# ALEX MOICA

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Strong background in team leadership, technical analysis, and software design & implementation; with an ability to quickly learn and implement new ideas, techniques, and tools.

## Skills Overview

- Programming Languages & Markup: C, Python, Java, Elm, HTML, CSS
- Industry Tools: Git, Android Studio, Matlab, Photoshop, Blender, Inventor Pro
- Soft Skills: Leadership, Oral & Written Communication, Problem Solving, Teamwork, Time Management

# Work Experience

#### **Director of Public Relations**

### **McMaster Engineering Society**

April 2018 - Present

- · Promoted all activities and initiatives of the MES to the Faculty, university, communities, and industries.
- Effectively collaborated with industry representatives to coordinate joint initiatives.
- Exemplified **leadership** and **oral communication skills** through communicating effectively with over 5000 students to create and promote events and activities.

#### **Research Assistant**

#### **Carleton University**

Sept. 2016 - Feb. 2017

- Worked under the supervision of Dr. Alfonso Abizaid to investigate the relationship between the hormone ghrelin (GHS) and the anxiety associated with goal directed behaviour.
- Responsibilities included documenting mouse behaviours, preparing mouse brain slices for immunofluorescence, and examining the slices under a fluorescence microscope.
- Employed analytical, problem solving, and written communication skills to achieve the given goals.

# **Engineering Associations**

### **Junior Design Coordinator**

**McMaster Engineering Competition** 

Feb. 2018 - Nov. 2018

- Implemented an innovative challenge that tackles one of societies biggest engineering-related problems to offer aspiring engineers experience towards building their confidence and competence in engineering.
- Created instructional booklets and large-scale testing apparatus used for judging the submitted designs.
- Employed **teamwork** and **time-management** skills in leading a team of volunteers and overseeing logistics to keep the competition running smoothly.

## Volunteer Work

#### **Computer Science Mentor**

#### Google & McMaster Outreach

Oct. 2017

- Alongside Dr. Christoper Anand, mentored ~50 students from Huntington Elementary School on functional programming using the Elm language to create animated scenes.
- Taught and helped students implement basic programming and mathematical principles.
- Demonstrated computer, analytical, problem solving, and oral communication skills in writing, debugging, and compiling both personally written and student written code.

# Education

# Hamilton, ON

**McMaster University** 

**Expected Graduation April 2021** 

• B.Eng. in Electrical Engineering (Co-op)

## **Projects**

- Android CV (2018): Cross-platform integration of OpenCV with Android to enable face detection and processing. Currently detects over 10 concurrent faces and tracks head movements. Future goals: implement face recognition, image database, and progress to wearable technology. *Java, Android Studio, OpenCV*
- Website (2018): Personal professional website created to increase my internet presence while better
  advertising myself to potential employers. Written in pure HTML & CSS, implementing jQuery for various onclick effects. HTML, CSS, jQuery, Photoshop
- Assets (2017): Python bank account balance tracker meant to provide a quick overview of all my accounts and the purchases made from them. Heavy integration of the Tkinter and matplotlib libraries. Python