# **Emily Mamcarz**

#### **EDUCATION**

#### Computer Engineering + PEY Co-op

University of Toronto

4th year

• Certificate in Engineering Leadership

09/2021 - 05/2026

05/2024 - 08/2025 Toronto, Canada

#### WORK EXPERIENCE

## **PEY Backend Software Engineer Co-op**

• Developed backend features and extended APIs using Python, Django REST **Framework**, and **AWS** in a large **web application** production codebase, that were immediately used by customers

- Deployed code to production almost daily through AWS CI/CD pipelines, gaining deep exposure to rapid release cycles and real-world impact
- Wrote unit tests, incorporated TDD, and participated in peer code reviews to ensure high-quality code, reliability, maintainability, extensibility, and adherence to backend best practices
- Triaged and resolved production incidents as part of the engineering support rotation, while also shadowing senior developers during high-priority escalations
- Practiced full ownership over feature development from architecture design and planning through deployment, strengthening accountability and autonomy
- Collaborated with designers, product managers, and frontend engineers to deliver features to customers

### **Learning Coach Assistant**

Spring to Mind Learning Inc.

- Provides math tutoring to students in grades 5 to first-year university through verbal communication and sycnronous sessions.
- Records details and written notes about each tutoring session for each student to track progress and document learnings and challenges to target.
- Performs administrative tasks such as providing tutoring updates after each tutoring session.

06//2023 - Present Toronto, Canada

## **ORGANIZATIONS**

### **UofT Cybersecurity Student Association**

President

 Spearheaded events including Security Symposiums and a multi-speaker Industry Panel to connect students with cybersecurity professionals

- Delivered workshops on secure coding and cybersecurity in robotics and mentored and judged beginner participants at a student cybersecurity hackathon
- Led a team of 8 to publish weekly educational cybersecurity infographics
- Managed the club social media presence and connections
- **Designed, implemented, and maintained** the club website using WordPress
- Conducted outreach to industry and academia to build speaker partnerships and grow student engagement

## **PROJECTS**

#### Camera Array System for Field Observation of Pollinators

**UofT** Capstone Design Project

- Working to increase the **usability**, **self-sufficiency**, and decrease the **power consumption** of a **microcontroller** camera system that autonomously captures images of plant-pollinator activities from UofT's Biodiversity of Urban Green Spaces Lab
- Will allow users to offload an SD card to their mobile device in a timely manner
- Aims to replace a cell battery with a a **photo-voltaic power system**
- Implementing a pollinator detection system to decrease power consumption and the amount of extraneous data

07/2024 - 08/2025

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