Dimple Dhawan

Education

Freshman, Purdue University

[May '16 - Present]

- o Bachelors in Computer Science with Certificate in Entrepreneurship and Innovation
- Senior & Cum Laude Inductee, Walnut Hills High School

[July '13 - May '16]

Weighted GPA: 4.87/4.0 Unweighted GPA: 3.88/4.0

Related Coursework: Problem Solving & O-O Programming, Calculus 2, Introduction to Entrepreneurship & Innovation, Info Strategies for Management, English, CS Freshman Resources

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Leadership & Experience

Director & former Co-Director, Introduction to Computing Camp

[September '14 - August '16]

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High school initiative aimed at introducing middle school girls to the field of computing; Taught Scratch and Java

President Roundtable | INTERalliance Leadership Council

[August '15 – July '16]

- Student Lead at TechOlympics 2016 (the nation's largest technology conference for high school students)
- Developed and organized the NXT Robotics competition with 105 participants

Founder, Nerdy Nut

[July '15 - May '16]

- Created a website to connect mentors and mentees at Walnut
- Working to hand over website to Walnut administration

President, Walnut Hills INTERalliance Chapter

[August '13 – May '16]

Planned 4 speaker sessions and 2 resume and interview workshops with the help of business professionals - Attracted 25 students per session and facilitated weekly meetings

Student Researcher, Northern Kentucky University

[June '15 - March '16]

- UR STEM Project on Cyber Spying with 3 NKU students;
- Presented at NKU Student Research Celebration and CCSC Midwest Conference

2016 Ohio Affiliate Winner, NCWIT Award for Aspirations in Computing

[February '16]

Featured on PBS News hour: Outside the Box, Prototypically Me [January '16]

About: Me growing as a leader: from being a girl on the robotics team & going to the FTC World Championship to the captain of the team (Link: http://www.pbs.org/newshour/srl/outsidethebox/prototypically-me/)

Project Manager, Programs Committee | INTERalliance Leadership Council [September '14 - July '15]

- Organized & developed curriculum for 3 IT Academy classes for ~70 HS students (Java, Security, App development)
- Student Lead at TechOlympics 2015; Developed and organized the Academic Quiz competition with 96 participants

Extracurricular Achievements

Captain and Driver, Walnut Hills Varsity FTC Robotics Team

[May '15 - April '16]

Co-Lead team of 7 programmers to program robot in Java & co-lead team of 4 designers to model in CAD software

Member, Walnut Hills Varsity FTC Robotics Team

[May '14 - April '16]

FTC Team 6133: Finished 3rd at 2015 World Championships; Winning Alliance at North Super Regionals

Varsity Swimmer, Walnut Hills Swim Team and Hydra OH Swim Club

[September '13 - April '16]

"Most Coachable Swimmer" in 2014; All-Conference Academic Award, Eastern Cincinnati Conference (2014, 2015)

Co President & Member, Junior Engineering Technical Society (JETS)

[August '13 - July '16]

- Recruited 20 active members and leadership team of 5
- Placed at 2014-2015 National Technology Student Association Conference: 5th in Presentation, 1st in Written Category

Senior Class Representative, Student Council

[August '15 - May '16]

Help organize events for ~2800 students (Pep Rally, Homecoming)

Others

1st Degree Black Belt, International Taekwon-do Federation

[July '07 – July '13]

Nominated for Junior Book Award (1of 30 out of ~380 students)

Volunteer Activities

Camp Assistant and Manager, iSpace (~ 10-14 hours/month) [September '14 – August '16] **Serve 'langar' and cleanup,** Guru-Nanak Society (3 hours/week) [September '15 – July '16] Chemistry and Math Tutor, Walnut Hills (2 hours/week) [February '15 – May '16] Leader, team of 7 to build a website for organization of Nerf Wars at school [February '15 – June '15]

Skills

Technical Skills

Beginner: Java, HTML, Android, CNC Routing, Welding, Swift; Intermediate: CAD, MATLAB

Languages Known: English, Hindi, Punjabi and French

Soft Skills: Teamwork, Communication, Leadership, Presentation and Multi-tasking