

# Arushan Arulraj

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## SKILLS & INTERESTS

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**Languages & Tools:** Python, C++, HTML, CSS, SQL, GitHub, Git, VS Code, Jupyter, LaTeX, Figma

**Technical Skills:** Arduinos, Microsoft Office, AutoCAD, TinkerCAD, Windows, Circuitry, Flowcharts, Circuit Diagrams, Photoshop, Illustrator, Premiere Pro

**Certifications:** Responsive Web Design - freeCodeCamp, Cisco Data Analytics, WHMIS

## EXPERIENCE

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### Engineering Intern

Jan 2025 – Present

*i2r Packaging Solutions*

*Brampton, ON*

- Incoming Winter 2025

### Intern & Computer Technician

Jun 2023 – Dec 2023

*Canta Drafting Services*

*Scarborough, ON*

- Streamlined the onboarding time for all employees by **5-10** days by assisting in the setup and configuration of office **computer and network systems**
- Diagnosed and resolved **hardware reliability** issues and **software errors**, reducing error messages by **80%**
- Enhanced **system stability** by making permanent fixes to issues like freezing computers and applications not opening
- Gained **Excel** skills and used **AutoCAD** to design structural pieces, including **10+** custom columns and joists
- Provided language translation and communication support to facilitate smooth interactions with **4-6** customers a day

## PROJECTS

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### Arduino Color Memory Game | *C++, Arduino*

- Developed an **Arduino** game using **C++** to generate random LED sequences for players to replicate, with increasing difficulty
- Integrated **button-based input** and real-time feedback via a Piezo buzzer for incorrect pattern entries by users
- Debugged and refined the program to ensure **accurate synchronization** between button inputs and LED responses, improving game reliability and **user experience**

### Arduino Fridge | *C++, Arduino*

- Engineered a **miniature Arduino-controlled refrigeration system** using **C++**, incorporating a servo-actuated **automatic** door mechanism
- Programmed **5 user-controlled features**, including a **button-activated** cooling fan to simulate refrigeration and **door-triggered LED illumination** for interior lighting
- Configured an **LCD screen** to display real-time temperature data, providing continuous monitoring of internal conditions and **implemented a rotary switch** for precise temperature adjustment

### Text-Based Super Mario Game | *Python*

- Developed a text-based Super Mario game in Python, **utilizing modules** like **math**, **random** and **os** for game mechanics and implementing CPU-based gameplay enabling players to compete against the computer in **12+** mini-games over **8** different levels

### Banking Management System | *Python*

- Programmed a Python-based banking management system with **text file I/O** for persistent data storage, allowing users to log in as either bankers or customers with distinct **role-based functionalities**.
- Used an **ASCII art-enhanced interface**, enabling customers to perform financial transactions (withdrawals, deposits, transfers), and bankers to review transaction histories, and perform account maintenance tasks (search, update, delete)

## EDUCATION

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### University of Waterloo

Waterloo, ON

*Candidate for BAsC (Computer Engineering) - Honours, Co-operative*

*Expected Graduation 2029*

- **Relevant Coursework:** Fundamentals of Programming, Engineering Profession and Practice, Project Studio