# Saumya Bhandarkar

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# **EDUCATION**

# Carnegie Mellon University, Pittsburgh, PA

May 2024

Bachelor of Science in Electrical and Computer Engineering

# **WORK EXPERIENCE**

# Software QA Summer Intern - Beyond Identity, New York, NY

June 2021 - August 2021

- Executed regression and policy testing of password-less authenticator on MacOS and Windows
- Designed and improved automated tests in Java using Sikuli image-recognition

# Teaching Assistant for CS 15-112 - Carnegie Mellon University

January 2021 - August 2021

- Led biweekly recitations on introductory coding in Python, encouraging good code style and pseudocode
- Graded assignments, hosted large and small student group reviews, and proctored quizzes and exams
- Mentored a group of eight students for a three-week semester term project, aiding in ideation, algorithm selection, and project planning

#### Summer Researcher, Dr. Dil Ramanathan's Lab – Kean University, Union, NJ

July 2019 - August 2019

- Analyzed five commercially available cannabidiol products using Gas-Chromatography Mass-Spectrometry
- Identified and categorized molecules found in samples, and discovered the presence of a harmful compound

#### **PROJECTS**

# **Interactive Virtual Physics Mechanics Lab**

December 2020

- Utilized object-oriented programming and physics algorithms in Python to mimic real-life motion in a virtual physics lab environment animated using Tkinter graphics
- Constructed a live graphing mechanism to display changing velocities of objects in the sandbox

# **RELEVANT COURSEWORK**

Fundamentals of Programming and Computer Science Introduction to Computer Systems Linear Algebra and Vector Calculus Introduction to Electrical and Computer Engineering Signals and Systems\* Principles of Imperative Computation (Data Structures)
Concepts of Mathematics
Introduction to Probability Theory
Introduction to Computer Security\*
Structure and Design of Digital Systems\*

\* Spring 2022 Semester

# LEADERSHIP EXPERIENCE

# President, Model United Nations, Bridgewater-Raritan High School

June 2019 - May 2020

- Led meetings teaching students about parliamentary procedure, current events, and public speaking
- Mentored students for international conferences through weekly coaching meetings
- Managed the Bridgewater-Raritan MUN Home Conference, which <u>hosted students from five high schools</u> across New Jersey and Pennsylvania, and served as <u>Co-Secretary General</u> and chair to a committee of 25 delegates

#### **TECHNICAL SKILLS**

Fluent Languages: Python, C

Other Languages and Skills: MATLAB, Arduino, Git, Java, Jira, SQL