

# XIN YU (SHERRY) YUAN

YEAR 3, COMPUTER SCIENCE MAJOR

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## Technical Skills

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<b>Languages</b>	Java, C, Swift, HTML, XML, C++, JavaScript
<b>Tools/Environment</b>	IntelliJ, Eclipse, Android Studio, Xcode, Git, Github, Webstorm
<b>Testing</b>	JUnit, GDB, Xcode unit testing, Mocha

## Technical Projects

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### **insightUBC (Academic Project)** **September 2016 – December 2016**

- Query engine for parsing and querying UBC courses and rooms data
- Implemented back-end to handle multiple queries in Typescript and Node.js and used HTML, CSS and jQuery for accessible front end
- Wrote unit tests using Mocha test framework

### **Rocket Poll (Launch Pad Project)** **June 2016 – September 2016**

- iOS app developed by iOS team, users can answer timed multiple choice questions posted by other users as well as create their own questions
- Implemented timer, tally of correct answers for each question, addition of user data to Firebase database after account creation and wrote unit tests

### **Learner's Quiz (Personal Project)** **May 2016 – September 2016**

- iOS road signs quiz to help users prepare for ICBC Learner's license test
- Implemented model classes to generate question, correct answer and three random answers, and calculation of score, as well as additional features such as previous attempts
- Implemented ViewController classes and worked with Auto Layout to display data from model classes

### **Pac Man Run (nwHacks Project)** **February 2016**

- Augmented reality Android running game implemented during nwHacks using Google Maps API, player's goal is to pick up virtual food pellets along running route while avoiding moving ghosts
- Implemented MainActivity menu and score calculator, wrote layout files with XML
- Worked on MapsActivity with rest of team, added location sensors and markers for Player and Ghosts

### **Mind The Gap (Academic Project)** **July 2015 – August 2015**

- Android transit app using Google Maps API created as part of Software Construction course
- Wrote JSON parsers to show location of stops and tube lines on the London Underground and display arrival information in real time
- Implemented model classes representing tube lines, tube stations, arrival boards and arrival estimates

## Work Experience

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### University of British Columbia

May 2016 – Current

*Undergraduate Teaching Assistant*

- CPSC 121 Models of Computation and CPSC 213 Introduction to Computer Systems
- Leading labs, holding office hours, and marking assignments to help students understand course content and gain interest in computer science

### Tutor Doctor

August 2015 – August 2016

*Academic Tutor*

- Taught high school Math and French
- Planned weekly sessions, found learning material, prepared students for tests, ensured communication between Tutor Doctor and parents

## Volunteer Experience

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### UBC Launch Pad

June 2016 – Current

*Mobile developer*

- Planning and working on projects with the iOS and Android teams in a Scrum framework

### UBC Focus on Women in Computer Science Committee

September 2015 – Current

*Undergraduate representative*

- Committee with the goal of bringing gender diversity to CS
- Attending committee events and planning and advertising events with other members

### Greater Vancouver High School Science Association

September 2015 – September 2016

*Scope Chief Editor / IT Assistant*

- Oversaw team of volunteer writers and editors, increased rate of publication from biannually to bimonthly and improved social media engagement
- Did web development for GVHSSA's three websites, redesigned websites for consistency and navigability

## Education

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### University of British Columbia

Expected graduation: May 2019

Bachelor of Arts, Computer Science

Chancellor's Scholar Award recipient

## Interests and Activities

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### Hackathons

Participated in nwHacks, BizHacks and UBC Hacks

### Visual Arts

15 years of experience including sketching, watercolor and Photoshop

### Languages

Fluent in English, Mandarin and French

### Music

Enjoys playing piano and attending concerts