# Yushi (Alfred) Cao

2A Electrical & Computer Engineering

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# **Key Skill Set**

- Proficient in Java, VBA;
  Experience in Android development, SQL, website development (PHP, jQuery), C#
- · Proficient in MS Office, especially in Access and Excel
- Experience of designing and building databases
- Familiar with C++, Unix (Linux) OS
- Photographer, familiar with Adobe Photoshop
- Able to communicate in both English and Chinese Mandarin
- · Good driver with full license

#### **Education**

# Candidate for Bachelor of Applied Science, Computer Engineering, University of Waterloo, ON, Sept. 2014 – Present

GPA 3.9, Dean's Honours List, Excellent academic standing,

# **Ongoing Project**

#### **Mobile Order-placing System Model**

- A client server business-owner communication model: the user-ends are on Android platform, and they communicate through a PHP powered web app which talks to a back-end MySQL database.
- Communication between users and server involve PHP "POST", SQL query, JSON encoding and decoding on both Android and the server.

# **Experience**

#### IT Support, City of Toronto - Toronto Water, Toronto, Canada, Winter 2015 & Fall 2015 (8 months)

- Designed and built multiple relational databases run by SQL and VBA
- Built databases feature functions of data analysing and report generating
- Troubleshot other databases; fixed and enhanced existing systems
- Maintained databases, wrote user and tech documentation for them

# Technical Support & Customer Service (Apprentice), Xinyu Computer Technology Ltd. Mudanjiang, China, Summer 2014

- Troubleshot for PC hardware, operating system and application software
- Assembled compatible PC
- Installed and troubleshot CCTV cameras using DVR and PC

# **Other Projects**

#### **Personal Website**

Designed and built personal website using HTML, CSS and jQuery. The website is hosted on GitHub.

### **Arduino Segway Robot**

Built self-balancing Segway robot using Arduino as controller, involved Accelerometer and half-bridge driver.

## Volunteering

### Custodian Assistant Waterloo Mennonite Brethren Church, Waterloo, ON

Provided weekly maintenance for church through assisting custodian

## After-school Program Assistant Christ Evangelical Lutheran Church, Waterloo, ON

- Organized snacks for program attendees, ensuring accuracy of process
- Worked as part of a team to provide safe after- school program for approximately 15-30 children

## Technical Support (Apprentice, Volunteer), Mudanjiang Petroleum Company, Mudanjiang, China

- Installed and troubleshot CCTV cameras using PC network
- Arranged wire for over 800m net length in a team

#### Other Awards and Achievements

- Subject Award for Outstanding Achievement in Grade12 Computer Engineering Technology, St. David
  C.S.S., Waterloo, ON, June. 2014 (awarded for graduating as top of class)
- Canadian Senior Mathematics Contest: Certificate of Distinction, School Champion and Medalist by University of Waterloo, St. David C.S.S., Waterloo, ON, 2013
- Euclid Math Contest: Certificate of Distinction by University of Waterloo, St. David C.S.S., Waterloo, ON, 2013

## **Activities & Interests**

Enjoy arts: photograph, piano, violin

Enjoy sports: swimming, badminton, archery, skiing

Enjoy cooking