# **Daman Morris**

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#### **EDUCATION**

#### Rochester Institute of Technology, Rochester, NY

B.S. in Computer Science

Aug 2016 - Present

- Classes: Found. of Intelligent Systems, Intro. to Computer Vision, Science & Analytics of Speech, Game Theory, Advanced Linear Algebra, Abstract Algebra, Programming Language Theory
- Cumulative GPA: 3.41 / 4.0

#### **EXPERIENCE**

## RIT CS Department, Rochester, NY

Research & Development Assistant

Sep 2019- Present

- Planned and developed a system for zero-knowledge authentication in a multi- factor context, with extensible support for a variety of protocols, including Feige-Fiat-Shamir.
- Extended existing zero-knowledge protocols with modern principles, intended to support such solutions as no-trust
  architecture or continuous authentication, for use in critical environments.
- Produced two stand-alone libraries to support the above, both of which are extensible and configurable depending on the needs of the organization. Proprietary; all associated IP is wholly owned by REDCOM Laboraties, Inc.
- Developer, MLton@RIT

Jun 2018 – May 2019

- Worked to improve the whole-program SML compiler, MLton.
- Simplified the internal representation of arithmetic primitives by making checked primitive operations into predicates, similar to how other modern compilers handle such operations.
- Amended and added several optimization passes to keep performance on par with the older system; in some cases, speedups of up to 50% performance were observed.
- Grader, Concepts of Computer Systems

Jan 2018 – May 2019

- Graded tests involving low-level computer organization and assembly language.
- Learned valuable time management skills.
- Maintained consistency of scoring across a section of tests.

#### **SKILLS**

- Programming languages: Python, Haskell, C[++], Java, Lua, Rust (LATEX, HTML, CSS)
- Disciplines: Computer Vision & Image Processing, Functional Programming, Linguistics, Machine Learning, Data Mining & Analysis, Systems Programming, Database Programming
- Technologies: OpenCV, Pandoc, H2, SQL, Inkscape, GNU Image Program

## **PROJECTS**

## **Pangloss**

- Pandoc filter for interlinear glosses (a type of example used in grammars and other linguistic documents with a sentence, its constituent parts, and an English translation on separate lines).
- Allows pandoc example lists to be used to generate interlinear glosses in PDF with the LaTeX gb4e package or HTML with Leipzig.js. Written in Python.

## Lexis

- Standalone tool to facilitate the creation of professionally typeset dictionaries with Pandoc and markdown.
- Allows dictionaries to be specified as Markdown lists, either in one file or multiple files by letter, and supports arbitrary collation orders for different languages. Written in Python.

## AWARDS & SCHOLARSHIPS

 Dean's List, Spring 2017 through Fall 2018, Rochester Institute of Technology For attaining a semester GPA of at least 3.4 with no grades of 'D', 'F', or incomplete. 2017 – 2018

Presidential Scholar Award, Rochester Institute of Technology
 For exceptional academic performance and strong entrance exam scores.

Jan 2016

#### CAMPUS ACTIVITIES

#### **PiRIT**, Rochester Institute of Technology

■ Member Jan 2018 – Present

## **INTERESTS**

Conlanging, reading, typography, graphic design.