# **ABHISHEK GUNASEKAR**

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# EDUCATION

B.S. in Computer Science Honors - Purdue University, Expected Graduation May 2022

- Featured Coursework: Data Structures & Algorithms (CS 251), Systems (CS 252), OOP (CS 180)
- GPA: 3.97/4.00

Dean's List and Semester Honors - Purdue University, August 2019 - Present

## SKILLS

**Programming:** Java, C, C++, R, Python, Shell Scripting, x86\_64 Assembly Language; **Web Dev:** HTML, CSS, JavaScript **Technologies:** Git, GitHub, Vim, Unix, Bash, GDB, Flexbox, Bootstrap 4; **Languages:** English, Tamil, Hindi

## INDUSTRY EXPERIENCE

Software Engineering Intern - Bayer, Fall 2019

- Collaborated to analyze phenotype data using **R** to devise efficient crop health management strategies.
- Developed a matrix based recommender system to predict yield pattern of crops at ~95% confidence level.
- Spearheaded interdisciplinary seminars and engaged in project based learning for R, data visualization, and bash.

## **Information Technology Intern - Jensen Investment Management**, Summer 2019

- Worked with Jensen's Operations team on a project which involved structuring **stock market data**.
- Utilized Python's third party libraries such as **openpyxl and xlrd** to parse CSV and EXCEL files.

# ACADEMIC EXPERIENCE

Teaching Assistant - Data Structures & Algorithms (CS 251), Fall 2020 - Present

- Constructed weekly PSO videos to demystify Stack, Queue, Heap, Red-Black Trees, and other data structures for students.
- Helped professor with grading assignments of 400+ students, and created challenging problems for learners.

#### Help Room Tutor - Purdue Undergraduate Student Board (USB), Fall 2020 - Present

- Mentored incoming freshman transition to the CS Department at Purdue University.
- Conducted weekly review sessions to explain tough concepts in CS193 (Tools), CS180 (Java), CS182 (Discrete Math), and CS240 (C).

## PROJECTS

Malloc Implementation Project - Systems Programming, Fall 2020

- Developed my own memory allocator, which allows users to malloc() and free() as needed.
- My allocator requests large chunks of memory from the OS, and manages all the bookkeeping and memory
  efficiently.
- Inspired from the DLMalloc allocator designed by **Doug Lea**.

#### MIDI File Project - Purdue University, Spring 2020

- Recreated a rudimentary music library with associated analysis and adjustment tools.
- Designed main applications using file IO and dynamic data structures (i.e. trees, lists) in C.
- Adapted the GTK Gnome Developer API in order to build the UI.

## LEADERSHIP

# **Board Member of**

- Association of Computing Machinery (ACM)
- IEEE Computer Society
- Web Development Club