BOBBY ZIA

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EDUCATION

Queen's University Kingston, ON

Honours Bachelor of Computing (B. CmpH)

September 2019 - April 2023 (Expected)

• Specialization: Computer Science

Relevant Courses: Introduction to CS 1 (Python), Introduction to CS 2 (Java), System-Level Programming (C)

SKILLS

Languages: JavaScript, HTML/CSS, C, Python, Java, Bash

Tools & Databases: Node. JS, SQL (PostgreSQL), MongoDB, Mongoose, Git, AWS, Linux, Firebase, Figma, TensorFlow

Frameworks/Libraries: React. JS, Vue. JS, Express. JS, Django, Redux, Pandas, NumPy, Scikit-learn

EXPERIENCE

QMIND – Queen's Artificial Intelligence Hub

Kingston, ON

Software Developer

September 2020 – Present

- Developed a python package which will be published on the official PyPi repository for a client project that involves streamlining the creation of matrix and graph-based machine learning models for building Recommendation Systems
- Used object-oriented programming principles to build the API on top of TensorFlow Recommenders' deep matrix factorization implementation

Invenew Software Engineering Intern

Toronto, ON May 2020 – August 2020

- Managed AWS EC2 instances and developed backend functionality for login/registration pages with Python (Django)
- Prototyped various pages in Figma and developed their respective front-end UI Elements with React. JS and HTML/CSS

Betalab Kingston, ON
Data Scientist February 2020 – Present

Researched and developed a machine learning model using XGBoost to forecast trends in equity market data

 Used NumPy, Pandas, and Scikit-learn to perform data preprocessing and cleaning, through feature engineering and model hyperparameter tuning for a final accuracy of 93.18% accuracy

CARE Pakistan (NGO) Summer Intern - Marketing

Lahore, Pakistan June 2019 – July 2019

- Led a 4-person team of interns in devising a marketing campaign to increase funding for youth education nation wide
- Conducted research on innovative methods for increasing community engagement through local social media streams

PROJECTS

StoreFront (Node. JS, Express.JS, MongoDB, React.JS)

Tradex (Node. JS, React. JS, Firebase, Finnhub Stock API)

• A trading dashboard similar to the popular Robinhood.com that allows the user to view/interact with popular stocks

Weathr (Vue.JS)

- A single-page application displaying the user's city and weather with changing background based on temperature
- Utilized the HTML Geolocation API to get user's location and Open Weather Map API to pull the relevant weather data