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# Haru Sakai

## UT Tyler Alumni

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Highly motivated Computer Science graduate with a strong academic background and practical experience in software development and research. Skilled in multiple programming languages and frameworks, with a focus on mobile app development and database management. Demonstrated leadership and teamwork abilities through academic projects and extracurricular activities.

## Work Experiences

### Computer Science Research Assistant

University of Texas at Tyler, Tyler, TX | June 2022 - August 2023

- Developed a cross-platform application for smartphone fluency assessment in senior citizens, collaborating with the UT Tyler Memory Assessment and Research Center (MARC)
- Utilized Flutter and Firebase for robust, multi-device compatible development
- Implemented secure data collection methods for psychology team analysis

### AVID Tutor

Winona High School, Winona, TX | August 2020 - May 2021

- Conducted group tutoring sessions for 5-20 students, adapting teaching methods to individual learning style.
- Identified and implemented effective educational resources to support student learning
- Maintained regular communication with students and teachers to track progress and adjust strategies

## Education

### B.S. in Computer Science, Minor in Mathematics

University of Texas at Tyler, Tyler, TX | Fall 2020 - Fall 2023

- GPA: 4.0/4.0 (Summa Cum Laude)
- President's Honor Roll: 7/7 semesters

### High School Diploma

Winona High School, Winona, TX | Graduated May 2020

- Valedictorian, GPA: 5..206/5 (weighted)

## Projects

**Patriots Parking:** Mobile app visualizing real-time campus parking lot status with authentication and admin capabilities

**Patriots Connect:** All-in-one social media app designed to boost student engagement at UT Tyler, featuring campus event discovery, real-time messaging, study group formation, and AI assistant.

**Vesta App:** House furnishing game developed for MARC's cognitive research study. Designed and implemented challenge scenarios to assess users' decision-making and problem-solving skills. Implemented secure data collection and anonymization protocols to protect participants' privacy

## Skills

### Programming Languages:

C++, Java, Dart, HTML, CSS, Python, SQL, JavaScript

**Frameworks:** Flutter, Firebase, React Native

**Tools:** Visual Studio, Android Studio, XCode, Eclipse, GitHub, Microsoft 365, Blender, Unreal Engine

**Languages:** Japanese (native), English (fluent)

## Leadership and Activities

### Asian Student Association |

University of Texas at Tyler  
Treasurer (Fall 2022 - Fall 2023)

- Managed finances, planned biweekly meetings, and organized fundraising events

### Association for Computing Machinery |

University of Texas at Tyler

Member (Fall 2022 - Fall 2023)

- Participated in regular leetcode sessions to enhance problem-solving skills

## Relevant

### Coursework

Machine Learning, Digital Forensics, Database Management Concepts, Information and Knowledge Management, Software Development, Net-Centric Computing