

# SOLAIMAN JAWAD

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## SKILLS

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- Experienced with distributed systems, databases, infra, deep learning, performance and optimization
- Python, Java, JavaScript, Go, Rust, C, C++, Ruby, SQL

## EDUCATION

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**University of Waterloo** Sept '17 – Sept '22  
*Honours Bachelors of Computational Mathematics, Computing Technology Option*

## WORK EXPERIENCE

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**Amazon Web Services** *Vancouver, BC*  
*Software Development Engineer (Network Load Balancing)* Jan '23 – Oct '24

- Architected connectivity canaries for availability metrics and performance testing of service, giving visibility into dataplane config propagation path and reducing deployment blast radius by **13%**
- Worked on capacity placement control, allowing concurrent resource deallocation to be executed safely
- Implemented packet capture on the primary routing process for operators to analyze network traffic

*Software Development Engineer (API Gateway)*

- Automated regional service build by introducing chained workflows, migrating resources to CDK and addressing automation gaps, reducing developer region build effort from 32 days to 4 hours
- Implemented cache prewarming and exponential jitter on service fleet records during peak traffic, reducing maximum transactions by **28%** and mitigating throttling during table rollover

**Hivestack** *Toronto, ON*  
*Junior Software Developer (Campaigns team)* Sept – Dec '22

- Customized ad campaign API to queue runtime operations on workers, improving user experience
- Remodeled relationship between vendor & product structures, enabling grouping deals by location

**Alida** *Toronto, ON*  
*Software Development Intern (Touchpoint Microsurveys)* Sept '21 – Apr '22

- Built a page template which adds actions to adverts dynamically, pushing user engagement up **6%**
- Expanded custom targeting by introducing customer attributes to select customers to survey

**PointClickCare** *Mississauga, ON*  
*Software Engineering Intern (Order Creation)* Jan – Apr '21

- Implemented React components in the order creation page from concept designs through to completion

**Electro Source Inc** *Etobicoke, ON*  
*Software Developer Intern (SR&ED Credit Tracker)* Jun – Aug '20

- Developed a work management program that monitors SR&ED claimable projects using email digests
- Moved cloud infra to CDK IaC and initiated custom host scaling policies, saving **\$12,000+** annually

**Intelerad Medical Systems** *Toronto, ON*  
*Software Developer Intern (Machine Learning)* Sept – Dec '19

- Automated the chest X-ray hanging protocol by building neural networks to classify viewing angles
- Created a residual variation of YoloV3 for object detection of vertebra in the spinal column
- Improved data collection throughput by **45%** in analysis tools using Fourier transforms and OpenCV

## PROJECTS

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- **pathfinder** – Interface which generates mazes and visualizes different pathfinding algorithms
- **bigRSA** – Program that generates 300-digit primes to encrypt and decrypt messages using RSA