# Saif Masoud

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#### EDUCATION

# University Of Massachusetts Amherst

Amherst, MA

B.S Computer Science Expected Graduation: Dec 2023

• Fall 2022 Dean's List

• Major GPA: 3.5

• Coursework: Intro To Algorithms, Systems Programming, Computer Networks, Software Engineering, Linux System Management, Linear Algebra

# MassBay Community College

Wellesley MA

2021

A.S Computer Science

• Phi Theta Kappa Honors

## SKILLS

Languages: Python, Java, JavaScript, C/C++, SQL

Frameworks: React, Flask

Developer Tools: Git, Docker, Visual Studio Code, Bash, Linux

#### PROJECTS

### Rubik's Solver | Python, React, JavaScript, Docker

GitHub

• Presented at MassBay STEM Expo 2020

- Programmed optimal 2x2 Rubik's Cube Solver using a Python backend, alongside an interactive React frontend
- Implemented a bi-directional breadth first search algorithm to improve efficiency
- Created a Docker container for simple installation

#### Dynamic Programming Algo Visualizer | Python, Qt

- Implemented visualizations for dynamic programming algorithms such as Knapsack to help learners understand them
- Created a tabular view using the Qt framework to display the logic of each algorithms
- Added a step-by-step view of each algorithm, with play, pause, speed, and step-back options
- Built with object-oriented design to facilitate adding more algorithms

# $Anki-OCR \mid Python, JavaScript, HTML$

- Created a tool to convert handwritten flashcards into digital format compatible with Anki
- Decreased time needed to digitize flashcards by implementing mass import functionality
- Built a command-line tool with Python, as well as a webapp with JavaScript for cross-platform use

#### SeniorChat | Python, Flask, JavaScript, React

- Implemented backend API and SQL database of video chat web-app for group hackathon project
- Incorporated the Twilio API to allow users to send SMS messages through the app

#### EXPERIENCE

#### Intramural Official Sep 2022 – Present

University of Massachusetts Amherst

Amherst, MA

- Selected to officiate semi-final and final matches
- Attended regular meetings and matches

# Software Developer

Feb 2023 – Present

BUILD UMass

Amherst, MA

• Working on a mobile app for local computer vision business

# STEM Mentee

Sep 2019 – May 2021

MassBay Community College

 $Wellesley,\ MA$ 

• Met with engineers from Mathworks and a startup to learn about inner workings and practices of software engineers

# ACTIVITIES AND INTERESETS

• Played Varsity Soccer For MassBay