

Preet Patel

2nd Year Software Engineering Student

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EDUCATION

Bachelor of Software Engineering(Hons) — University of Auckland

March 2017 - Present

- First in class for ENGGEN 131 (First year Software paper)
- Team member of Auckland University Robotics Club
- Volunteer for Engineering without Borders

Natabua High School, Fiji — Pure Science (Biology, Chemistry, Physics, Maths & English)

January 2012 - 2016

- Received a Medicine and Engineering scholarship for being in the top 300 Students in Fiji.
- School Prefect

Experience

Software Engineering Intern, Punjas Ltd, Fiji

December 2017 - February 2018

Learnt VB.Net, C#, ASP.Net and SQL applying the concepts learnt to create useful applications for the company. Worked with a team of 4 to learn basic skills and used them to create a HelpDesk system to help the IT department log issues and assign them internally. (Code viewable on Github). Reduced calls to department by 90% as users were able to log issues online.

Media Specialist, Vodafone

May 2016 - February 2017

Was **responsible** for creating, developing and editing promotional video content for the Vodafone brand. Followed production guidelines laid out by the company and ensured videos were delivered on time. Content created was shown on national TV and on the internet and Vodafone outlets.

YouTube Content Creator

November 2013 - Present

Produce videos showcasing and reviewing the greatest in Tech. A key part of education is **balancing** it with personal projects. Doing YouTube allows me to be **independent** in whatever work I do which means that I need to create deadlines for myself and stick by them. (<http://www.Youtube.com/iTechnoBlog>)

Programming Languages

C | Java | MATLAB | MS-SQL
| VB.Net | ASP.Net | Swift

Professional Skills

Adobe Suite (Mainly Photoshop, Premiere Pro and Dreamweaver)

Known for excellent code troubleshooting

Experience with: Visual Studio, Eclipse, IntelliJ, SQL, XCode

Personal Skills

High level of patience and interpersonal skills

Communication and Teamwork

Have an outgoing personality

Love interacting with others

Other Achievements

Student Prefect (2014 - 2016)

Emcee for various school events

School Ambassador to the Ministry of Education (2016)

Private Tutoring

March 2016 - November 2016

Tutored a total of 3 students in Year 11. Was **responsible** for creating quizzes and additional notes for the students as well as **effectively** being able to teach them the needed knowledge whilst creating links to real life examples. All 3 students passed with the most successful student showing a ~**30% increase** from previous exams.

Design Apprenticeship, Punjas Ltd, Fiji

November 2015 - February 2016

Was responsible for designing posters for 5 retail outlets over the course of 3 months. The posters were featured across the branches of retailers throughout the country.

Volunteering Experience

Ambassador, Niesh

February 2018 - Present

Part of a small group of students interested in helping students survive university financially and mentally. **Organised** events during O'Week at university and helped the company **reach No. 1** free app on the App Store in just 3 days. Focused on approaching students and helped them understand what Niesh had to offer.

Volunteering Staff, Santa Shoebox Project

December 2015 - Present

A small community organised event where donated items such as food, toys & books were wrapped inside boxes with a handmade note attached to the top of each box. 200+ Gift boxes are made each Christmas which get distributed to underprivileged children in a remote settlement.

Referees

Referees available upon request.

LANGUAGES

English, Hindi and Gujarati

Clubs & Societies

Software Engineering
Student Association,

AURA (Robotics),

Velocity & Chiasma

Engineering Without
Borders \NZ

INTERESTS

Blogging, Creating Videos,
Photography, Reading,
Travelling, Music