

# Emma Rousseau

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## SUMMARY

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I recently graduated from McGill University with a joint degree in Biology and Computer Science. I am currently open to summer internship opportunities, both in academia and industry, to gain more practical experience before starting my graduate studies in the fall. I am also able to relocate temporarily or travel for a portion of the internship duration.

## WORK EXPERIENCE

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**Research Assistant - Vogel Lab, McGill University** May 2021 - present

- Worked on various projects related to bioinformatic protein conformation simulations, mass-spectrometry data analysis, protein evolution in yeast, characterization of yeast mutants, super-resolution microscopy, computational image analysis, and analysis of synthetic genetic arrays with yeast.
- Set up multiple collaborations with McGill and IRCM professors and graduate students in the lab.

**Course Mentor - with prof. Giulia Alberini, McGill University** Sep 2020 - Apr 2021

- Gave office hours to help students make progress in the course and offered additional online support before important deadlines.
- Helped students understand the course material and apply their knowledge to concrete programming projects and helped them debug their code on a regular basis.

**Bioinformatics intern - Côté Lab, Clinical Research Institute of Montreal** Summer 2020

- Developed a pipeline for liquid chromatography-mass spectrometry (LC-MS) data analysis.
- Worked on projects related to protein-protein interactions, MS, statistical analysis, and computational biology methods.
- Acquired extensive knowledge of the Compute Canada servers, as well as batch processing and scripting.

## PROJECTS

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**"Am I OK?" - Recipient of 2 prizes at MAIS Hacks 2022** [Link to Demo](#)

Developed an AI-powered web-based app that connects patients' medical records and appointment history to provide fast and accessible information on their current health condition and prescribed treatments.

**"Air Canada Tolerance" - Damaged Aircraft Fuselage Dimensioning** [Link to Presentation](#)

As part of the Air Canada Women in Data Hackathon, my team and I created the Air Canada Tolerance app to obtain measurements very quickly and more accurately than with traditional methods, as well as providing a decision aid tool to help maintenance crews determine if the damage is tolerated or if the plane should be grounded and sent to maintenance.

## EDUCATION

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2019 - 2022 Bachelor's Degree, Computer Science and Biology at **McGill University** (GPA: 3.5/4.0)

2016 - 2019 DEC, Natural Sciences at **CEGEP Edouard-Montpetit** (R-score: 33)

## AWARDS

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### **IRCM Foundation Scholarship for Young Researchers**

Awarded to students for academic results and interest in graduate studies and biomedical research.

### **Perseverance Award for Women in Technology**

Bursary to encourage women to undertake and complete their undergraduate studies within high-demand disciplines related to information technology and computer engineering.

## SKILLS

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| Programming | Python, Java, R, C, C++, Linux shell scripting (bash), SQL, Git, Pytorch ML framework.                                |
| Other       | Scientific writing and research, statistical analysis, machine learning, data visualization, cellular biology methods |