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

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May 2020 - December 2020

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

Delovery *Software Engineer Intern*

March 2020 - June 2020

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 201

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