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EDUCATION

WELLESLEY COLLEGE

Candidate for Bachelor of Arts in Computer Science

WELLESLEY, MA

Expected: May 2027

- **GPA:** 3.78/4.0
- **Major GPA:** 4.0/4.0
- **Relevant Computer Science Coursework:** Data Structures, Algorithms, Human-Computer Interaction, Combinatorics and Graph Theory
- **Relevant Design Coursework:** 2-D Design, Mediated Drawing
- **Certifications:** Generative AI with Large Language Models, Google UX Design Professional Certificate, Complete Web Development Bootcamp, Complete MYSQL Developer Course, Complete Web Design Toolkit

MASSACHUSETTS INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY (MIT)

Cross-Registered Student

CAMBRIDGE, MA

Feb 2024 – Present

- **GPA:** 4.0/4.0
- **Relevant Coursework:** Programming using Python, Tangible Interfaces

WORK EXPERIENCE

WELLESLEY COLLEGE COMPUTER SCIENCE DEPARTMENT

Science Summer Research Intern

WELLESLEY, MA

May 2024 – July 2024

- Designed a new Computer Science course – “CS200 Object Oriented Programming: Java Studio” – set to be taught by the College in Spring 2025 to bridge the gap between the Introductory Computer Science course and Data Structures course.
- Developed several iterations of course schedules and composed a list of concepts to be covered during the course. Constructed in-class assignments and problem-sets to assess the grasp of concepts and solidify learning. Prepared a slide deck that details the flow of the course along with proposed content.
- Interacted with senior faculty members and students who successfully completed the introductory course on a weekly basis to understand the relevance of the course within the larger CS major.

WELLESLEY HACKS (WHACK)

Participant (2023); Logistics Team Coordinator (2024)

WELLESLEY, MA

April 2024 – November 2024

- Collaborated with 4 other members to coordinate logistics for Wellesley’s only annual hackathon. Responsibilities included reviewing programming, creating event schedules, booking event locations, arranging transport, handling registrations and organizing food.
- Selected as one of the students from the Computer Science department to plan activities that are scheduled to take place during the hackathon such as workshops and bonding events.

COMPUTER SCIENCE DEPARTMENT, WELLESLEY COLLEGE

Peer Tutor

WELLESLEY, MA

January 2025 - Present

- Tutored students enrolled in CS 200 - Object Oriented Programming: Java Studio.
- Answered questions regarding course content and guided them through take home coding assignments.
- Evaluated student performances on a weekly basis and reviewed the course structure accordingly. This included altering the expected pace of the course as well as difficulty.

LEADERSHIP EXPERIENCE

WELLESLEY IN PRODUCT

Treasurer

WELLESLEY, MA

August 2023- May 2024

- Managed a \$1300 budget for Wellesley In Product’s annual virtual designathon, a competitive event and opportunity for over 200 students to learn more about designing innovative user interfaces.
- Allocated money for every event hosted by the organization throughout the year and handled reimbursements for *Portfolio Workshop, Coffee Chats and Study Breaks*.

SHUBH KARMA

Founder

NEW DELHI, INDIA

June 2021 - June 2023

- Founded Shubh Karma, a student-run organization and tech initiative that worked to connect student volunteers with NGOs, which impacted over 3000 people across India.
- Collaborated with more than 50 NGOs by building websites, fundraising, establishing a social media presence and creating annual reports.
- Managed a volunteer cohort of over 450 members from across India and reviewed deliverables submitted by them to NGOs.
- Led weekly meetings to brainstorm project ideas and delegated tasks to 10 department heads from the organization’s core operational team.

SKILLS AND INTERESTS

Technical: Figma, Unity, React, Pytorch, Google Suite, Microsoft Office(Word, Excel, PowerPoint), Adobe(illustrator, Photoshop, InDesign), JavaFX, MYSQL, Canva

Computer Languages: Python, Java, HTML, CSS, JavaScript, SQL

Languages: English (fluent), Hindi (fluent), Spanish(conversational)

Interests: Photography, Writing, Travelling, Graphic Design, Badminton, Cricket, Theatre