George Saad

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Education

University of Toronto | Engineering Science - Bachelor of Applied Science (BASc) | GPA: 3.8/4.0

2019-2023

- Candidate for Bachelor of Applied Science (BASc) Engineering Science
- Relevant Courses: Introduction to Programming (4.0), Algorithms & Data Structures (4.0)

Work Experience

OrangeTopi May 2020 – Present

Lead Software Engineer Intern

Sunnyvale, California

- Led a team of 8 10 developers by providing guidance on React Native, reviewing code, approving PR's, and leading product demos
- Developed 50%+ of the React Native mobile app for Android and iOS in a fast-paced environment, including Expo, app notifications, and authentication with the React Context API
- Developed multiple algorithms and functions in the **Node.js** and **Express.js** backend, including all payment and email handling functions
- Reduced deployment time by over **90%** by implementing a **CI/CD** pipeline for automatic deployment

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Software Engineer Intern

Sunnyvale, California

- Built a Python web scraper using Beautiful Soup to scrape 915 data points and graphed the data using Matplotlib
- Designed and developed several major frontend components with **React.js**, including the entire cart user flow, including retrieving data from mock APIs and the **Node.js** backend API
- Created an API using **Node.js** and **Express.js** to handle all payment processing with Braintree Payments

Projects / Accomplishments

GPT-3 for Finance July 2020

- Built a program to create and fill 20+ fields in a balance sheet based on natural statements, using the
 OpenAI GPT-3 NLP API and the Google Sheets API
- Used Git for coordination of work by creating branches, PRs, and reviewing code

Spark Plug, NewHacks 2020

March 2020

• Built a web app in **under 24 hours** using **HTML** and **CSS** to create the UI and **Javascript** to send POST and GET requests to the **ParseHub API** to scrape Kijiji Autos for cars matching specific criteria

HyperBot, UofTHacks VII 2020

January 2020

- Won 1st out of 70 teams by building the best healthcare chatbot (Hypercare API prize)
- Used Google Cloud App Engine and Python Flask to host the backend and receive POST requests from webhooks and Google Firebase to store and update a Firestore database using JSON files
- Used **Hypercare API** to receive and send messages, schedule appointments, and find other doctors
- Used a Python **ELMo** module to preform **NLP** on user input and map it to a symptom to produce a diagnosis

HootGuard, Hack the North 2019

September 2019

Created an Android app in Java that detects drowsy driving, with successful testing on 8+ users, using
 CameraX library to retrieve image of face and ML Kit from the Google Firebase API for facial recognition

Data Science/ML Learning Project

January 2020 - March 2020

- Developed KNN (k-Nearest Neighbors) algorithm in Python 3 with 90%+ accuracy using the Iris dataset
- Fitted the Iris dataset to a **Decision Tree Classifier** using **scikit-learn** and achieved **92% accuracy**

Skills

- Languages: Python, Java, C, C++, HTML, CSS, JavaScript, ES6, JSX, MATLAB
- **Technologies:** React.js, React Native, Node.js, Express.js, Python Flask, Verilog, Google Cloud, Google Firebase, Git, Android Studio, Expo