Vali Hameed

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Education

Lancaster University

Sept 2024 – June 2027

- Computer Science BSc with Honours (Year 2) Expected First Class
- First Year Average 70%

Experience

Temporary Software Developer, DigbySwift - Leeds, ENG

June 2023

- Developed a **cross-platform mobile application** from concept to completion using **Dart** and **Flutter**, delivering a user-centric movie and TV series search tools.
- Ensured code reliability and software quality by implementing comprehensive unit tests.
- Managed project version control using **Git** and **GitHub**, employing a feature-branching workflow with pull requests for code review before merging into the main branch.
- Contributed to business operations by assisting with the management of client websites on Microsoft Azure.

Projects

UFC Fight Predictor

- Backend Development (In Progress): Developing a secure RESTful API for the predictor using Java and the Spring Boot framework.
- Implemented a robust user registration and authentication system using **Spring Security**, including email verification and password encryption
- Utilized **Spring Data JPA** to manage user data, storing information in a containerised **PostgreSQL** database using **Docker**.
- Developed a **machine learning** model in **Python** to predict UFC fight outcomes by cleaning and processing a dataset of over **6,000** fights with **Pandas** before training a **Logistic Regression** classifier with a **66%** accuracy.
- Designed, built, and **shipped** a full-stack prediction app, containerizing a **FastAPI** backend with **Docker** and deploying to **AWS ECS**.

Tram Network Pathfinding Visualizer

- Engineered a desktop application in Java to calculate and visualize the shortest route between two stations on a tram network.
- Applied Object-Oriented Programming (OOP) principles to design a robust graph data structure, modeling stations, connections, and paths as distinct Java objects.
- Implemented classic search algorithm such as Dijkstra's to efficiently determine the most optimal path.

Portfolio Website

- Developed and deployed a performant, SEO-friendly personal portfolio by leveraging the Static Site Generation (SSG) of Next.js(a React Framework) and Vercel's automated CI/CD pipeline.
- Implemented a fully responsive and modern UI using the utility-first approach of Tailwind CSS. 2D Racing Game
- Directed a full-cycle **python** project by **translating stakeholder requirements** into a functional design, adding features through an **iterative SDLC**, and **incorporating user feedback** to ensure all success criteria were met.

Technical Skills

Languages: Java, Python, Dart, JavaScript, SQL

Frameworks/Libraries: Flutter, Next.js, Tailwind CSS, Pygame, React, Pandas, Scikit-learn, Fast API, Spring Boot

Tools & platforms: Git/GitHub, Unit Testing, Docker, AWS, PostgreSQL