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## **EDUCATION**

# CARNEGIE MELLON UNIVERSITY

BS IN COMPUTER SCIENCE

Expected May 2019 | Pittsburgh, PA Minor in Machine Learning School of Computer Science

#### LIVINGSTON HIGH SCHOOL

Grad. June 2015 | Livingston, NJ GPA: 4.6 , Top 10 in class

### LINKS

Github:// nikitaagarwal LinkedIn:// nikitaagar

## COURSEWORK

#### **UNDERGRADUATE**

Principles of Imperative Computation (15-122)

Concepts of Mathematics (21-217) Matrices and Linear Transformations (21-241)

#### **MOOCS**

Machine Learning Computational Finance I

## **SKILLS**

#### **PROGRAMMING**

Java • C/C++ • Python HTML/CSS • Javascript • PHP Swift • Ruby on Rails • Arduino • PHP • Shell

#### **TECHNOLOGIES**

Django • D3 • NLTK • node.js • jQuery • Adobe Photoshop • Maya 3D • RAKE

#### **OTHER**

Public speaking • Leadership • Data analysis • Chess

## **AWARDS**

#### 2015

- Grady Public Service Award Scholarship
- Future Business Leaders Scholarship

#### 2014

- NJ Girls State Delegate
- AP Scholar with Distinction
- Edison Invention Challenge 1st Place

#### **EXPERIENCE**

### **CARNEGIE MELLON UNIVERSITY** | TEACHING ASSISTANT FOR

PRINCIPLES OF IMPERATIVE COMPUTATION, 15-122

Fall 2016 | Pittsburgh, PA

#### JOHNSON AND JOHNSON | DATA SCIENCE INTERN

May 2016 - Aug 2016 | Raritan, NJ

- Developed web app to track pharmaceutical asset development for internal communications, implemented Machine Learning algorithms and d3.js graphs for pharmaceutical data analytics
- Developed data mining algorithms using clustering for clinical trial data and utilized natural language processing services to assess customer needs
- Created Data Science Team website featuring the team and keystone projects, implemented Microsoft Sharepoint API for editor flexibility

# **CARNEGIE MELLON UNIVERSITY** | GOOGLE-CMU SUMMER PROJECT DEVELOPER

May 2016 - Aug 2016 | Remote

- Worked under Google-funded grant to develop curriculum for online course
- Created homework assignments and online tutorials teaching data structures, correct imperative implementations, and algorithm constructions

# GALLAGHER BENEFIT SERVICES | EXECUTIVE COMPENSATION INTERN June 2014 - Aug 2014 | New York, NY

- Conducted research and data analysis for Forbes Top 200 Companies 2013
- Used bash shell scripting to allow users to efficiently write to data sheets
- Published work in Gallagher's 2013 Annual Compensation Report

### **PROJECTS**

#### **CHROME-PARSER**

- Wrote Google Chrome extension that parses through browser text to manipulate on-screen corpus
- Flexibility for user to change which keyword to replace

#### "POKÉMON" PC GAME SIMULATION

- Created game modeling the 4th generation Nintendo Pokémon
- Generated interactive graphics using RGB generated pixelation in Adobe Photoshop and sprite sheets
- Wrote complete user interface using conditional algorithms

#### **BRAILLING 2.0**

- Created an assist device for the visually impaired as part of the Edison innovation challenge
- Developed design and concept for product that dynamically changes braille text on user command
- Generated working prototype with Arduino circuit board and buttons

## **EXTRACURRICULAR ACTIVITIES**

Present Alpha Kappa Psi Business Fraternity | MARKETING CHAIR

Present Women@SCS | MEMBER

2013-2015 Varsity Girls Tennis Team | CAPTAIN

2011-2015 Future Business Leaders of America | PRESIDENT