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Graduating December 2024 — Available for full-time employment starting January 13, 2025

EDUCATION

University of Alabama at Birmingham

Alabama, USA

Master of Science in Computer Science, GPA: 3.80/4.00

Jan 2022 - Dec 2024

Leading University

Sylhet, Bangladesh

Bachelor of Science in Computer Science and Engineering, GPA: 3.30/4.00

Aug 2009 - Aug 2013

EXPERIENCE

University of Alabama at Birmingham

Alabama, USA

Graduate Research Assistant

Jan 2022 - Aug 2024

- Led a team of three to develop Brouhaha (Research Compiler), improving compilation times through flow-directed inlining based on control-flow analysis (CFA) and advanced local optimizations. [Github]
- Developed a functional compiler translating a minimal Racket-like language to C++, ensuring identical outputs. [Github]
- Deployed Docker containers with CMake builds, ensuring cross-platform compatibility across Linux, Windows, and MacOS.
- Reviewed over 120 papers on Functional Compilation and Program Analysis, summarizing insights from top journals (POPL, PLDI, ICFP) in a 30-page report. [Link]

Bangla Search Engine (Pipilika)

Sylhet, Bangladesh

Software Engineer

Aug 2017 - Mar 2021

- Enhanced keyword-based search relevancy by 35% through redesigning the Apache Solr schema and implementing advanced query-boosting techniques.
- Developed scalable crawlers and parsers using Scrapy and Jsoup to extract data from over 40,000 websites, boosting indexed data by 18% and enhancing search capabilities.
- Wrote RESTful API using Spring Boot to provide domain-specific time series data, improving reporting capabilities and reducing the debugging time by 20%.
- Implemented TIG (Telegraf, InfluxDB, Grafana) stack for real-time infrastructure monitoring, reducing downtime by 15% through proactive issue detection.

Southeast University

Dhaka, Bangladesh

Programmer

Apr 2015 - Aug 2017

- Oversaw IT department operations as an Interim Manager for three months, implementing effective technology solutions that improved departmental efficiency.
- Developed an Online Admission System using PHP, MySQL, and Bootstrap3, driving 25% of total admissions.
- Reduced report generation time by 30% in the University Support System (USS) through MySQL schema redesign.
- Supervised a vendor in developing a timely Human Resources Management System that met university requirements.

IT Lab Solutions Ltd

Sylhet, Bangladesh

Software Developer

Sep 2013 - Dec 2014

• Developed web-based shop management software for over 5 businesses using CodeIgniter, MySQL, and Bootstrap3, providing solutions for inventory, sales, and reporting.

TECHNICAL SKILLS

- Programming Languages: Python, Java, C++, PHP, JavaScript, Racket
- Database Technologies: MySQL (RDBMS), MongoDB (NoSQL), Apache Solr (NoSQL)
- Frameworks & Libraries: Spring Boot, React, WordPress, CodeIgniter, Bootstrap3, AJAX, jQuery
- DS & ML Libraries: NumPy, Pandas, Scikit-learn, SciPy, Matplotlib, Seaborn, TensorFlow, PyTorch
- Web Technologies: RESTful APIs, Postman, HTML5, CSS3, JSON, Web Scraping/Crawling (Scrapy, Jsoup)
- Project Management & Methodologies: Agile, Scrum, SDLC, MVC, Unit Testing (Pytest, Junit), JIRA
- DevOps & Environments: Git, Docker, AWS (S3, EC2, Lambda), Linux, CI/CD, Maven, Bash, OpenMPI, CMake