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Education

- 2013—2014 **Professional Masters of Science in Computational Linguistics**, *University of Washington*, Seattle, WA.
(expected)
- 2009—2013 **Bachelor of Arts in Applied Linguistics**, *Portland State University*, Portland, OR.
- Minor in Computer Science
 - Honors College
 - Undergraduate thesis: “The Linguistics of Sentiment Analysis”

Experience

- Winter and Summer **Intern**, *BCL Technologies*, San Jose, CA.
- 2012
- Analyzed data for feature selection purposes;
 - Researched various topics, including information extraction, authorship attribution, and semantic role labeling;
 - Authored demonstration paper for Arabic semantic role labeling system replicating work from (Diab, et. al., 2007) and (Diab, et. al., 2008)
 - Published in *Proceedings of COLING 2012* (see Publications)
- 2011—2013 **Library Technology Assistant**, *Portland State University*, Portland, OR.
- Provided support for staff and student technologies at the University’s Millar Library
 - Held Team Lead position March, 2013 — June, 2013
- 2010—2011 **Apprentice**, *Braindump*, *Portland State University*, Portland, OR.
- Performed IT services for the University’s Computer Science and Engineering department;
 - Attended weekly lectures on various topics pertaining to systems administration and general computer systems knowledge

Languages

English	Native language	French	5 years of academic study
Mandarin Chinese	1 year of academic study		

Computer skills

Languages	Python, C++, Java, HTML, CSS, L ^A T _E X
Platforms	Windows, Linux, Unix
Tools	NLTK, Vim, Microsoft Office, LibreOffice, Photoshop, Illustrator, InDesign, Inkscape, GIMP

Publications

- 2012 Hart, Laurel, Hassan Alam and Aman Kumar, “Revisiting Arabic Semantic Role Labeling using SVM Kernel Methods” *Proceedings of COLING 2012*. December, 2012: 207—14. <http://aclweb.org/anthology//C/C12/C12-3026.pdf>