In 1996, I was born in Chittagong, Bangladesh, but I spent a good deal of my childhood in Buffalo, NY; As a result, I am an American citizen.

I attended UB from Fall of 2014 to Fall of 2020. I came into UB with a passionate enthusiasm for Economics. I loved being able to connect the dots, finding the patterns,

and learning about how things were all so interconnected! After taking an introductory course to Computer Science, however, I soon fell in love with it.

My love for computer science led me to being an undergraduate TA in the CSE department for 6 semesters and an internship at FoodWeb. <br> <br>

Data Science is the field where I hope to be able to combine my knack for connecting the dots and penchant for computer science and make a career out of it. <br>

My favorite classes throughout my academic career, in no particular order, were:

Eco 407: Intermediate Macroeconomics <br>

Eco 408: Special topics debate <br>

Art 320: Web Design <br>

EAS 345: Intro to Data Science <br>

CSE 498: Independent Study <br>

CSE 487: Distributed Systems <br>

CSE 116: Intro to Programming II <br> <br>

If you wish to see my official résumé, it can be found here.

When I was 19, my girlfriend and I found out that we were expecting. Figuring out how to get through college while learning to be parents while also paying for it all by ourselves was difficult to say the least. We had more than our fair share of obstacles, but through it all, we didn't sink; we swam. We figured it out. We made it work, and at the end of the day, our struggles have made us more resilient and compassionate. I am proud of who we are as individuals and as a family, and I look forward to facing life's future challenges with the same tenacity and will with which we have faced the previous ones!