Ayaz Baig

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PROFILE

Driven and enthusiastic final-year MEng Computer Science student at the University of Southampton on track to graduate with First Class Honours. Specializing in Machine Learning, Mobile App Development, and Web Development, I bring a wealth of practical experience and a strong academic background. My passion for technology drives me to excel in developing innovative solutions, demonstrated through my successful projects in mobile application development and research initiatives in Machine Learning.

EDUCATION

University of Southampton, UK

2021 - Expected 2025

MEng Computer Science

- Expected First Class Honours; Current average: 73% (First Year: 78%, Second Year: 72%)
- Key Modules: Machine Learning Technologies, Algorithmics, Programming Concepts, Cloud Development, Foundations of Computer Science, Natural Language Processing
- Event Organizer for Southampton Google Developer Group (GDG); collaborated with tech
 professionals to host events covering topics like Cloud Computing, Machine Learning, and
 Cybersecurity, strengthening organizational and teamwork skills.

Ernest Bevin College 2014 – 2021 A-levels & GCSEs

- A-Levels: Mathematics (A*), Computer Science (A*), Further Mathematics (A*), Physics (A*)
- GCSEs: 6 grade 9s, 3 grade 8s, 1 grade 7, including grade 9s in Mathematics, Computer Science, and the Sciences

EXPERIENCE

App Developer Intern

FEBRUARY 2024 - AUGUST 2024

University of Southampton

- Designed and developed a cross-platform mobile application using Flutter to optimize routing for electric vehicle users, contributing to cleaner tech adoption.
- Collaborated with the Citizen Centric Artificial Intelligence Systems (CCAIS) project team to leverage AI for enhanced user experience and efficient route optimization.
- **Built a Django REST API backend** to integrate the routing algorithm with the mobile app, enabling real-time communication and data exchange.
- Implemented PostgreSQL database management, executing complex database queries to store and retrieve routing data efficiently.
- Designed an intuitive, user-friendly interface using Figma and Google Material Design principles, ensuring
 a seamless user experience and high engagement.

App Developer Intern

AUGUST 2023 - FEBRUARY 2024

ARM Environments Ltd

Indoor Air Quality & Ventilation compliance consultancy company based in Salisbury

- Led the end-to-end development of a cross-platform mobile application using Flutter, resulting in an efficient and user-friendly tool for monitoring indoor air quality.
- **Designed and implemented** a modern, intuitive UI in **Figma**, incorporating **client requirements** and **user feedback** through an **Agile development** approach.
- Integrated multiple cloud technologies (including Google Firebase and Google Cloud Functions) to build a
 robust backend infrastructure, ensuring real-time data processing and high app reliability.
- Collaborated with major air quality monitor manufacturers to seamlessly integrate their REST APIs into the application, enabling comprehensive data analysis and enhanced functionality.

Principal Technologies Ltd

Student-Focused Mobile Technology Startup

- Engineered and implemented new features for a globally-used mobile application using Flutter, Google Cloud, and Firebase, enhancing cross-platform functionality for both iOS and Android devices.
- **Led a distributed team of developers** to release major updates, driving a substantial increase in user base and retention rates by delivering high-impact, user-focused improvements.
- Spearheaded the release of key app updates, propelling the app to the top 5% of the Education category on both the Apple App Store and Google Play Store, achieving over 100,000 combined downloads.
- **Optimized application performance** and **user experience**, contributing to the app's popularity and high ranking, demonstrating the ability to scale solutions effectively in a fast-paced startup environment.

PROJECTS AND INTERESTS

Dementia Diagnosis Machine Learning Research Project

- **Designed and developed machine learning models** to predict the progression of dementia using **multi-modal clinical** and **imaging data**, addressing a critical gap in dementia diagnosis research.
- Implemented advanced deep learning models, including ResNet and DenseNet, leveraging 2D and 3D neuroimaging data and brain inflammation markers to enhance diagnostic accuracy.
- **Utilized various data pre-processing and augmentation techniques** to optimize model performance, ensuring robust and reliable results.
- Conducted **in-depth research** into dementia's etiology and cutting-edge diagnostic methods, integrating medical knowledge to support the technical aspects of the project.
- **Achieved a 70% grade**, showcasing strong analytical, problem-solving, and technical skills applicable to data-intensive consulting projects.

Startup Software Consulting

- Co-founded a software solutions consultancy with peers, delivering a range of services from web and app development to custom AI solutions for clients across various industries.
- Developed **full-scale websites** and **cross-platform mobile apps** using modern frameworks, including **React**, **Next.js**, and **Flutter**, meeting diverse client needs and technology requirements.
- Led the team in an Agile development environment, effectively delegating tasks, coordinating sprints, and ensuring timely project delivery alongside academic commitments.
- Produced high-quality, client-focused solutions, conducting frequent client meetings to gather
 requirements, provide updates, and incorporate feedback, while creating modern UI mockups in Figma to
 align with client expectations.

SKILLS

- Programming: Python, Java, JavaScript, Haskell, C/C++
- Web Development: React, Next.js, Vue.js, Node.js, Express, Django, CSS
- Mobile Development: Flutter, SwiftUI, Kotlin
- Cloud & DevOps: Azure, Google Cloud, AWS, Firebase, Docker & CI/CD Pipelines, Git
- Databases: PostgreSQL, MySQL, Firebase Realtime Datastore, Query Optimisation
- ML & Data Science: TensorFlow, Keras, PyTorch,

REFERENCES

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