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Research Interests

Dependent types, formal verification, proof automation, metaprogramming, and the applications of these fields in web programming languages.

Education

- **Wesleyan University**, Middletown, CT.
 - **B.A.**, *Computer Science* (with honors) and *Mathematics*. September 2013 - May 2017
GPA: 3.60, Computer Science Major GPA: 3.88
 - **M.A.**, *Computer Science*, September 2017 - May 2018 (expected)
Current GPA: 4.0
- **TEV Inanc Turkes High School for Gifted Students**, Kocaeli, Turkey
IB Diploma, July 2013

Work and Research Experience

- **Software Engineering Intern**, Awake Security, Sunnyvale, CA. (expected June - August 2018)
Will work with Liquid Haskell to prove certain properties about a Haskell codebase.
- **Student Leader**, Wesleyan University (Fall 2015, expected Spring 2018)
Designed and taught a [course on Haskell](#) for credit, under the supervision of Prof. James Lipton.
- **Research in the Sciences Fellow**, Wesleyan University (May - August 2015, May - August 2016)
Formalized the correctness and termination proofs of a regular expression matching algorithm using continuation passing style, [in Agda](#). Formalized the compilation of the modal logic based functional language MinML5 to JavaScript, [in Agda](#). Under the supervision of Prof. Daniel R. Licata.
- **Course Assistant**, Wesleyan University (September 2014 - present)
Graded assignments, led tutor sessions, and occasionally gave lectures for the following courses:
 - COMP 115 - How to Design Programs. (Fall 2017, expected Spring 2018)
 - COMP 212 - Computer Science II. (Fall 2014, Spring 2015)
 - COMP 321 - Design of Programming Languages. (Fall 2015, Fall 2016, Fall 2017 (1 lecture))
 - COMP 360-01 - Computer-Checked Programs and Proofs (Spring 2016)
 - COMP 360-02 - Automated Theorem Proving (Spring 2016 (4 lectures))
- **Web Editor**, Wesleyan Argus Newspaper, Wesleyan University (January 2014 - April 2015)
Maintained and optimized 1k per day traffic WordPress system of the newspaper. Designed and coded [a custom WordPress theme](#).
- **Programming Specialist**, Instructional Media Services, Wesleyan University (September 2013 - May 2015)
Developed an advanced [special events calendar](#) by myself, which is still in use.

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Skills

- Functional programming (Haskell, Standard ML, Agda, Idris, Coq etc.), web development (JavaScript, HTML, CSS etc.), scripting languages (Python etc.), Prolog, \LaTeX
- Other: Comfortable with Unix env., NoSQL databases and Git

Languages

- English (fluent)
- Turkish (native)
- Russian (intermediate)

Awards

- 1st Place, WesHack 2014, Designed and coded the [front-end](#) of a [food-ordering application](#).

Research

- *Thinking Outside the Box: Verified Compilation of ML5 to JavaScript*, undergraduate honors thesis, 2017. Advisor: Daniel R. Licata.
- *Intrinsic Verification of a Regular Expression Matcher*, with Maksim Trifunovski and Daniel R. Licata. 2016.

Attended

- *Principles of Programming Languages 2018*, Los Angeles, CA. (January 2018) with Programming Languages Mentoring Workshop scholarship
- *International Conference on Functional Programming*, Oxford, England. (September 2017)
- *DeepSpec Summer School*, Philadelphia, PA. (July 2017)
- *Oregon Programming Languages Summer School*, Eugene, OR. (June 2017)
- *New England Programming Languages and Systems Symposium*, Middletown, CT. (June 2015)

Talks

- *Intro to Interactive Theorem Proving*, Graduate Student Series, Wesleyan University. (October 5th, 2017)

Service

- **Upward Bound Math-Science Program**, Wesleyan University (November 2017)
Taught introduction to web programming to high school students.