# AFTAB HUSSAIN Researcher and PhD Candidate

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#### **EDUCATION**

### University of California Irvine (UCI)

PhD Candidate in Computer Science 2015 - present MS in Software Engineering 2013 - 2015

### Bangladesh University of Engineering and Tech (BUET)

MS in Computer Science and Engineering 2010 - 2012

## Institute of Engineering and Management Kolkata India

BTech in Computer Science and Engineering 2005 - 2009

### **INTERESTS**

Graph Processing Systems, Big Data Systems, Operating Systems, Scaling

Program Analysis, Security

SKILLS

Good - Java, Latex

Competent - C, C++, Python, SQL, C#

Familiar - VB.Net, R, Lisp

#### **HONORS**

Professional Activities Grant ACM '17 Travel Award Research Competition ACM '16 Chair's Award Informatics Dept. UCI '13 Associated System Engineer Offer IBM-India '09

#### **EXPERIENCE**

#### **UCI - Graduate Researcher**

SEP 2013 - present

# IDL GENERATION FOR LINUX KERNEL SECURITY

SEP 2017 - present
Currently analyzing Linux
kernel to automatically
generate Interface Definition
Lang. code that helps isolate
kernel modules, thereby
enhancing kernel security.

# BIG CODE MINING PROJECT

SEP 2013 - FEB 2015 Compiled 300,000+ Stack Overflow Java snippets. Used heuristics to improve their parse rate from 6.22% to 19.24%.

### GRASPAN - BIG CODE ANALYSIS PROJECT

JUL 2015 - JUL 2017 Built a graph processing system in Java for analyzing **millions** of lines of code. Graspan found **85** bugs in Linux kernel in a few hours.

#### SEARCH OPTIMIZATION

JAN 2014 - MAR 2014 Developed a search engine in Java. Improved basic search engine's results by **92.8%** by relevance.

#### **UCI** - Teaching Assistant

JAN 2014 - present

# PROGRAMMING LANGUAGES

FALL '17
Helping students
understand PL concepts
and implement them in C,
C++, Java.

# INTRO TO PROGRAMMING

WINTER '14
Guided students on
Python
programming problems
in lab sessions.

# COMPILERS AND INTERPRETERS

WINTER '17, '18 Guided 70 students in implementing all phases of Crux compiler in Java.

### REQ ANALYSIS AND ENGG

WINTER '14 Co-designed course framework, managed RE project teams

# **BUET** - Research Associate and Research Assistant

DEC 2012 - AUG 2013 & SEP 2010 - JUN 2011

#### VISUAL CODE REFACTORING

Developed a software clustering algorithm in Java that improves refactoring visualization by at least 30% over 3 widely popular clustering algorithms, is 60% faster, and yields the same code quality improvements.

# NextTel Communication, Dhaka - Software

Engineering Intern MAR 2010 - APR 2010

#### **MOBILE UI DESIGN**

Developed the user interface of a drug delivery application for a pharmaceutical company in Java using J2ME libraries.

#### **PUBLICATIONS**

**Graspan** - International Conference on Architectural Support for Programming Languages and Operating Systems 2017 Xi'an, China

From query to usable code - International Conference on Mining Software Repositories 2016 Austin, Texas

A new hierarchical clustering technique for restructuring software - India Software Engineering Conference 2013 New Delhi. India

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