Andrew Paradi

Thrives under pressure. Learns quickly. Meticulous attention to detail.
Strong written & oral communication skills recognized in competition.
Passionate customer focus when analyzing & developing tech solutions.

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Wants to tackle ambitious projects as a summer '16 intern

Education & Skills

Javascript	● ● ● ● ●	Photoshop	● ● ● ● ●
Python	● ● ●	Illustrator	● ● ● ●
HTML5	● ● ● ● ● ●	Final Cut Pro X	● ● ● ● ● ●
CSS3/Sass	● ● ● ● ● ●	Writing Copy	● ● ● ● ● ●
Git	● ● ● ●	Split Testing	● ● ● ●
C	● ● ●	Excel	● ● ● ● ●
AngularJS	● ● ● ●	Word	● ● ● ● ●
NodeJS	● ● ●	Powerpoint	● ● ● ● ● ●

University of Waterloo (Jan '15 – '18)
　B.A. Economics & **Computer Science** Minors

Wilfrid Laurier University (Sept '13 – '14)
　Bachelor Business Administration

History of success in startups, competitions, and university

Work Experience

Growth Intern at Videostream – Kitchener, Canada (May – Aug '15)
- Developed new site, increased **downloads** by **32%** & weekly active **users 12%**
- Built new Premium flow in **Javascript** that is beating revenue split tests
- Resolved **2,148** tickets as support lead for Videostream's 1.2 million users

Co-founder & CEO at Teknically – Waterloo (Oct '13 – Dec '14)
- Built Webplio Google Analytics analysis/insight engine for non-technical users
- Interviewed as top 5% of over 5,600 startups at **Y Combinator** in California
- 1 of 5 **Google for Entrepreneurs** Cohort 2 Communitech startups
- Won **$25,000 1st Prize** at Canada's Business Model Competition
- Finished **top 20 out of 2,500** at International Business Model Competition
- Wrote successful grant proposals for **$63,000** in funding for Teknically Inc.
- Featured in national press incl. **the Globe & Mail,** Financial Post, & TechVibes
- Led Teknically Inc. through incorporation, corporate taxes, & budgeting
- Developed **machine learning** Webplio scoring algos for Google Analytics data

Accomplishments

- Built **MeteorJS** Amazon/Craigslist for local stores app at Hack the North 2015
- Wrote stock algos & pitch that won **Bloomberg API Prize** at Hack the North 2014
- Scored in **97th percentile** on **Bloomberg Aptitude Test** for financial literacy
- Awarded **Rising Star Award** for most promising student out of 740 in biz faculty
- Co-led marketing for **elected** Students Union Presidential Campaign
- TA & dancer on salsa dance performance team, KW Salseros (Jan '14 – Aug '15)