


# Yuran Zhang

3rd-year Computer Science undergraduate with experiences in web development and AI. Proficient in 5+ programming languages. Algorithm enthusiast, competitive programmer with remarkable problem-solving skills. Object-driven, quick learner, and strong team player with effective communication skills.

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## Education

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<b>Mcgill University</b>	Sep. 2021 – Present	Montreal QC
Bachor of Science in Computer Science / Minor Statistics		
<b>Marianopolis College</b>	Aug. 2019 - Jun. 2021	Westmount QC
DEC - Pure & Applied Science		

## Technical Skills

**Programming Languages:** Java, C/C++, Python, Bash, Ocaml, R, SQL

**Web Development:** JavaScript, Typescript, HTML, CSS

**Databases:** MySQL, MongoDB

**Frameworks/Libraries:** React, Node.js, Express.js, Java Neuroph, Python Flask, Numpy, Pandas, various ML libraries (pyTorch, Tensorflow, etc)

**Developer Tools:** GitHub, Pycharm, IntelliJ Idea, VS code

## Projects

- **Personal Portfolio Website** | React/Node.js, Tailwindcss, Express.js
  - Built and deployed a clean, fully responsive portfolio website with modern UI/UX design, and highly optimized performance.
  - Used various routing techniques.
  - Implemented various additional features including cool animations, and several APIs built with Express.js.
  - Deployed on AWS
  - Integrated a simple chatbot that can engage in a human-like conversation and respond in a logical manner.
- **Prometheus AI Project** | Java (neuroph Library)
  - Crafted a sophisticated Java-based AI for a virtual maze robot, showcasing adept decision-making in a complex environment with obstacles and adversaries.
  - Utilized advanced machine learning techniques, including MLP and Knowledge-Based NN, alongside a Production System.
  - Implemented with efficient data structures for optimized performance.
- **Course Project: Colosseum AI Project**
  - Implemented the smart AI for go-like game using advanced AI principles. The AI can think humanly and taking various complex environmental factors into account for its self-justified decisions and plan under uncertainty.
  - Optimized AI performance: Top-10 ranking among 150 teams with an 83%-win rate against humans and bots.

## Extra activities

- **Executive of Compete McGill Team**
  - Organized and conducted workshops, delivering lectures on advanced algorithm theory for competitive programming.
  - Fostered student engagement in ACM/ICPC contests, contributing to overall club development.
  - Sharpened problem-solving skills and exhibited effective team leadership.

## Achievements

- ICPC (International Collegiate Programming Contest) Northeastern Division (NENA) 2022: 30th position among other teams in North America
- ICPC North America Qualifier (NAQ) 2023: 4th position against other teams at McGill