NASHIHA AHMED

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PERSONAL

Birth	19/02/1997 - Ankara, Turkey
Nationalities	Dual: Turkey and Pakistan

EDUCATION

2018- 2020	**Bilkent University |** Ankara, TR **M.A., Philosophy** **Thesis: A Re-Examination of Computational Creativity through Non-Human Animals (**Philosophy of AI) Graduation Year: 2020 | Comprehensive **Scholarship**
2014- 2018	**Bilkent University** **B.S., Computer Engineering** Graduation Year: 2018 | ÖSYM **Scholarship**
2012-2014	**Pakistan Embassy Intl Study Group |** Ankara, TR
2010-2012	**Oasis International School |** Ankara, TR

SKILLS

Programming	Java | **Advanced** C++, Python, SQL, Verilog | **Intermediate** C, PHP, HTML, CSS, JavaScript | **Beginner**
Languages	English, Turkish, Urdu (*Fluent*) | Spanish (*Intermediate*) | Japanese (*Beginner*)
Personal	Problem-Solving, Active Listening, Servant Leadership, Critical Thinking, Creativity, Cross-cultural Communication, Teamwork, Public Speaking, Written Communication, Adaptability
Other	Oracle DBA, UNIX/LINUX OS, Windows OS, Graphic Design, Video Editing, UI/UX Design, Presentations, Project Scheduling (MS Project)

EXPERIENCE

Work & Academic	• **Freelance Website Designer |** 2020-2021 • **Poster Design | Bilkent Philosophy |** Spring 2019-2020 • **Tech. Pre-Sales Intern | Oracle, Turkey |** Jun 2018 • **Academic Panel Presentation | APEAA, University of Évora, Portugal |** April 26-28, 2018 • **Honors Seminar | HUM331, Bilkent |** Fall 2017-2018 • **Disney International College Program | Walt Disney World, FL, USA |** Jun - Aug 2017 • **Member | Bilkent STS Network |** Jan 2016-2018 • **Software Intern | Bilisim A.S. |** Aug 2016
Projects	• **Etymøn.org | AR, Machine Learning, Java, WebGL** Senior Project | An analysis and tracing tool for word origins • **AI Crossword Puzzle Solver | Java** An AI that solves the NYTimes daily mini-crossword • **Agora | Java, HTML, PHP, SQL** An online social discussion website • **P.S! | Lex & Yacc** A letter-format drawing programming language • **Redeemers of the Monarchy | Java** An underwater tower defense game • **Pong Using Ultrasonic Sensors | Verilog, VHDL** A pong game using ultrasonic sensors to move paddles
Volunteering	• Code.org local volunteer • DoSomething member • TED talks translator

INTERESTS & ACTIVITIES

Academic	Artificial Intelligence, Computational Biology, Social Software Eng., Cultural Anthropology, Digital Humanities, Language
Recreational	Animation, Video & Board Games, Swimming, Reading, Visual & Digital Arts, Trumpet, Team Sports, Pakistani Dance, Traveling