# Adeel Ahmad

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#### Education

Georgia Institute of Technology 2020- GPA: 4.0/4.0 (Remote) Master's of Computer Science

Specializing in Computing Systems.

National University of Computer and Emerging Sciences 2014-2018 GPA: 3.01/4.0 (Pakistan) Bachelor's of Computer Science

Thesis: "Analysis of Structure from Motion Techniques"

### **Open-source Projects**

GeoLib ☑ [C++, Boost]

Distance computation algorithms using C++ template specialization.

Particle Swarm Optimization [C++, mlpack]

PSO algorithm for constrained optimization problems in mlpack library using template metaprogramming.

Edge detectors [Python]
Image edge detection algorithms.

Trip Planner 🗹 [Python]

CLI tool for filtering Google Maps places based on an input query and exported them to a CSV file. (featured on Hacker News)

#### **Toolsets**

C++, Python, Java, Go, Arch Linux, Systemd, Awk, sed, Puppet, MySQL, PostgreSQL, Google Cloud Platform

## **Featured Blog Posts**

Passwordless Logins with Yubikey 🗹

Trip Planner – A tool for planning a trip itinerary using Google Maps

#### **Interests**

Kayaking, Skiing, Traveling 🗹

#### **Work Experience**

Fellow in Authorization Team

European Organization for Nuclear Research (CERN)

Geneva, Switzerland

(Team size: 6)

Developed a permanent 2FA solution for the CERN SSO and running campaign to migrate all users. Doing Linux server administration for load balancing our cluster setup. Monitoring server logs with Kibana and Grafana. Extending and refactoring our C# and Python APIs.

Technical Student in Computer Security September 2018 - October 2019

European Organization for Nuclear Research (CERN) Geneva, Switzerland

(Team size: 9)

Wrote a Go tool to monitor anomalous SSH login activity on the CERN campus. Created Puppet modules to install and configure RPM packages. Attended conferences and met with security leaders across Switzerland.

C++ Software Developer May 2018 - August 2018
Google Summer of Code 2018 (Boost C++ Libraries 🗷)

Improved the accuracy (from cm to  $\mu m$ ) of a distance algorithm used in the aerospace industry for creating flight plans. Benchmarked the new system to show performance and accuracy gain.

Python Software Developer May 2017 - August 2017 Google Summer of Code 2017 (Open Astronomy ☑)

Developed a package to visualize and run analysis on astronomical images. Used asynchronous programming to reduce fetch latency by 75%\*

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### **Course Projects**

Advanced Operating Systems [C, Libvirt, OpenMP] September 2021

Implemented a vCPU scheduler and a memory coordinator to dynamically manage CPU and RAM assigned to each guest machine. Created graph plots to analyze usage patterns. Implemented Barrier Synchronization algorithms in OpenMP and MPI.

Robotics: Al Techniques [Python]

January 2021

Implemented Kalman and Particle filters for robot location tracking. Used A\* search to find the shortest distance. Improved location accuracy using SLAM. Reduced motion noise using a PID controller.

Software Analysis [C, LLVM]

May 2021

Wrote LLVM passes in C to perform divide-by-zero runtime checks and report code coverage. Implemented Reaching Definition and Liveness analysis to find unused variables in a program.

## **Trainings and Conferences**

A Practical Introduction to Quantum Computing Movember 2020

Studied the Deutsch quantum algorithm and quantum circuit model (Qubits, gates, and measures). Introduction to D-Wave Leap. Interactive exercises in Jupyter notebook.

Red Hat Linux System Administration 🗹

December 2020

Covered process, memory, and I/O monitoring, filesystems (BTRFS, VFS, LUKS), drive encryption, file ACLs, PAM, networking tools, firewalls.