Arshia Mufti

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EDUCATION

University of Waterloo

Waterloo, Canada

Candidate for Bachelor of Computer Science, Honours · Expected August 2019

• **Relevant coursework** — Designing Functional Programs (advanced) · Elementary Algorithm Design & Data Abstraction (advanced) · Foundations of Sequential Programs (enriched)

EXPERIENCE

Bazaarvoice Austin, Texas

Software Engineer Intern

September 2016-present

• On the Shopper Advertising team - incubator ideas and prototypes are taken into a production environment using real-time big data solutions · Scala · Cassandra · Kafka · Storm

WeMesh Kitchener, Canada

Backend Web Developer

Jan 2016-present

- Designed a new usership model—implemented features enabling users to request friendship, follow or block each other. Improved user authentication and login using Firebase · Scala · Akka · Scrooge · Slick
- Rewrote a service to enhance the main video feed created from different content sources.
- Added backend video support for Vimeo · Clojure · Hystrix · Redis
- Integrated Graylog into several microservices to speed up crash analysis and bug fixes.

Waseel

Riyadh, Saudi Arabia

May 2015-June 2015

Agile Software Engineer Intern

• Designed an iOS application to allow users to access real-time, location-based data about hospitals · Swift · Java · HTTP networking in Alamofire · Location services using MapKit · Improved fuzzy search

Waterloo Women in Computer Science Undergraduate Committee Chair

Waterloo, Canada May 2016-present

• Publicly represented the committee to external groups and secured funds for the committee

• Helped maintain the website, led weekly meetings, developed and promoted the volunteer program.

Skills and Interests

- Strongly interested in performance improvement, and the theory and application of functional languages.
- Working experience with Clojure, Scala, Swift, PostgreSQL, Bash.
- Familiar with HTML5/CSS3, Python, C++, Java, Scheme, Google App Engine, and MySQL.

Projects

Baylexa AWS Lambda, Python

Led a team of four to design the winning healthcare app for MHacks: Refactor, an Alexa skill aimed at recognizing symptoms of common health conditions, providing basic first aid and health-care advice, scheduling appointments, and contacting immediate family or health authorities in case of emergencies.

PawnPusher C++

A fully functional chess engine with human and computer modes, involving a graphical display, a history of moves played, and four levels of computer AI that analyse and rank possible opponent moves.

Mathrix HTML5, CSS3, Python, Bootstrap

Designed and built a website with a classmate for performing common matrix operations relevant to our Linear Algebra coursework. Added CSS, Polymer (material design) styles, and matrix functions.

TuneMe Swift

An iOS app that allows users to record audio and play it back with applied sound filters, in accordance with the Model-view-controller (MVC) model, as a way to self-learn Swift & iOS application development.

Awards

- **President's Scholarship**, Fall 2014 awarded to students with a strong academic record.
- International Indian School Topper for Grade XII examination, March 2014 Final Grade: 96.4%