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# EDUCATION

Washington and Lee University

Lexington, VA, USA

Major: B.Sc Computer Science; GPA: 4.00/4.00

Sep 2021 – May 2025

 $2^n d$  Major: B.A Degree in Economics; **GPA:** 4.00/4.00

Cumulative **GPA**: 3.97/4.00

Relevant coursework: Software Development, Computer Organization, Programming Language Design, Algorithm Design and Analysis, Descrete Mathematics, Linear Algebra, Multi-Variable Calculus, Calculus II, Econometrics

United World College in Dilijan International Baccalaureate; GPA: 41/45 Dijian, Armenia

 $Sep \ 2019 - May \ 2021$ 

SKILLS

Languages: Python, Java, JavaScript, TypeScript, C++, HTML, CSS, Haskell, Bash

Technologies: Git, GitHub, Unix, Flask, Node.js, SciPy, Matplotlib, AWS, Microsoft Office, Excel, Stata

EXPERIENCE

Teaching Assistant

Lexington, VA, USA

Washington and Lee University, Computer Science Department

Sep 2022 - Present, Part-time

• Helping out in introductory programming courses. Answering student questions and guiding them in Python Labs and Office Hours. Mostly focusing on fundumental coding concepts and data structures. Hours a week: ≈ 6 hours.

Summer Research Scholar

Lexington, VA, USA

Washington and Lee University

Jun 2023 - Aug 2023, Full-time

- 10-week research experience. Project titled: Applying Genetic Algorithms to Generating Cost-Effective Test Cases for Web Applications. Supervised by Prof. Dr. Sara Sprenkle. Currently working towards a Conference Paper.
- Implemented and Compared Hill Climbing, Simulated Annealing, Genetic and Greedy algorithms for automatic test case generation in Python. Worked at high-level of abstraction; generated, and analyzed data. Libraries used: Pandas, Matplotlib, SciPy, NumPy.

**Editorial Associate** 

Lexington, VA, USA

Washington and Lee University

Jan 2022 – Present, Part-time

- Working for Prof. Dr. Krzysztof Jasiewic who was  $\it EEPS$  journal's Head Editor.
- Proofreading new issues of the Journal. Created a database with information from all previous published articles.

#### AWARDS & ACHIEVEMENTS

HooHacks Hackathon 2<sup>nd</sup> Place in Education category. HooHacks is the biggest Hackathon in Virgnia. (Apr 2023)

Dean's List 2021-2022, 2022-2023: Awarded to top 30% full-time students for the given academic year.

Semester at Sea Davis UWC Scholarship: Awarded Full Scholarship to study on Semester at Sea Fall 2023 program. Semester at Sea is a study abroad program where students study on a ship and sail around the world.

United World College National Nomination: Awarded Full Scholarship to study in United World College, 1 out of 3 people selected from Lithuania.

#### Projects

## EsyLearn | GitHub

• EsyLearn is a project completed in HooHacks 2023 Hackathon by me and a peer. We used JavaScript, Python and CSS to create a website that served as a personal learning assistant. Once a question is asked outloud the website sends a request to ChatGPT model. Then the recieved answer is read outloud and also displayed in text. APIs used: Flask, SpeechRecognition, Recorderjs, OpenAI.

#### Rocket Mouse | GitHub

• A infinite runner video game written in TypeScript that utilizes Node.js. I followed a tutorial to complete this project and went further by implementing my own feature - power ups. Utilized software development principles: single responsibility, modularity, and abstraction.

#### Automated Daily Email | GitHub

A python project that sends a daily email to me with a reminder to fill out a daily tracker form, sends news of the
day, a picture of a dog and upcoming weather in selected locations. Introduced myself to cloud computing and
deployed the project to AWS as a Lambda function.

#### YouTube Video Downloader | GitHub

• A python a project that downloads all opened YouTube video links by leveraging PyAutoGUI and PyTube libraries. Great tool to prepare for travels where internet connection is scarce.

# EXTRACURRICULAR ACTIVITY

## General Technology Society at Washington and Lee

Event Coordinator, Executive team

2022 - Present

- Bringing the community together through technology. Organzing and overseeing coding projects by students.
- Organizing practice coding sessions for the student body, teaching people how to approach logical and technical
  questions. Topics addressed: Algorithms, Object-Oriented Programming, Design Practices. Organized around 8
  sessions last term.

## Amnesty International at Washington and Lee

Member, Executive team (2021-2022)

2021 - Present

- Memeber of the Amnesty International Chapter. Took minutes, scheduled meetings, improved communications between members by sending out individual to-do lists.
- As a member organized informational and fundraising events. Collected around \$5000 in donations for different relief organizations.

## Volleyball Club

Member 2019 – Present

- Part of the university volleyball club team.
- I was the captain and leading practices in my high school volleyball club my senior year.