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# **Summary of Qualifications**

### • Languages

- C++: Workplace experience, personal projects, high school coursework
- **Python**: Workplace experience, personal projects, coursework
- Ruby: Personal projects, independent coursework
- MATLAB: Workplace experience
- Java, JavaScript, HTML, CSS and LATEX: Functional use and familiarity

### • Databases

- MySQL, PostegresQL: Used in local development and testing of various personal projects
- NoSQL, Excel: Functional use and familiarity
- Operating Systems and Web Frameworks
  - OSX, Linux, Windows: Programmed heavily in UNIX environments
  - Ruby on Rails, Google AppEngine: Used to deploy live web applications

# Work Experience

# Research Intern, Syracuse University, NY

May - Aug 2013

- Researched evolutionary algorithms with applications to multi-objective optimization in wireless sensors
- Modeled mobility and tracking of targets within wireless sensor clusters
- Applied existing evolutionary algorithms to sensor deployment based on problem specifications
- Analysed behavioral patterns to detect deviations by training sensor networks using obtained data
- Research Papers (under preparation)
  - Modified Energy Aware Path Predictive Target Tracking In Embedded Sensor Vision Networks
  - Path Generation With Target And Boundary Coverage Problems Employing Evolutionary Algorithms In Mobile Vision Sensor Networks

# Personal Projects

- Ballstorm: An interactive graphical game with a physics engine using the C++ allegro library
- CloG: A basic web blog using Google AppEngine as a back-end framework as part of CS 253
- DuckDuckShogi: A rudimentary functional search engine as part of CS 101
- PrQL: A basic database management system with SQL-like functionality in C++
- Quacker: A functional twitter clone website through the use of the Ruby On Rails tutorial book
- $\bullet$  Built basic code that implemented algorithms used in robotic vehicles as part of CS 373
- Solved over 50 problems on Project Euler with python implementations

## Education

## Candidate for Bachelor of Science

Sept 2012 - Present

• Honours Mathematical Physics, University of Waterloo

### Independent and Applicable coursework

- CS 101: Introduction to Computer Science (Udacity)
- CS 373: Programming a Robotic Car (Udacity)
- CS 253: Web Application Engineering (Udacity)
- CS 212: Design of computer programs (Udacity)
- CS 191x: Quantum Computation (Berkeley, edX)
- CS 221: Introduction to artificial Intelligence (Udacity) In progress
- CS 215: Algorithms (Udacity) In progress
- PHYS 236: Computational Physics In progress

#### Awards

• University of Waterloo President's scholarship

2012

• Indian National Mathematics Olympiad Scholar

2011

# Volunteer Experience

### Formula Motorsports, University of Waterloo

**Sept - Dec 2012** 

- Experience with shaping and constructing sheet metal parts
- $\bullet$  Gained knowledge of differentials, aerodynamic packages, carbon fibre structures

### Wave Robotics, University of Waterloo

2012 - Present

- Performing Finite Element Analysis to construct rollcage to protect equipment
- Used machining tools to construct disk brakes for the autonomous vehicle
- Soldered wires and constructed mounts for the autonomous vehicle

### Extracurricular

### Science Orientation Leader, University of Waterloo

2013

• Responsible for overnight safety as well as event set up and tear down

### Undergraduate Physics Club, University of Waterloo

2012 - Present

- First year representative: Fall, Winter 2012
- Information officer: Fall 2013

## Miscellaneous

### Interests and Hobbies

- Enjoys reading manga, solving rubik's cubes, doing physics and writing code
- Likes practicing kendo, playing chess and writing poetry
- Certified for CPR and First Aid