# Kaizad V. Avari

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# **EDUCATION**

**UNIVERSITY OF FLORIDA** [GPA 3.89/4.0]

Master of Science in Computer Science

GAINESVILLE, FL MAY 2017

**UNIVERSITY OF MUMBAI** [Agg. 68% - First class]

Bachelor of Engineering, Information Technology specialization

MUMBAI, INDIA MAY 2015

# Relevant Coursework

- Android Programming for Handheld Systems, University of Maryland, Coursera, Fall 2012
- C# Fundamentals, Microsoft Virtual Academy, Fall 2015

#### **Honors and Distinctions**

- Published "SmartHelmet" in the IJAFRC Journal, Spring 2015
- Winner of Prakalpa State Competition for Electronics, Fall 2013
- Certified Android Application Programmer at Neebal Technologies, Spring 2012

<u>Technologies</u> Java, C# (.NET), C++, C, Swift, RPAL, Python, HTML, CSS, PHP, JavaScript, SQL

Platforms Unity3D, Android, Windows Desktop, UWP, iOS, Web, SymbianOS, Arduino, InVision, VS Blend

# **EXPERIENCE**

Department of Anesthesiology, University of Florida

GAINESVILLE, FLORIDA

Jan. 2016 - Present

Simulation Developer Assistant and Summer Intern
Developed mixed reality simulator in Unity 3D using C#, with inbuilt intelligent tutor.

• Architected and developed unique software for curating curriculums for the intelligent tutor.

<u>Smart Helmet</u> MUMBAI, INDIA

# **Lead Programmer**

Aug. 2014 - Aug. 2015

- Developed Bluetooth helmet with accompanying 'HelmetCompanion' Android application.
- Managed team through timely meetings and exhaustive product documentation.

#### Computer Society of India Council 2013

MUMBAI, INDIA

#### **Technical Team Member & Instructor**

Aug. 2013 - Aug. 2014

- Attended and deliberated weekly meetings resulting in council future strategic decisions.
- Developed and implemented CSI Portal application for Android used by 1200 students.
- Taught and instructed workshops on Ubuntu, Android, Adobe Muse and more to students.

# KJ Somaiya College of Engineering Labs

MUMBAI, INDIA

### **RIIDL Intern**

Aug. 2012 - Aug. 2013

- Intern at Research Innovation Incubation & Development Labs for an entrepreneurship program.
- Developed an Android application for the Bharatiya Sanskrit Peetham for teaching hundreds of students the Sanskrit language every year.
- Launched 'Learn Sanskrit' application on the Google Play Store with 27,000+ downloads

# LEADERSHIP

# Parsi Portal Service

**Co-Founder** 

MUMBAI, INDIA Dec. 2014 - Present

Developed Parsi Portal's Android application and accompanying publisher website.

• Launched service to the global Zoroastrian community, reaching 4000+ active users in two weeks.

# Prakalpa Technology State Competition

MUMBAI, INDIA

# **Project Leader**

Feb. 2014 - March 2014

- Developed application, interfacing with Bluetooth LE, Arduino UNO and relay circuits.
- Utilized Dropbox API to communicate between application and hardware.