# **Yousef Abdalla**

# Electronic and Computer MEng Student

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## **Education**

Electronic and Computer Engineering MEng

Sept 2017 - Aug 2021

University of Nottingham

Predicted Grade: 1st Class honours

## **Project Involvement:**

- Construction and programming of autonomous robotic car with various capabilities.
- Development of a Doppler radar-based speed sensor prototype system.
- Development of a Cross-platform 3D model viewer.
- Development of an Off-grid Sensor Network for Environmental Monitoring of Remote Locations.
- Cybersecurity project titled "Software Memory Corruption Vulnerabilities: Exploitation and Mitigation Techniques."

## Awards and Scholarships:

- High Achiever Scholarship
- Nottingham Advantage Award

A-levels and GCSF's

Oct 2014 - June 2017

#### A-levels and GCSE

# British Council

A-Levels:

# Mathematics (A\*)

- Computer Science (A)
- Physics (A)

#### GCSE's:

- 5 A\*
- 3 A

# **Work experience**

Network Field Training Program

Sept - 2019

## Huawei, Saudi Arabia

Acquired technical knowledge of Network Infrastructure through:

- Participating in the designing of Riyadh Bank New Tower Network Topology.
- Installation and configuration of Huawei routers, aggregator switches and access switches.
- Implementation of Huawei Management System Software (eSight)

# Banking and Security Intern

Dec 2018 - Jan 2019

## Al-Rajhi Bank, Saudi Arabia

Completed training in:

- Principles of Banking
- Banking Introduction Program
- Sales Skills and Customer service
- Anti-Money Laundering and Countering Financing of Terrorism
- Detection of Forgery and Falsification
- Fraud Protection

# **Key Skills**

Experience in various programming languages. (C, Java, C++, x86 Assembly)

Experience with Database Management Systems. (MySQL, MS-SQL Server)

Experience with various web developing languages. (HTML, CSS, JS, Node.js, React)

Accomplished verbal communication and leadership skills.

Critical thinking, problem solving and analytical skills.

Ability to work both independently and as part of a group.

# Languages

English

Near-native English speaker.

Arabic

Mother-tongue.

Spanish

Limited working proficiency.

## **Additional Online Courses**

- Data Science
- Cloud Computing
- Big Data
- Bitcoin and Blockchain
- Cybersecurity
- Technology Internship Experience Certificate - Bright Network

# **Leadership Experience**

## Peer Mentor Leader

Sept 2020 - Present

# University of Nottingham

• Provided guidance and support to the new team of Peer mentors within the Faculty of Engineering.

# Egyptian Society President

Sept 2019 - June 2020

# University of Nottingham

- Brought together all Egyptian students in the university by organising cultural and social events.
- Students > 100
- Hosting collaborative events with other societies of different cultures.

## Skill set acquired:

• Team management skills.

#### Hall President

Oct 2018 - June 2019

# University of Nottingham

- Representative of the Students' Union; responsible for engaging the residents in my hall by organising events and improving the hall's facilities.
- Budget > £10000
- Students > 250

## Skill set acquired:

- Public speaking and campaigning skills.
- Financial, time, and team management skills.

# **Volunteering Experience**

## Student Union Executive Officer

May 2019 - Present

## University of Nottingham

- Part of a group of 21 officers responsible for organising events for all 15 halls in the university for the first 6 weeks of term.
- Mentoring the JCR committees taking over individual halls after the 6-week period.
- Students > **6000**
- Budget > £30000

## Skill set acquired:

- Collaboration and team working skills.
- Financial and Time Management.

## Peer Mentor, Faculty of Engineering

Oct 2019 - June 2020

# University of Nottingham

• Provided support and guidance in person and over email to the new students of the Faculty of Engineering.

# Skill set acquired:

• Networking skills.

## Switch-off Student Ambassador

Sept 2018 - June 2019

# University of Nottingham

 Participated in campaign to help raise awareness about energy saving and global warming.

# Skill set acquired:

- Accomplished verbal communication skills.
- Promotional public speaking skills.