# Ashris Choudhury

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## **Education**

**Indian Institute of Technology** 

Bachelor of Architecture (Hons)

May 2017 • GPA 8.15

#### Courses

Programming and DS

Python Specialisation\*

User Experience Research\*

**Visual Semantics** 

Future Cities\*

\*Courses done on Coursera and edX

## **Skills**

Web Development UI/UX Prototyping Machine Learning

Content Writing

Video Making

## **Tools**

Python

Processing

HTML/CSS/JS

Node/Express

MongoDB

Tensorflow

**MATLAB** 

Adobe Creative Suite

# **Projects**

iashris.com

# Involvement

**Executive Editor, Scholars' Avenue** 

Campus Newsbody

**KGP Language Learners** 

Founder

Member, Ambar

LGBTQ Support Group

# **Experience**

#### ETH Zurich, Switzerland

May-Jul 2015

#### Research Intern

- Developed a virtual reality based research framework that provides architects with the realtime cognitive response to their spatial designs.
- Implemented a neural network to detect emotions from physiological and neurological data of users experiencing virtual reality.
- Awarded a research position at Bauhaus University, Weimar.

## Witworks, Bangalore

Dec-Jan 2016

### Product Design Intern

• Worked on 'Blink', an IoT wearable that provide access to services and information on-the-go that raised an undisclosed seed funding.

# FabLab CEPT, Ahmedabad

May-Jul 2014

#### Maker Intern

- Completed all projects of 'How To Make (Almost) Anything': 3d printing, electronic design, creative sensors, digital fabrication, etc.
- Developed 'The Musical Facade', an art installation that syncs its motion with the frequency of music being played.

# Workshops

## Chalmers University of Technology, Sweden

Apr 2016

# Autodesk Smartgeometry 2016

• Developed a gamification based platform for non-designers to work on collaborative architectural designs.

# Chinese University of Hong Kong

Jul 2014

## Autodesk Smartgeometry 2014

- Designed algorithms to automate the planning process of urban layout in Singapore. Developed the UI/UX of the tool on Processing.
- Offered summer internship at ETH based on performance.

# **Competitions**

# **GE Edison Challenge**

Mar 2016

# Finalist (Top 25 in India)

Worked on a gamification based platform that encourages good traffic behaviour through positive reinforcement.

## Tata Social Entreprise Challenge

Dec 2015

# Quarter Finalist (Top 40 in India)

Worked on a gamification based platform that encourages good traffic behaviour through positive reinforcement.

#### **Publications**

# Statistical Approach to Site Zoning Using Method Of Overlays

Ongoing research paper guided by Prof. Abraham George