# Mihir Balsara

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#### **EDUCATION**

#### Georgia Institute of Technology

Atlanta, GA

Candidate for Bachelor's in Computer Science - GPA: 4.0

Aug. 2023 - May 2027

#### EXPERIENCE

## Software Developer Internship | WordPress, PHP, SQL, CMS

Apr. 2023 - May 2023

RK Centers

Burlington, MA

- Designed and developed a custom CMS platform for streamlined property and snow bidding processes
- Built a secure login and user-friendly property selection portal using WordPress and PHP.
- Optimized MySQL database structure to ensure seamless integration with the new site framework.
- Increased client-server interaction efficiency by 20% resulting in faster loading times and improved user experience

## Avionics Engineer | Python, C++

Sep. 2023 – Present

Georgia Tech Experimental Rocketry

Atlanta, GA

Developed a Controller Area Network (CAN) module to communicate with ground and rocket

## Research Assistant | python, pandas, Matplotlib, Seaborn, SciPy

Aug. 2021 – Jul. 2022

Boston College

Chestnut Hill, MA

- Conducted research on the impact of online vs. offline education on student performance in mathematics
- Utilized data visualization tools to create compelling visuals that highlighted the differences in students' math performance reports.
- Published research findings on the impact of online vs. offline education on student performance in mathematics in a peer-reviewed journal at Boston College

## **Data Engineer**

Jun. 2021 - Aug. 2021

Lexington, MA

 $Russian\ School\ of\ Mathematics$ 

- Mined student score and report data from RSM's database to identify trends in student performance
- Created an efficient algorithm to process and analyze 2 million student data points
- Leveraged pandas library to clean and prepare 2 million student data points for analysis

#### **PROJECTS**

Omex Development | JavaScript, Node.js, MongoDB, Docker

Jul. 2021 – Present

• Designed and developed two applications for the Discord platform, reaching a user base of 346,075

Silicon Studios | Lua, Blender, Roblox Studio

Jul. 2018 – Present

- Managed development of the popular Roblox game, "Drive a Tesla," achieving over 5 million visits
- Managed a team of builders and developers to create functional game assets for "Drive a Tesla"
- The game "Drive a Tesla" achieved over 5 million visits and received the Adurite Crown of O's virtual award for exceeding 10,000+ monthly active users

## TECHNICAL SKILLS

Languages: Java, Python, SQL (Postgres), PHP, JavaScript, HTML/CSS, C#

Frameworks: React, Node.js, JUnit, WordPress

Developer Tools: Git, Docker, Amazon Web Services, VS Code

Operating Systems: Windows, MacOS, Debian Linux Libraries: pandas, NumPy, Matplotlib, Seaborn, SciPi