# Fayez Ismail



# COMPUTER ENGINEERING INNOVATION & ENTREPRENEURSHIP STREAM

2<sup>nd</sup> year Student At Queen's University

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# **EXPERIENCE**

#### **Communication Coordinator**

Jul 2024 - Current

ECE Department, Queen's University | Ontario

- Coordinated communications for the Electrical and Computer Engineering (ECE) department.
- Managed and disseminated information to students, faculty, and external stakeholders.
- Organized events and initiatives to improve department visibility and engagement.
- Represented the largest engineering department at Queen's University, with over **500** students.

First Robotics Jan 2021 – Current

FIRST Global Challenge (FGC) | Switzerland/Singapore/Greece

- 2021: Joined the robotics team, learning the basics of robotics and programming.
- 2022: Participated as a student in the FIRST Global Challenge in Geneva, serving as a Programmer and Spokesperson.
- 2023: Mentored a team of 50 students and volunteered as a Flying Squad Member at the FIRST Global Challenge in Singapore, providing technical assistance to over 1,100 students for both software and hardware issues.
- 2024: Mentored a team and was accepted as a volunteer at the FIRST Global Challenge in Athens, Greece, with primary roles as a Robot Inspector and Flying Squad Member (traveling in September).

# **Community Representative**

Jan 2019 - June 2023

Various Non-Governmental Organizations (NGOs)

- Assisted NGOs during summer vacations and school breaks, working on development programs aimed at improving living conditions in various communities.
- Attended and facilitated sessions and meetings with local community representatives to conduct needs assessments using the Rapid Participatory Approach (RPA).
- Identified suitable development programs based on the assessed needs of each community.
- Communicated and collaborated with individuals and groups from development organizations and local communities to improve environments and living conditions.
- Engaged with community members to gather feedback and insights, working together to determine effective ways to create positive change.
- Enhanced leadership, communication, and interpersonal skills becoming more confident and comfortable discussing issues with people from diverse backgrounds.
- This voluntary work significantly boosted personal potential, contributing to a more extroverted, talkative, and self-assured demeanor that made a positive impact.

# **PROJECTS**

Team Lead Jan 2024 - Apr 2024

# **Lunar Rover | Queen's University**

- Led a 12-week project in collaboration with the Canadian Space Agency (CSA) to develop a rover for lunar surface navigation.
- Utilized skills in electrical component integration, 3D modeling with SOLIDWORKS, and designing traction mechanisms.
- Transformed 3D models into functional components using advanced 3D printing and precision cutting techniques.
- Documented each step in weekly reports for thorough communication and project tracking with the client.

Team Lead Sep 2023 - Dec 2023

# **Automated Fluid-Powder Dispenser | Queen's University**

- Led a team in a 12-week project to model and build an Automated Fluid Dispenser for precise fluid and powder dispensing, crucial for consistent medication creation.
- Applied diverse skill sets in 3D modeling (SOLIDWORKS), Arduino programming (C++), workshop fabrication, and electrical engineering.
- Emphasized detailed documentation and maintained transparent communication with stakeholders throughout the project to ensure alignment with project goals.

**EDUCATION** 

Bachelor of Applied Science, Computer Engineering

Sep 2023 – Apr 2027

Innovation and Entrepreneurship stream

**Queen's University** 

High School Diploma

Sep 2018 - Apr 2023

**Najah Secondary School** 

**Programming Course** 

Jan 2019 – Dec 2021

# **Udacity**

Certified in:

- Front- End development
- Full-Stack Development
- Data Analysis
- Android Development

**LANGUAGES** 

**English**, Fluent, Proficient (C2) **Arabic**, Fluent, Proficient (C2)

French, Upper Intermediate (B2)

# **SKILLS**

#### TECHNICAL SKILLS

- **Programming Languages:** Java, JavaScript, Python, C, C++
- Web Development: HTML, CSS
- Data Analysis: Proficient in analyzing and interpreting complex data
- **Software Proficiency:** Microsoft Excel, Word, PowerPoint (10+ years)
- Version Control: GitHub for version control and collaborative development
- **3D Modeling:** SOLIDWORKS

# **COMMUNICATION SKILLS**

- Public Speaking: Spokesperson for Team Palestine at the FIRST Global Challenge 2022
- Communication Coordination: Coordinator at the ECE department, Queen's University
- Multilingual Volunteering: Trilingual tourist guide for one year

# **LEADERSHIP & MANAGEMENT**

- Leadership: Mentor for two robotics teams; Team lead in university projects
- Project Management: Managed various projects, ensuring successful completion
- Client Relations: Completed a course on client relations; Experience with the Canadian Space Agency

# ADDITIONAL SKILLS

- Research: Strong research capabilities
- **Problem-Solving:** Effective problem-solving abilities
- Report Writing: Proficient in writing detailed and structured reports
- Organization: Highly organized and detail-oriented

REFERENCES

Noura Attili From First Global Challenge

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