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#### **Education**

# Massachusetts Institute of Technology

Sep. 2020 - May 2024

- B.S. Computer Science and Engineering 2024
- B.S. Mathematics 2024
- Master of Engineering in Computer Science 2024

**GPA:** 4.7/5.0

#### **Selected Coursework:**

Graduate Advanced Algorithms, Computer Systems Security, Graduate Computer Architecture, Software Construction, Theory of Computation, Multivariable Calculus, Accelerated Differential Equations, Accelerated Real Analysis, Algebra, Topology

#### **Awards**

International Mathematical Olympiad 2020 (IMO) - Honorable Mention International Mathematical Olympiad 2019 (IMO) - Team member (Pakistan)

### Skills

**Languages:** Proficient in Javascript, Python, C, RISC-V Assembly, System Verilog

**Tools:** sk-learn, Pytorch, scipy

**Interests:** Optimizing Algorithms, Computer Architecture and Security,

## **Research and Work Experience**

Rescale, Inc.
PM/PMM Intern

Jun. 2022 - Aug. 2022

- Deployed a Data Analysis pipeline in a High-Performance Computing context.
- Designed a Communicator Script that did dynamic process management in distributed systems using a Message Passing Interface.
- Provided feedback to company teams, reviewing the platform and suggesting improvements.

#### MIT CSAIL Arch-Sec Lab

Jan. 2022 - present

Morais and Rosenblum Undergraduate Research Scholar

- Researching an open-source implementation of Trusted Execution Environments (TEEs). TEE provides sub-OS/hardware level assurances to VMs on the Cloud about the cryptographic security of their data on untrusted 3rd party servers. The implementation is in C and assembly (RISC-V), along with hardware to support a sub-OS layer.

#### MIT Kavli Institute

Jun. 2021 - Jan. 2022

Undergraduate Researcher

- Designed an ML classification pipeline in Python to analyze and filter a large amount of astrophysical data from the TESS space telescope. link
- Implemented an AI-guided discriminative ensemble of 3 Machine Learning models using clustering (HDBSCAN), anomaly detection (Isolation Forests), feature selection/design, and Dimensionality reduction (t-SNE). The leading ensemble was boosted by a generative model running in parallel.
- Improved the human throughput by decreasing the data to a manageable 200 files, from 15,000 files, while maintaining an accuracy of 95%.

## **Projects**

**Lisp-like Language Interpreter**: Explored language design and implemented an interpreter of a Lisp dialect in Java. link

**Implementations of Sweep line Algorithms**: Designed and implemented an algorithm to remove data outliers using computational geometry. <u>link</u>

MIT 6.854 Final Project: Reviewed and simplified several recent keystone papers in Data structures and Algorithms. <u>link</u>