Keira Wong

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EDUCATION

University of Washington

• Bachelor of Science in Informatics/Information Assurance and Cybersecurity

Sep 2023 - Jun 2026

- Coursework: Intro to Computer Programming III, Foundational Skills for Data Science, Intro to Public Speaking
- Clubs: Women in Cybersecurity (WiCyS), Information Systems Audit and Control Association (ISACA), DubHacks Next (Entrepreneur-in-Residence), Batman's Kitchen (Cybersecurity CTFs)

AWARDS

- National Cyber Scholarship Foundation (NCSF): Bronze Award (2020) / Semifinalist (2021) / Finalist (2022) / Scholar Award (2022)
- Women in Cybersecurity (WiCyS): Top 1% of High School Scholar Award 2022, 2023, and 2024
- Kode With Klossy: Scholar Award 2021 / Alumni and Scholar Award 2022
- National Center for Women & Information Technology (NCWIT): Aspirations in Computing Award 2021

HACKATHONS

- INRIX Amazon University Hack 2023 Finalist 2023
- DubHacks 2023 Winner 2023
- Horizon x NYC Girl Scouts Hackathon Organizer 2023
- HackPNW Hackathon Lead Organizer 2023
- Hack+Policy Foundation MERGE Hackathon: 2nd Place Winner 2021
- Figma's Virtual Design Jam: 2nd Place Winner 2020
- Google Change the Game Dahyun Challenge Winner 2020
- Microsoft "Girls in AI" Hackathon: 2nd Place Winner 2019

CERTIFICATIONS

- Google Data Analytics Professional Certificate (In Progress)
 PCEP Certified Entry-Level Python Programmer Apr 2023
- Google Cybersecurity Professional Certificate Sep 2023
- GIAC Foundational Cybersecurity Technologies (GFACT) Certification Dec 2022

PUBLICATIONS & APPEARANCES

- Speaker "Impact in My Community" hosted by Bill and Melinda Gates Foundation Teen Lounge Event 2023
- Published by Journal of Interdisciplinary Public Policy "ReNews: A Real Solution to Fake" 2022
- Panelist "Experiences and challenges in the beautiful world of Computer Science by NCWIT" 2022

TECHNICAL SKILLS

Languages: Python (NumPy, Pandas, SciPy, Scikit-Image, SKLearn), Java, Swift, R, SQL, C#, ReactJS, JavaScript, HTML/CSS Tools: GitHub, Linux/Unix, GCP, O365, Visual Studio Code, Xcode, Figma

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Wordplaypen, Developer, Seattle, WA

2024 - Present

- Developing and designing solutions to bugs in the current Wordplay program
- Contributing to making programming more accessible by bridging language barriers developed by Professor Amy J. Ko
- Collaborating with other developers and teams to add accessibility features in programming tools

University of Washington, Data Science Intern, Neuroscience and Chemical Engineering, Seattle, WA

Jun 2022 - Aug 2022

- Processed large data sets for predictive cell models and visualization
- Performed analytical deep-dives to analyze problems and opportunities by identifying the hypothesis and executing experiments
- Coordinated research and business development projects by using data key business metrics

LEADERSHIP EXPERIENCE

Microsoft, Microsoft Student Learn Ambassador, Redmond, WA

2024 - Present

- Educating 20+ college students about Microsoft Azure services
- Conducting engaging workshops and training sessions to educate peers on the latest Microsoft tools
- Promoting digital literacy and Microsoft technologies among college students

WiCyS (Women in Cybersecurity) UW-Seattle Chapter, Founder and President, Seattle, WA

2023 - Present

- Lead a group of 5 women and communicate with advisor
- Opened a chapter to bring more cybersecurity awareness on campus
- Bring in professional speakers to speak on campus about their experience being in the cybersecurity field

Titan Robotics Club, CAO/Software Engineer/Mentor/Outreach Head, Redmond, WA

2017 - 2023

- Designed, built program, and debugged robot for the national FIRST Robotics Competitions
- Instructed and mentored a group of 80+ Middle School students in robotics programming
- Managed multiple competitions simultaneously through effective collaboration
- Identified, drove, and implemented improvements in robot operations resulting in a score increase of 20%