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## EDUCATION

**BSc Computer Science | University of Southampton**

Classification: **First Class with Honors**

- **Relevant Modules:** Machine Learning, Compiler Design, Theory of Computing, Programming Languages.

**A Levels | RR6**

- **A\*** Further Mathematics, **A\*** Mathematics, **A\*** Physics

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## TECHNICAL SKILLS

- **Languages:** Java (17+), Haskell, TypeScript, Python, SQL, CSS3/HTML5.
- **Frameworks & Libraries:** React 18, Node.js, JavaFX, Pandas, Scikit-Learn, NetworkX, JUnit.
- **Concepts:** Concurrency, Event-Driven Architecture, Graph Theory, REST APIs, Agile/Scrum.
- **Tools:** Git, Docker, Maven, Vite, Unix.

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## ENGINEERING PROJECTS

**Predictive Scientometrics & Fraud Detection (Dissertation)** | *Python, Scikit-Learn, Graph Theory*

- Engineered a machine learning pipeline to predict academic paper retractions.
- Designed a novel "**Meta-Net**" **architecture** to infer semantic relationships between papers using **SBERT Transformers** and cosine similarity, overcoming citation sparsity.
- Implemented complex graph algorithms (**PageRank**, **Betweenness Centrality**) to analyze network topology and identify fraudulent citation circles.

**Graph Database Query Language** | *Haskell, Alex, Happy*

- Created a domain-specific language (DSL) for querying graph databases, implementing a custom **CEK-style state machine** for the interpreter.

- Built a robust dual-parsing architecture using **Alex** (Lexer) and **Happy** (Parser) with strict schema validation for `.n4j` files.

#### **Interactive Portfolio Platform** | *React 18, TypeScript, Vite*

- Built a performant Single Page Application (SPA) using **Atomic Design** principles and strict TypeScript interfaces for scalability.
- Engineered custom hooks utilizing the **Intersection Observer API** to implement efficient lazy-loading and scroll-triggered animations.

#### **Airport Runway Simulation** | *Java, JavaFX, MVC*

- Developed a safety-critical desktop application to calculate aviation parameters (TORA/ASDA) and visualize runway redeclarations in real-time.
- Adopted the Model-View-Controller (MVC) pattern to separate calculation logic from the interactive XML-based GUI

#### **Real-Time Multiplayer Tetris Engine** | *Java 17, JavaFX, Multithreading*

- Architected a high-performance desktop game featuring real-time **PvP multiplayer** via **WebSockets** and a custom string-based network protocol.
- Implemented a **non-blocking game loop** using `ScheduledExecutorService` to decouple game logic from the UI thread, ensuring consistent tick rates regardless of rendering load.
- Designed a thread-safe **Observer Pattern** system to marshal state updates to the JavaFX Application Thread without race conditions.