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EDUCATION

Carnegie Mellon University May 2025
Bachelor of Science, Computer Science *Pittsburgh, PA*

- *Selected Coursework*: (15-213) Computer Systems, (15-210) Parallel Data Structures and Algorithms (15-251) Theoretical Computer Science, (15-281) AI (15-330) Computer Security
- *Current Coursework*: (15-312) Programming Languages, (15-451) Algorithms

Magdalen College School June 2021
High School Diploma *Oxford, England*

- *Selected Coursework*: A-Level Computer Science
- A-Levels: (Computer Science: A*, Biology: A*, Russian: A*, Maths: A*, Further Maths: A)
- Academic Scholarship

EXPERIENCE

School of Computer Science, Carnegie Mellon University August 2023 - Present
Teaching Assistant - 15-213 (Introduction to Computer Systems) *Pittsburgh, PA*

- Held weekly recitations and office hours to help students with coursework and strengthen conceptual understanding.
- Performed code reviews for ∼15 students for each lab, meeting with them to discuss their feedback.
- As part of the code review team, organized code reviews for over 20 TAs.

School of Computer Science, Carnegie Mellon University January 2022 - August 2023
Teaching Assistant - 15-112 (Fundamentals of Programming and Computer Science) *Pittsburgh, PA*

- Held weekly recitations and office hours to help students with coursework and strengthen conceptual understanding.
- Hosted weekly review sessions ("large groups") to review topics before quizzes.
- Mentored over 40 students through their final Python programming projects. Advised on code organisation, style, and key programming principles.
- As QA lead, set standards for assessing the quality of recitations and other course events. Led a small team of 6 TAs in collecting and returning feedback in a timely manner.

PROJECTS

Wean 9 Fall 2021
15-112 Term Project *Pittsburgh, PA*

- Implemented a 2000-line game in Python and `tkinter`, making heavy use of OOP. The project was selected from several hundred others as the winner of the Term Project showcase by popular vote.

Dragonfly 2021
High School Term Project *Oxford, England*

- Designed and developed a learning platform for students, interviewing both students and teachers to determine program features and objectives.
- Implemented a robust backend with Python Flask and SQL, together with a fully-featured web application written in vanilla Javascript.

TECHNICAL SKILLS

Computer Languages	Python, C, C++, Javascript, SML, SQL, HTML, CSS
Protocols & APIs	XML, JSON, AJAX
Tools	Vim, LaTeX