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# **Projects**

#### relibc | Maintainer

- C standard library written entirely in **Rust**
- wrote the stdio.h implementation
- 4th largest contributor to date

#### small | Author & Inventor

- stack-based string implementation in Rust
- usage in ion shell increased performance by 30%

# process memory injector | Author & Inventor

• library for manipulating the memory of other processes in Rust

# Experience

## University of Western Australia | unit tutor

February 2020 - June 2020

• recieved **commendation** for tutoring 30 students in data structures and algorithms using Java under Prof. Amitava Datta

#### Arista Networks | software engineering intern

Supervisor: Alex Webster | November 2019 - February 2020

- created a custom Linux image using Yocto for network enabled bootable USB drives
  - reduced theoretical fix-time for devices affected by corrupted images by approximately 1 day
  - reduced theoretical regression test time by 10 minutes
- developed tools in Python to search for vulnerabilities in Arista operating systems
  - opened approximately 1500 bugs to be triaged

#### Arista Networks | software engineering intern

Supervisor: Alex Webster | January 2019 - February 2019

- developed tools in **Python** to discover layer 1 network topology, allowing for previously impossible topology analysis
- researched and developed methods in **Python** for creating network-accessible USB boot drives to reduce testing time

#### Talis Consultants | undergraduate technician

Manager: Granger Bennett | 2016 - 2018

- developed noise management solution Nexus in C#
  - in use by Fortescue Metals Group, Alcoa and others in daily operations

# Education

### Masters | Software Engineering

University of Western Australia | 2019-Nov 2020

- GPA: 6.0
- WAM: 75.2%

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Software Design Project	90%
Computational Modelling	Distinction
Computer Vision	Distinction
Risk, Reliability and Saftey	Distinction
Testing and Quality Assurance	Distinction

#### **BSc Software Engineering**

University of Western Australia | 2017-2019

- GPA: 5.5
- WAM: 70%

Data Structures and Algorithms	89%
Digital Embedded Systems	91%
Networks and Security	91%
High Performance Computing	Distinction

# Other

#### **Computers**

UWA Programming Competitions Society

vice president	2019 - 2020
secretary	2020 - Present
committee member	2018 - Present
lecturer	2017 - Present
competitor	2017 - Present

• University Computer Club

treasurer	2019 - 2020
ice president	2018 - 2019

- International Collegiate Programming Competition
  - Divisionals finalist 2019
  - Divisionals finalist 2018
  - Divisionals finalist 2017

#### Music

- Audition choirs
  - The Winthrop Singers

2017 - Present bass section 2020 - Present bass section leader

- West Australian Chamber Choir bass section leader | 2019 - 2020