# Mehek Jethani

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#### **EDUCATION**

**Brown University,** Sc.B. Computer Science, 4.00/4.00 GPA

Providence, RI | Expected Graduation May 2024

Relevant Courses: Intro to Computer Graphics, Intro to Algorithms and Data Structures, Intro to Object-Oriented Programming, Intro to Discrete Structures and Probability, Linear Algebra, Statistical Inference I, Analytical Mechanics

Bergen County Academies, Academy for Engineering and Design Technology, 3.95/4.00 GPA

Hackensack, NJ | Class of 2020

# **SOFTWARE EXPERIENCE**

### CMYK Digital Agency, Development Intern

New York, NY | September 2019 – June 2020

- Built HTML/CSS templates for client contracted web pages from design mockups for use on Wordpress
- Enhanced and maintained existing client Wordpress sites

### Morgan Stanley, Technology Analyst Intern

New York, NY | July 2019 – August 2019

- Restored and refined internal Enterprise Computing Services department website in HTML/CSS/JS and Bootstrap
- Maintained an online inventory of company database services
- Gained experience in software engineering practices such as Agile workflow and working with Git

#### RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

# Brown University Visual Computing Group, Undergraduate Research Assistant

Providence, RI | May 2021 - Present

- Worked as a member of the Dash project team under the management of Professor Andy van Dam, building a browser-based hypermedia system using the MERN stack with TypeScript and MobX
- Overhauled previous temporal media capabilities and added new audio/video features for more precise editing and playback
- Maintained existing system and executed UI and usability improvements

# TEACHING EXPERIENCE

## **Kumon Math and Reading Center,** *Grader*

Emerson, NJ | August 2017 – January 2021

- Developed the math, reading comprehension, and writing skills of students of all ages, including one-on-one reading and arithmetic training with preschool-aged children
- Administered tests and managed grading and filing

#### **Self Employed, SAT Math Tutor**

Westwood, NJ | December 2018 – March 2019

- Coached student in high school math topics ranging from algebra through precalculus in preparation for the SAT
- Authored and taught custom lesson plans and problem sets tailored to the student's needs

### **CS PROJECTS**

# Raytracer, Computer Graphics Project

October 2021

- Ray tracing program in C++ using QtCreator that renders scenes from scene graphs of implicit primitive shapes
- Includes full Phong illumination model, multiple types of lighting sources, recursive reflections, ray cast shadows, and texture mapping
- Allows for interactive preview in alternate 3D view that displays OpenGL triangle meshes to render raytraced scenes according to user specified camera transformations

# Freeform Web-Based Hypertext/Hypermedia System, Research Position Application

May 2021

- Starter project to join the Dash research group involving building a simplified base version of the Dash hypertext system using TypeScript, React, Express.js, and MobX
- Freeform canvas workspace with a variety of resizable and draggable nodes including, text, video, images, embedded web pages, and nested collections
- Tree-view style file browser for collections and internode linking including the ability to follow links in the canvas view

# Machine Learning Flappy Bird Game, OOP Final Project

April 2021

- Flappy Bird game implemented using JavaFX with both a user playable mode and a machine learning mode
- Utilizes a neural network and "neuroevolution" algorithm of tuning weights to train populations of birds to play the game

### Online Multiplayer Connect 4 Game, AP CS Final Project

June 2020

- Website that creates uniquely keyed private multiplayer Connect 4 game rooms with player chat and adaptive gameplay to support up to 8 players per room
- Implemented using HTML/CSS, JQuery, Express.js, and socket.io Node.js server and hosted on Heroku

### SKILLS & INTERESTS

Programming Skills: Java, Python, HTML, CSS, JavaScript, TypeScript, C++, Git, LaTeX, npm, React, JavaFX, OpenGL, GLSL Office/Creative Skills: Proficient in Microsoft Office, GSuite, Adobe Photoshop, Adobe Illustrator, Final Cut Pro X

Familiar with Figma, Adobe After Effects, Adobe Lightroom, Adobe XD, WordPress

Interests: Violin, drawing, embroidery, videography, board games