03 - FINAL PROJECT (*Video Linked*)

*Sept 2017 - Dec 2017*

- Created 4 bar linkage arm to lift garbage cans for client who has cerebral palsy
- Utilized linear actuator, **Arduino**, joystick, and 3D printed components to develop arm

## Education

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### McMaster University

*Hamilton, Ontario*

B.ENG IN ELECTRICAL ENGINEERING CO-OP, 4TH YEAR

*Sept 2017 - Present*

- Expected Graduation: Spring 2022

### Online Courses

UDEMY/LYNDA.COM

- Audited courses on Groovy, Docker, OpenCV, JavaScript, HTML, and CSS