# Duane R. Swift

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#### **EDUCATION**

Northeastern University, Boston, MA, USA

September 2014 - Present

College of Computer and Information Science

Candidate for a Bachelor of Science in Computer Science and Linguistics; GPA: 3.225

Expected May 2018

June 2014

<u>Related Courses:</u> Object-Oriented Design, Logic & Computation, Theory of Computation

Fundamentals of Computer Science 1 & 2, Linguistic Analysis, Syntax,

Psychology of Language, Discrete Structures

Honors: University Scholars Program

Activities: Northeastern University Choral Society

Community Service: Boston Partners in Education, Northeastern Youth Development Initiative Program

**Hillview College**, Tunapuna, Trinidad and Tobago
Related Courses: Caribbean Secondary Education Certificate (CSEC) Information Technology,

Caribbean Secondary Education Certificate (CSEC) Information Technology, Caribbean Advanced Proficiency Examination (CAPE) Computer Science Units 1 & 2

Honors: CAPE National Scholarship Recipient (Trinidad & Tobago)

Activities: Head Prefect, Vice President of Recycling Club, Robotics Club, House Captain, Swim Team,

Student Council, Literary & Debating Society

### **COMPUTER KNOWLEDGE**

**Languages:** Java, C, JScript, Python, Racket, C++, Command Line.

**Operating Systems:** Windows, Android, Linux, iOS.

Projects: Music Reader/Player, Maze Game, Frogger Game, Personal Website

## RELATED EXPERIENCE

#### Program Developer (Class), Boston, MA

October 2015 - December 2015

September 2012 - March 2014

Music Reader/Plaver

- Analyzed and developed a suitable model to parse pre-existing files for the project
- Developed the view for the music player, to render them in three different views Console, GUI & MIDI.

## Program Developer, Tunapuna, Trinidad

Laundry Management System

- Analyzed the existing system, and created and implemented a new system with C, which managed login information
- Kept track of customer records, created receipts, checked inventory and kept track of daily, monthly and yearly finances.

## Program Developer, Tunapuna, Trinidad

September 2011 - March 2012

Housing Registration Program

- Implemented a solution to accurately screen candidates for a (simulated) national housing application process, in Pascal.
- Implemented the associated database solutions for said candidates using MS Access

## OTHER EXPERIENCE

Field Linguist, Trinidad & Tobago/USA

June 2015 - September 2015

Independent Research

• Created a sociolingustic survey to elicit dialectal differences within the Caribbean

• Elicited phonological, morphological, syntactic and lexicosemantic differences within and between the islands.

#### **INTERESTS**

Academia: Natural Language Processing, Computational Linguistics, Artificial Intelligence, Research.

Arts: Singing, Classical & Choral Music, Marching Band Choreography.

References to be furnished upon request