

# Akalya Sridharan

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## SUMMARY OF QUALIFICATIONS

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- Knowledge in Programming Languages: C++, Java, Python, HTML
- Highly motivated to work in any environment and pursue several different types of projects
- Experience with working in a team, in both coding and in career-oriented environments
- Passionate about computer science and the future development and evolution of technology

## EDUCATION

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**Washington State University**

**Expected Graduation Date: May 2026**

*B.S in Computer Science*

**GPA: 3.86/4.0**

**Relevant Coursework:** Program Design & Development C/C++, Data Structures, Discrete Structures, Advanced Data Structures, Computer Architecture, Automata & Formal Languages

**Awards/Honors:** Honor Roll (Fall 2022, Spring 2023), Bryan E. Bloodworth and Dr. Meredith M. Adams Endowed Scholarship for Women

## TECHNICAL SKILLS & INTERESTS

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**Skills:** C, C++, Python, Haskell, Java, Post-script, Game Development, Graphics Design

**Developer Tools:** Visual Studio Code, Arduino IDE, SFML, Autodesk Inventor, AutoCAD

**Interests:** Embedded Systems, Programming, 3D Printing, Robotics, Computer Assembly

## PERSONAL PROJECTS

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*Software Design & Development:*

**MultiMedia Battleship Game** | C++, SFML(Simple and Fast Multimedia Library)

- Developed a multimedia battleship game using C++ as the backend of the game.
- Implemented the graphics and the soundtrack using SFML to enhance the gaming experience.
- Utilized SFML when checking for user input to allow for a more interactive user interface.
- Incorporated various animations with SFML to create a dynamic and engaging experience.

**TextBased Snake Game** | C, CSS

- Developed the backend/game logic of the text-based snake game using C.
- Crafted a text-based interface for the game, representing the snake and food using text characters.
- Designed a user-friendly website using CSS to serve as a platform for users to access the game.
- Incorporated a landing page within the website to allow for an easy download of the game.

*Embedded System (Arduino-Based):*

**Vertical Robotic Arm (VRA)** | Arduino, 3D Printing, Autodesk Inventor, AutoCAD

- Conceptualized a robotic solution to address safety concerns faced by farmers climbing trees
- Engineered a robot with a 5-axis arm designed to climb on cylindrically shaped objects vertically.
- Designed the robot's framework using Autodesk Inventor and materialized through 3D printing
- Utilized an Arduino-based control system to control the robot's body and the 5-axis arm.

**Rescue Rover** | Arduino

- Conceptualized a disaster-response solution for reaching the victims in challenging locations
- Constructed a motor-operated scissor jack for lifting and debris clearance.
- Utilized an Arduino-based control system to control the rover using remote control.
- Designed for remote operation, allowing workers to control the rover from a safe distance.
- Devised to maneuver and crawl within the small crevices of the disaster rubble and clear debris.