# ADITI THANEKAR

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### **EDUCATION**

University of California, Riverside - Computer Science Bachelor of Science + Masters of Science(expected June 2026)

#### RELEVANT COURSEWORK

Data Structures and Algorithms, Software Construction, Engineering Graphics and Design, Linear Algebra

### **TECHNICAL SKILLS**

**Software and Tools:** Adobe Illustrator, RStudio, Figma, Github, VSCode, GoogleTest, SolidWorks(CAD), LC3, Matlab **Languages**: C++, Python, Java, R, HTML, CSS,

#### **EXPERIENCE**

## CS010C Intro to Data Structures and Algorithms Grader

(https://github.com/aditithanekar/Canvas-LMS-Web-Scraper)

April 2023 - Present

- Manages gradebook for 250+ students across 3 sections
- Holds in-person demo hours 3 times a week to assess student's understanding of the code
- Grades C++ code quality to judge the strengths and weaknesses of students' code
- Developed Python program to map students' scores to gradebook and generate an export file for Canvas

## **PROJECTS**

Personal Portfolio Website (aditithanekar.github.io)

2021- Present

My Favorite Story(a role-play game)

(https://github.com/aditithanekar/My-Favorite-Story)

June 2023

- Implemented classes, tests, backend, and frontend of game in C++
- Hosted scrum meetings, sprints each week, and organized tasks on a Kanban board

## Cutie Hack 2nd Place Overall - "Cutie Saves The World"

November 5, 2022

- Designed assets and backgrounds using a color palette and pixel art
- Implemented functionality for player menu using C# and Unity

## RESEARCH

## Creative ECEs: 2022 UCLA-UCR Design Contest- 3rd Place Research Paper

November 18, 2022

• Co-authored "A LiDAR-Based Navigation System for Future Transportation Systems"

## Bioinformatic Researcher; Aspiring Scholars Directed Research Program

June 2021-November 2021

- Implemented a program to normalize data and order by p-value to find significantly expressed genes in R
- Created dot plots and gene-set enrichment maps, and found a pattern in change in taste perception phenotype
- Led meetings alongside an advisor to interpret plot data and debug code
- Presented at Global Alliance for Genomics and Health 9th Plenary Meeting and SCCUR

### LEADERSHIP EXPERIENCE

Girls Who Code Club President, Main Hackathon Organizer, Washington High School

September 2020 - June 2022

- Created lesson plans and taught web-development meetings to over 25 members
- Organized and emceed a school-wide hackathon for online(2021) and in-person(2022) and mentored groups

Wind Ensemble Percussion Section Leader/Marching Band Drum Captain, Washington High School

2018-2022

### PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS AND INVOLVEMENT - UC Riverside

Association for Computing Machinery(ACM), Society of Women Engineers(SWE), UCR Salsa Club