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## **EDUCATION**

## NATIONAL UNIVERSITY SINGAPORE

Computer Science | GPA: 4.55 / 5

- Overall Champion of Ripple, NUS Fintech Summit 2024 Hackathon
- Top Student of IS1108, awarded by NUS, School of Computing
- Core Modules: Functional and Object-Oriented Programming Methodology, Discrete Structures, Algorithms and Data Structures, Information Security, Computer Networking

## VICTORIA JUNIOR COLLEGE

GCE A Level | Rank Points: 90/90

- 90/90 (Full Distinction) with additional H3/S-Level Chemistry
- Recipient of SINDA Academic Awards
- Nominated and participated for 2019 Singapore Physics Olympiad

## PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

**SMARTKARMA** 

Feb 2023 – Jul 2023 | Data Analyst Intern

**Testimonial**: https://virusrwj223.github.io/hm/

- Usage of the Bloomberg terminal and open-source BLPAPI API package to streamline data retrieval using Python programming language
- Developed and maintained a data dashboard for the UX team, utilizing PostgreSQL to query the company database and Excel to visualize data using charts.
- Recommended website tracking strategies to the product team, utilizing the data collection tool Google Analytics 4 to gather valuable insights.
- Optimized the data dashboard for the research team, using **PostgreSQL** and **Google Looker Studio** to enhance data visualization and streamline client onboarding.
- Automated the posting of company webinars using the platform's respective APIs, Python, and Zapier, resulting in increased webinar visibility and engagement.
- Assisted colleagues in **web scraping** various financial news sites using **Python** for internal usage, enabling the research team to gather up-to-date information efficiently.
- Automated weekly sales reports to CXO office using Hubspot API, Python and SQL

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(Incoming Jan 2025) | AI Research Intern

- Support research on strengthened supply chains through AI

# **SELF INITIATED PROJECTS**

Oma (May 2024 - Current)

Backend, Quality Assurance, DevOps lead | AI

- Native recommendation app for dining places suited to your preference
- Recommendation algorithm built using **PvTorch**
- Adapted MERN stack (usage of NEXT.JS and TRPC) on Turborepo
- Playwright testing framework for unit and integration test in managing Quality Assurance
- Native application and ML model hosted on Microsoft Azure

User guide: https://docs.google.com/document/d/11SEPNa5Z1mEtLLBuoHdEIO-Y0rPrTtn0plZOKLHMxr8/edit?usp=sharing

BAR-E (previously BASA) (Dec - Jan 2024)

### Overall Team Lead and Tech Lead | Blockchain

- Winning submission for Ripple, NUS Fintech Summit 2024 Hackathon
- dApp that connects landlords and tenants through contracts on the Ethereum blockchain
- First iteration of project built in Summer 2023 found here: <a href="https://virusrwj223.github.io/BASA/">https://virusrwj223.github.io/BASA/</a>
- Usage of **Solidity** to prepare contracts and **Python Brownie** framework to deploy contracts
- Usage of React.js to craft user interface

Website: https://bar-e.onrender.com/

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