

# Ahmad Zaidi

SOFTWARE ENGINEER

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## Education

### University of Wisconsin - Madison

BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN COMPUTER SCIENCE (JUNIOR)

Madison, WI

Sep. 2016 - Present

## Skills

Languages Java, JavaScript, C++, C, HTML, CSS, Python  
Frameworks Android SDK, React, React-Native, Node.js, Express, MongoDB, Firebase, jQuery, Git, AI

## Coursework

Matrix Methods in Machine Learning, AI, Operating Systems, Data Structures, Algorithms, Information Security

## Experience

### Symantec

Dubai, UAE

RESEARCH PROJECT

Jun. 2018 - July 2018

- Created and demonstrated the application of AI/Machine Learning in detecting attacks on an endpoint
- Optimized malware dataset using **SVD** to increase success rate from **90%** to **97%**

### Computer Aided Engineering

Madison, WI

HELPPDESK CONSULTANT

Oct. 2017 - Present

- Assist **6000+ users** in hardware, account issues and troubleshooting engineering software across all computer labs in the College of Engineering.

## Projects

### Madison Bus-Tracker

[CURRENT] ANDROID DEV

- Developing a program using **GTFS-realtime** data feed to track the current location of incoming buses of Madison Metro Transit (MMT).
- Uses **onebusaway-gtfs-module** to parse GTFS files from MMT and **Maps API** for geolocation and plotting.

### UW Rate-'Em

NATIVE APP DEV

- UW Rate 'em! is a **React Native** application that allows users to rate courses at UW Madison
- Built for scalability using **Google Firebase** and fast real-time searching using **Algolia** for quicker navigation flow.

### YelpCamp

WEB DEV

- Built a **Node.js** web application that allows users to post and review campsites.
- Designed API to be RESTful and modular using **Express** and created for flexibility using **MongoDB**.