# Richmond Agyenim-Boateng

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# **EDUCATION**

New York University

Abu Dhabi, UAE

Bachelor of Arts in Computer Science, Minor in Mathematics & IM

Aug. 2023 - May 2027

St. James Senior High

Sunyani, Ghana

General Science

Aug. 2018 - Sept. 2021

#### EXPERIENCE

### IT Intern and Programming Instructor

June 2024 – Aug. 2024

Young Achievers Foundation Ghana

College Station, TX

- Conducted a thorough audit of the foundation's website, identifying and fixing bugs, improving load times by 30%, and ensuring the site was fully optimized for mobile devices.
- Developed and taught a beginner-level programming curriculum as part of the Computer Literacy Empowerment Program, focusing on Python and Scratch. Successfully guided 20+ students to complete their first coding projects in C++.
- Assisted the Senior Program Manager with the planning and execution of a website redesign project, which included migrating content, updating security protocols, and integrating new features to enhance user engagement.

#### Mentor and Cohort Facilitator

June 2023 – Present

Young Achievers Foundation Ghana

Kumasi, Ghana

- Led a mentorship program for recent high school graduates, focusing on academic readiness and personal development.
- Edited College application for cohort members
- Tutored 50 students in Mathematics preparing them for the June 2023 SAT exams

## Projects

Hand Gesture-Controlled Robotic Arm(Ufactory X arm) | Python, OpenCV,

Jan. 2024 - May 2024

- \* Developed a Python-based control system for a robotic arm using OpenCV, Mediapipe, and XArmAPI to recognize hand gestures and track hand movements
- \* Programmed hand gesture recognition to map wrist movements and detect closed hands, controlling the robotic (Ufactory X arm) arm's movements.
- \* Translated webcam coordinates into precise angles for dynamic xArm movement to prevent collision.

Sept 2023 – Dec. 2023

- Virtual Campus Tour(Campus Explorer) | Unity, C# Sept 2023 Dec. \* Developed an interactive VR campus tour using Unity and C# for Oculus Meta Quest, implementing smooth scene transitions and navigation.
  - \* Captured and integrated high-quality 360° images with GoPro Fusion, creating a realistic virtual representation of the NYUAD campus.
  - \* Added accessibility features like audio descriptions and text in the Vr environment to ensure an inclusive user experience.

Image Detector | Python, ImageAi

Sept 2023 – Dec. 2023

- \* Developed an image detection program using python, ImageAI library and the RetinaNet model.
- \* Utilized pre-trained ResNet50 on the COCO dataset for detecting and classifying objects in images.
- \* Displayed detected objects with their associated probability of detection for further analysis and evaluation.

#### TECHNICAL SKILLS

Languages: C++,Python, SQL (Postgres), JavaScript, HTML/CSS, Unity.

Frameworks: Tailwind Css, Boostrap Css, Restful API, Word Press.

Developer Tools: Github, VS Code, Visual Studio, PyCharm, Ms Word, Adobe Photoshop, Content Creator.

Soft: Leadership, Event planning & organization, Teamwork, Strong Communication.