

# Dashmeet Kaur Chawla

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## OBJECTIVE

Seeking an internship/co-op for summer 2019 in the field of Data Science or Software Engineering

## EDUCATION

**Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute (RPI)**, Troy, New York (Expected) December 2019

Masters of Science in Information Technology(IT), GPA: 3.77/4.0

Course-work: Data Science, Business Issues for Engineers and Scientists, Foundations of Human-Computer Interaction usability, Data Analytics, Information Systems for Management, Applied Analytics and Predictive Modeling

**Shri Govindram Seksaria Institute of Technology & Science**, Indore, India May 2018

Bachelor of Engineering in Computer Engineering, CGPA: 8.24/10.0

Course-work: Data Structures, Computer Networks, Operating Systems, Algorithms, Internet & Web Technologies, Database Management Systems, Data Mining, Modern Information Retrieval, Artificial Intelligence, Information Security.

## SKILLS

**Operating Systems:** MacOS, Linux

**Programming Languages:** Proficient: C,C++,SQL ; Intermediate: Java, Python, Octave, R

**Web Designing:** HTML, CSS, PHP, Javascript, JSP, Servlet

**Software Skills:** Github, Microsoft Office, Adobe Photoshop, Android Studio, WireShark, Spark, Splunk, Jupiter Notebook, Neo4j

## ACADEMIC PROJECTS

**The Stretch Goal Request Board for BD**

Spring'19

- Developing a stretch goal request board for BD using gasification elements for IT Capstone

**Restaurants, Cuisine Recommendation & Feature Correlation by analyzing Yelp data**

Fall'18

- Derived a method to recommend new cuisines, restaurants to users by analysing 3GB of yelp data. Also, Found relevant features ,on the basis of ratings, that could boost restaurants' revenues.

**Usability testing of EasyHTML Editor**

Fall'18

- Improved the usability of EasyHTML Editor - a website to learn HTML (an RCOS - Rensselaer Centre for Open Source) by leading a team of 5 to do usability testing.

**Enhancing Algorithms for solving the Traveling Salesman Problem and Simulation of Best Path using a Robot**

Fall'17 - Spring'18

- Derived better approximate algorithms that improved the results for Traveling Salesman Problem by at least 5% by enhancing the algorithms like Simulated Annealing and Genetic Algorithm.

**Online Election Service**

Spring'17

- Designed a website that aided in college level election process to gain insight in front-end development.

**Shipping System**

Fall'16

- Led a team of 4 to fulfil a shipping company's software requirements with the aim to understand the management of databases.

## SELECTED PUBLICATIONS

Vyas, A., Chawla, D. K. & Thakar, D. (2018). Dynamic Simulated Annealing for solving the Traveling Salesman Problem with Cooling Enhancer and Modified Acceptance Probability. *International Journal of Scientific and Research Publications*, 8(3), 213-220. doi:10.29322/IJSRP.8.3.2018.p7531

## CERTIFICATIONS

- React Native and Redux Course - Stephen Grider - Udemy. Jun'18
- Machine Learning , Stanford University - Coursera. Nov'17
- Big Data Specialization, University of California, San Diego - Coursera. Oct'17

## TEACHING EXPERIENCE

- Teaching Assistant for Introduction to ITWS Course, RPI, Troy, NY. Students: 90 Fall'18 - Present
- Visiting faculty at Swati Jain College, Indore, India Spring'18
- Course: Internet & Web Technologies, Basic Computer Networks