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# **EDUCATION**

# UNIVERSITY OF HOUSTON **BSCPE IN COMPUTER ENGINEERING**

Expected May 2017 | Houston, TX Activities

- Dean's List Fall '13, Spring 14
- Institute of Electrical and Electronics Engineers (IEEE)
- **UH Robotics Club**
- Cougar CS

# LINKS

Github: https://github.com/idamo

https://www.linkedin.com/in/idamo Portfolio: http://idamo.me

# **SKILLS**

#### **LANGUAGES**

Java · Python · JavaScript · C C++ · MySQL · Bash · AppleScript

#### **APIS**

Google Dev · Facebook JS SDK · Twitter twitcurl · Spotify AppleScript & Metadata API · Pebble Dictation API · Stanford Portable Library

#### **OPERATING SYSTEMS**

OS X · Windows · Linux

# COURSEWORK

- · Data Structures & Algorithms I & II
- · Fundamentals of Software Eng.
- Fundamentals of Web Development
- · Computer Architecture
- Microprocessor Systems
- Operating Systems
- · Digital Logic Design
- · Intro to Comp. Sci. I & II
- Circuits Analysis

# AW/ARDS

"Most Innovative/Best wearable app", HackingEDU Hackathon, Oct 2015 Intern Peer Mentor, Cummins Inc., Jun 2015 - Aug 2015 Hamil Library Scholars Award, University of Houston, Apr 2015 Selected as 1 of 4 Senior IEEE Region V Robotics Participants, University of Houston, Aug 2016

# **EXPERIENCE**

# FLIPWORD | Back-end Engineering **Software Engineer + Founding Team**

Champaign, IL May 2016 - Present

Columbus, IN

- Developed algorithms on the back-end of FlipWord, an app which helps users learn languages by replacing words on webpages with their chosen language equivalents, thus infusing learning into daily web use.
- Increased speed of apps by 178% by implementing caching algorithms to reduce number of queries hitting the database on a large scale.
- Helped secure \$15,000 in funding at the Cozad New Venture Competition and win first place at both the Campus 1871 Startup and MadHacks Hackathon competitions

#### **CUMMINS INC.** | Strategy & Planning Technology Software/Business Technology Intern Jun 2015 - Aug 2015

- Developed a tool which analyzes information filled out by Project Managers and automatically generates a summary heat map using Java.
- Streamlined business intelligence and decision-making by kick-starting a full-scale automation of most of the static/paper procedures used in the Strategy & Planning team.

### M.D. ANDERSON LIB. LEARNING COMMONS **Tech Support**

Houston, TX Aug 2014 - Present

Provide technical support and offer basic troubleshooting for Windows, OS X and Linux for the 100+ computers in the technology spaces.

# **PROJECTS**

### ALANG | SmartWatch App

Languages: C & JavaScript

- Developed a speech tracking Pebble™ app which detects grammatical errors and provides corrective feedback to users.
- Engineered speech-to-text translation, written in C, and passed result to a separate JavaScript file, via Bluetooth, for parsing and comparison.
- Used dictionaries to track and store user progress over the course of time.

#### SPOTIFY.SH | Voice-Activated Spotify Languages: Bash & AppleScript

- Integrated Bash(UNIX/Linux), AppleScript and Julius to allow users control Spotify through voice commands, such as "Play <song name>" etc.
- Implemented song-searching, using regular expressions, through Spotify's Metadata API for accurate results.
- Handled errors by using AppleScript to track the Spotify audio player's state and detect unorthodox behavior.

# CLICKTWEET | Google Chrome Extension

Languages: JavaScript

- Enhanced Twitter's functionality by providing an interface for users to tweet links, images, and highlighted text by simply right-clicking the content to be tweeted, without having to open the Twitter webpage.
- The extension passes the selected content, via Twitter's API, to a panel window for final editing and/or confirmation.

#### ATARI INC.'S BREAKOUT

Languages: C++

- Developed a C-style GUI version of the classic arcade game, Breakout (a game where a ball bounces off a paddle to clear all the bricks at the top of the screen), using Stanford's Portable Library.
- Implemented event-handling algorithms to manage collisions, update scoreboard, and vary ball's angle of deflection.

# **IEEE Region V Robotics Competition**

In Progress

Designing and developing a robot to map a maze, using electromagnetic radiation, to detect underground electrified wires.