Saad Hussain Syed

Professional Summary

Enthusiastic computer science graduate with a strong emphasis on technology and networking, ready to offer expertise in technology, networking, and analysis to a vibrant team and a passion for developing creative and user-friendly solutions.

Skills

- Hardware & Software: Expertise in diagnosing and resolving desktop, laptop, and peripheral issues.
- Networking: Knowledge of TCP/IP, DNS, DHCP, basic network troubleshooting, and LAN/Wi-Fi configuration.
- Security: Experience with password resets, antivirus updates, and basic IT security practices.
- Web Development: HTML, CSS, JS, Node.js, Express, React, and WordPress for developing dynamic applications and managing websites.
- Data Science & Machine Learning: Python (Pandas, NumPy, Scikit-learn), and data visualization tools like Matplotlib, Seaborn, and Streamlit.
- Technical Tools: Proficient with Git, GitHub, Bash, and Microsoft Office.
- Other Skills: SQL (MySQL, Oracle SQL), Python(general), C++, Figma(UI/UX design), Trello(Project Management), UML Diagrams.

Projects

Advance Driver Assistant System | MERN, Docker, Raspberry Pi4, TensorFlow

Sep 2024 - Current

- Assistant Driver System equipped with different modes enables the driver to be more aware of the surroundings, preventing accidents and ensuring safer driving experiences by providing real-time alerts and assistance.
- MERN stack has been implemented in software development, with Raspberry Pi 4 as the hardware core primarily used for reading vehicle data and processing sensor inputs for further analysis.
- The system integrates advanced object detection algorithms using a TensorFlow model, enabling features like lane detection and collision avoidance to enhance driver safety.
- Carbon Scan | MERN, Flask, Scapy, Bleak

July 2024 - Current

- Network detector software scans devices available on the LAN and via Bluetooth, displaying their status and key details like IP and MAC addresses.
- MERN stack is used alongside external libraries such as Bleak for Bluetooth scanning, Scapy for network packet analysis, and Mac Vendor Lookup for device identification.
- Software is being developed as a tool for Carbon Networks to monitor, manage, and maintain clients' network infrastructure efficiently.
- Bubble | MySQL, HTML, CSS, JS, Express.js, Bcrypt, Flask, Node.js, BASH

Jan 2024 - April 2024

- Student-focused information system-based web application that focuses on networking with both people and groups.
- Developed based on system analysis and development techniques by which users establish or join a chat room to communicate with others.
- BASH file has been implemented to automate the initializing servers and connecting them, then starting the program.
- Campus Connect | HTML, CSS, BASH, Python, Bootstrap, Django

Sep-Dec 2023

- Web Application focused on students connecting and exploring other departments and courses.
- The application had various features, including posting features, interacting with other departments, and interacting with specific course students.
- Agile software development technique was used with make file for automation.

Volunteering

- Information Desk and Experience Volunteer Island Health (NRGH)
- Tutor Coding Club (VIU)
- International Representative CS Club (VIU)

Jul 2024 - Current

Work Experience

Computer Hardware Technician | Great River Financial Service Inc

Sep 2024 - Current

Casual

- Communicate with clients based on the task and schedule an appointment.
- Troubleshoot and test hardware based on the task and perform a report.
- Switch the old components with the new components when needed and perform flashing using the flashing tools
 writing model details into the system.

Field Service Engineer | Carbon Networks

Jan 2024 - Current

Casual

- Designing network setup for the given area.
- Calibrating and mapping cables with respective ports and plug points.
- Installing, organizing and upgrading equipment.

Cashier | Super Save Disposal

May 2023 - Current

Part-Time

- Greet customers, process payments, and provide excellent service at the gas station.
- Assist with fueling vehicles, maintaining the station, and stocking shelves.
- Ensure cleanliness, safety, and efficient operation of the gas station.

Education and Certifications

• Diploma in Computer Science, Vancouver Island University

2022-2024

- Coursework: Networking and Management, Software Engineering, Testing, Human-Computer Interaction and Design, Object Oriented Programming, Development Diagrams, Calculus, Database Systems, Data Structures, Logic and Foundations.
- The Complete Web Developer(Udemy)

Dec 2023

- Skills Obtained: HTML, CSS, JS, NPM, React, Node.js and Databases
- Machine Learning for Data Science(Udemy)

Feb 2022

• Skills Obtained: Data Cleaning, Processing, Visualization, and Data Analysis techniques and Advanced Excel

Research

- Safeguarding Tomorrow's Data Landscape: Young Digital Citizens' Perspectives on Privacy within AI Systems
 Jul 2024 Apr 2025 expected
 - This project seeks to comprehensively explore privacy within AI systems, with a particular focus on the perspectives of young digital citizens aged 16-19.
 - Project is funded by the Office of the Privacy Commissioner of Canada's (OPC) Contributions Program.
 - Overarching goal is to gain a deep understanding of Young Digital Citizens' Perspectives on privacy within AI systems and, based on this understanding, contribute to developing guidelines that foster responsible and privacy-centric practices in AI applications.