# Nurpeiis Baimukan

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## **EDUCATION**

#### NEW YORK UNIVERSITY ABU DHABI

BS IN COMPUTER SCIENCE & COMPUTER ENGINEERING December 2021 | Abu Dhabi, UAE GPA: 3.9 / 4.0

## NAZARBAYEV INTELLECTUAL SCHOOL OF ASTANA (NISA IB)

FIRST IN CLASS OF 92 July 2017 | Astana, Kazakhstan GPA: 4.0 / 4.0; IB DP: 42/45; SAT I: 1550/1600; SAT II: Physics 800/800, Chemistry 800/800, Math II 790/800; IELTS: 8.0/9.0

## SKILLS

Advanced:

C++ • Python • Typescript Intermediate:

Dart • Go • Java

Web & Mobile Development:

Flutter • Django • Docker • Figma • Vue.js • PostgreSQL • SQLite • AWS •

Puppeteer Data Science:

PyTorch • NLP • Speech Processing •

Kaldi • SoX • Scikit-learn • HPC

Others:

Arduino • Raspberry Pi • Telegram Bots Leadership:

Public Speaking • Project Management • Dialogue Facilitation

#### **LANGUAGES**

Native Languages: Kazakh • Russian

## **COURSEWORK**

Mathematical Modelling Algorithmic Foundations of Data Science Natural Language Processing (NLP) Software Engineering Computer Systems Organization

Advanced Digital Logic Advanced Circuits

Data Structures Algorithms

Object Oriented Programming (C++)

Probability & Statistics Multivariable Calculus

Linear Algebra

Ordinary Differential Equations Central Problems in Philosophy

## INTERESTS & LEADERSHIP

- NYUAD's Computer Science Representative for 2020-21 AY
- Sustained Dialogue Facilitator: Facilitate dialogue for student body regarding crucial issues
- Saxophone: composed 6 original songs and over 10 covers with my band 1AM
- Long distance running: run 60km weekly
- Table Tennis: captain of NYUAD's Intercollegiate Table Tennis Team and winner of ADISL 2019 championship

## EXPERIENCE & PROJECTS

## DAPI | SOFTWARE ENGINEERING INTERN

March 2020 - Present | Abu Dhabi, UAE

- Built automation software using Typescript that reduced bank integration from 3 days to 15 minutes and helped to raise investment
- Optimizing the back-end of all services using Go
- Built transaction categorization engine using Python, Scikit-Learn

#### CAMEL LAB | RESEARCH ASSISTANT

February 2020 - Present | Abu Dhabi, UAE

- Create the largest multi-dialect & multi-genre Arabic BERT Model using TPUs
- Improve state-of-the-art Arabic dialect identification using PyTorch

## JAGGED (PREVIOUSLY IZBASAR) | Co-Founder & CEO

July 2019 - Present | Abu Dhabi, UAE

- Won 2nd place (\$10,000) at NYU's Innovention competition among 7 teams
- Won StartAD's National Impact Award (\$10,000), competitive Spring Incubator Program 2020 among 17 teams
- Developing a prototype of Mobile App to expand the project internationally using Flutter and Figma
- Founded a mentorship program for high school students, connecting over 100 bright high schoolers with college students
- Coordinated with 40 college students all over the world to develop fair application review criteria, mentor training program and weekly schedule
- Developed podcast series on self-development, college application process, and college life, ranking Top 5 in itunes educational podcasts in Kazakhstan
- Helped mentees in the program achieve over \$2 million in scholarships.

#### BTS DIGITAL | Machine Learning & SWE Intern October 2019 - January 2020 | Astana, Kazakhstan

- Built English learning platform for Kazakh & Russian speaking audience using Image Captioning, S2T, and Sentence Encoder models & PyTorch to assess speech and written fluency
- Used Docker, AWS & Telegram Bot to test the MVP with over 2000 users
- Built cheap and fast Kazakh language audio-text forced alignment tool using Kaldi, SoX and Fourier Analysis Techniques
- Created over 30 hours of clean Kazakh language Speech2Text dataset

## GOOGLE | RESEARCH INTERN

Fall 2019 | New York, USA

Google Assistant offer rescinded due to visa issues

## NYU CENTER FOR CYBERSECURITY | RESEARCHER

June 2019 - August 2019 | New York, USA

- Designed **Steganographic System** that uses Generative Adversarial Nets (LeakGAN) & RNNs to tackle targeted ads & censorship on textual data
- Book chapter in Game Theory and Machine Learning for Cyber Security
- Implemented LeakGAN using Pytorch and HPC

#### NYUAD COLAB | FULL STACK DEVELOPER

September 2018 - September 2019 | Abu Dhabi, UAE

- Created and maintained a Web Application to improve interaction between the external community and NYUAD
- Back-End: Managed REST APIs and models in PostgreSQL using Django
- Front-End: Developed user interface with Vue.js, HTML, CSS, Bootstrap.

### CYBER# | Co-President & CTF Team Member October 2018 - September 2019 | Abu Dhabi, UAE

• Led a team of 8 students working on self-driving "Donkey car" using Keras

- Led first-ever NYUAD's Capture the Flag (CTF) team, being responsible for Cryptography and Web Exploitation using Kali-Linux
- Won 1<sup>st</sup> place in CTF organized by OPCDE, Dubai,2019
- Won  $3^{rd}$  place in CTF organized by Hack In The Box (HITB), Dubai, 2018

#### **OTHER PROJECTS**

September 2018 - Present | Abu Dhabi, UAE

- Hukamaa: Came up with an idea of a **Platform** to engage the elderly to realize their full capacity in today's society. Built front-end using Vue.js.**Won**  $2^{nd}$  place among 11 teams at NYUAD's International Hackathon
- Checkers-Al:Checkers game in C++ using MiniMax and Alpha-Beta Pruning