

# Sameer Khoja

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## EDUCATION

### CORNELL UNIVERSITY

#### BS IN COMPUTER SCIENCE

Expected May 2019 | Ithaca, NY

Cum. GPA: N/A

#### BS IN INFORMATION SCIENCE

Expected May 2019 | Ithaca, NY

Cum. GPA: N/A

Conc. in Data Science

### TEXAS ACADEMY OF MATH AND SCIENCE

#### DUAL ENROLLMENT PROGRAM

Expected May 2016 | Denton, TX

Cum. GPA: 4.0

### NORTH HILLS PREPARATORY

#### INTERNATIONAL BACCALAUREATE

2012-2014 | Irving, Texas

Cum. GPA: 4.0

## LINKS

Github:// [samkho10](#)

LinkedIn:// [sameerkhoja](#)

Medium:// [@sameerkhoja](#)

Twitter:// [@samkho10](#)

## SKILLS

### PROGRAMMING

JavaScript • PHP/MySQL • Swift •  
STATA • HTML/CSS •  $\text{\LaTeX}$

### TECHNOLOGIES

Node.js • Backbone.js • ReactJS •  
MongoDB

## PROJECTS

### SPARK

iOS app that uses the Braintree API to foster crowdfunding for a cause.

### SEAL BREAKER

iOS app that uses the Mashery API to determine the optimal time to use the restroom while at a basketball game.

### FREEZERAY

iOS app that uses the Chain API to take bitcoin wallets completely offline and safe from cyberhacks.

## EXPERIENCE

### FUNCTION OF BEAUTY | GROWTH HACKER & DEVELOPER INTERN

June 2015 - Present | Stamford, CT

- Implemented guerrilla marketing techniques to expand user base, assessed which methods were most effective
- Worked directly with the CEO to maximize conversion rates and minimize the duration of placing an order
- Ran back-end development of company website, including login function and database integration

### OFFICE OF SUSTAINABILITY | OPERATIONS INTERN

June 2014 - June 2015 | University of North Texas

- Analyzed campus-wide survey data on attitudes in sustainability and presented findings to the office.
- Received \$5,000 grant from the campus Green Fund to execute my own initiative, Green in Grid Out. This project challenges students to take their phones and laptops off the grid by subscribing to bike energy stations. I plan to measure various metrics ranging from calories burned to kW hours offset, as well as examining social outcomes.

### THE ARGAN TREE | DATA ANALYST & DEVELOPER INTERN

June 2013 - July 2013 | McKinney, TX

- Analyzed survey findings to assess the impact of cooperatives on social and institutional trust.
- Converted entire website to automatically detect and optimize displays for mobile phones.
- Assisted in compiling data for an impact analysis report of the cooperative on the status of women in Morocco.

## RESEARCH

### LABORATORY OF ADVANCED POLYMERS | HEAD UNDERGRADUATE RESEARCHER

Sept 2014 - Present | Denton, TX

Quantified relationship between toughness and brittleness for over a dozen polymers and metals. Published results in Materials Letters. Currently conducting molecular dynamics simulation on high-density polyethylene to determine causes of friction, scratchability and wear. Publication submitted.

## AWARDS

2015	National	MIT INSPIRE Finalist
2015	International	Selected to Present in World Forum on Advanced Materials
2015	International	FIRST Robotics - World Qualifiers
2014	National	Verizon Innovative Application Challenge
2014	National	BitHack Winner
2014	International	MIT Zero Robotics
2014	International	Global Cooperative Challenge Finalist
2012	National	Eagle Scout