

# AARIB SAMI

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## EDUCATION

### University of Guelph — *Guelph, ON*

Expected Graduation: 2028

*Bachelor of Computing in Computer Science*

**GPA:** 3.94/4.00, *Dean's List*

**Related Coursework:** Algorithms, Operating Systems, Data Structures, Object Oriented Programming, Application of Microcomputers, Intermediate Programming, Discrete Structures I/II, Linear Algebra I

## TECHNICAL SKILLS

**Languages & Libraries:** Python, JavaScript, TypeScript, C, Java, SQL, C#, React.js, Node.js, Spring Boot, Flask

**AI & ML:** PyTorch, Scikit-learn, LangChain, RAG, Fine-Tuning, Vector Databases, OpenClaw, n8n

**Developer Tools:** Claude Code, Cursor, Git, GitHub, GitLab, Postman, Visual Studio Code, IntelliJ, Unity

## EXPERIENCE

### Software Developer Intern

May 2025 – Dec 2025

*Candescence*

*Waterloo, ON*

- Optimized file processing algorithms in **Spring Boot**, reducing average API response times by **15%** and eliminating timeout errors for **500+** concurrent users during peak upload periods
- Built a bulk wire payment system using **React.js** and **TypeScript**, simplifying batch payment processing for **100+** companies through automated text file upload and customizable field mapping to database schemas
- Streamlined feature delivery by collaborating with Product Owners and UX/UI designers to validate designs pre-development, reducing rework iterations by **25%** and accelerating team output
- Enhanced reliability through unit tests using **Jest**, achieving **90%** coverage and identifying bugs pre-production

### Founder

Apr 2025 – Current

furnish.ai

- Built a fullstack AI virtual staging platform using **React.js** and **TypeScript**, processing room transformations in **30-60 seconds** through integration with Replicate API, reaching **15+** users in launch week
- Implemented a **Stripe** payment system across **3 pricing tiers** with webhook handlers for automated billing events, processing transactions with a **98%** payment success rate across global markets and multiple currencies
- Engineered a scalable **Express.js** backend with **Multer** upload handling to process asynchronous image transformations, supporting concurrent job execution without blocking user requests
- Configured a **Supabase** database with Google OAuth to reduce the average login time to under **2 seconds**

## PROJECTS

### FireGuard AI | *Python, PyTorch, Flask, React.js, HTML/CSS*

Dec 2024 – Jan 2025

- Trained a **PyTorch**-based **neural network** model to predict forest fires, achieving **93%** accuracy on test data
- Constructed a frontend using **React** and Mapbox API, enabling geolocation search and map navigation
- Integrated the OpenWeather API to collect up to date weather data, improving prediction precision by **15%**
- Implemented a **Flask** backend to seamlessly connect the **machine learning** model with the React frontend

### GryphCourseWatch | *Python, Flask, Playwright, HTML/CSS, JavaScript*

Jun 2024 – Aug 2024

- Developed a web scraping tool using **Python** and **Playwright** to monitor university course availability in real time, reducing manual registration time by over **30%** across **100+** courses
- Integrated frontend using **HTML**, **JavaScript** and **Flask** to allow users to register for alerts and view courses
- Marketed project on platforms like LinkedIn and Reddit, generating interest from **1,500+** students pre-launch
- Implemented email notifications using **SMTP** and Mailgun to alert students of available course spots

## ACTIVITIES AND LEADERSHIP

### Google Developer Student Club

Sep 2023 – Current

*General Member*

- Participated in projects using **JS/React.js** and **Firebase** to enhance knowledge of database implementation