# **ALEX DRAGOS RADU**

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## **EDUCATION**

### Manchester, United Kingdom

The University of Manchester

**September 2014 – June 2018** 

- MEng (Hons) Artificial Intelligence
- Modules taken include AI and Games, Advanced Algorithms, Machine Learning, Logic and Modelling, Discrete Maths, Agile Software Development, Symbolic AI
- Member of HackSoc society, co-organiser of 2015 GreatUniHack, 150-attendee hackathon

### **Bucharest, Romania**

"Mihai Viteazul" National College

September 2010 - June 2014

• Graduated with a Baccalaureate Diploma averaging 8.83 out of 10 with 9.85 out of 10 at Mathematics

## **AWARDS**

- Bloomberg "Best Hack" Prize, HackCambridge 2017: Analysing audience attention span during a presentation
- 2nd Place and Microsoft Prize, OxfordHack 2016: Python-based program that generates original music from lyrics
- Bloomberg "Biggest Impact" Prize, GreatUniHack 2016: Java Android app to auto-upload photos taken at events
- Best Developer, HackTrain3.0 2016: Most proficient attitude and skills among the 80 participants
- 2nd Place and SNCF Prize, HackTrain3.0 2016: Classifying cloud point LiDAR data, the hardest hackathon challenge
- BrainTree Prize, HackKings 2015: Best app to implement the BrainTree API, gamifying charity (made with ionic)
- JustGiving Prize, GreatUniHack 2015: Node.js and PHP based app encouraging charity donations
- 3rd Place and BrainTree Prize, Techsylvania 2015: Music-remixing 3D app based on Leap Motion (built in Unity3D)
- JP Morgan Prize, StrathHack 2014: Python-based educative game that teaches maths through stopping zombies

# **EXPERIENCE**

## **Freelance Web Developer**

Summer 2014 - Present

 Designing, building and enhancing various web applications, using PHP (OOP, MVC frameworks, CMS), JavaScript (jQuery, Angular.js, node.js), HTML and CSS

### **Web Developer**

### **University of Manchester Students' Union**

Aug 2016 - Sep 2016

- Built the website for the welcome week events, using the LAMP stack
- The website was used throughout the week in *production environment*, and is planned to be furtherly used

## **Software Engineer Intern**

## **University of Manchester**

Jun 2016 - Aug 2016

- Designed and built a back-end solution for user role and permission management, for the University's Newsagent system, using PHP, Perl and Python
- Built a web-based visualization and drag&drop management tool, using HTML, CSS and JavaScript

#### PROGRAMMING LANGUAGES AND TECHNOLOGIES

- Experienced with: Python, Java, PHP, C#
- Knowledgeable: C++, C, SQL, JavaScript
- Technologies used frequently: Linux, Git, Unity3D, MSOffice, Blender, Photoshop, Matlab