Austin Tian | Computer Scientist

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PROFILE

A second-year computer science student at Cardiff University interested in working in web development and other graphically-oriented projects.

TECHNICAL SKILLS

- **Software tools:** version control with Git, VSCode
- **Programming languages**: Python, Java, MATLAB
- Web Development: HTML, CSS (+Sass), React, SQLPlus
- Game development: Unity 2D
- Linux operating system

WORK EXPERIENCE

Graphic Designer at Praline, London, 05-09/06/2017

- Designed book cover concepts and accessibility icons for a website using Adobe Illustrator
- Gained an understanding of what it is like to work in a small company

CODING PROJECTS

- Portfolio Website, 04/06/2022, individual project
 - Website made with React, styled using Sass, and deployed on GitHub using GitHub Pages
- Dungeon Crawler Game, 10/2022-16/05/2022, group project
 - Lead programmer in a 2D multiplayer puzzle dungeon crawler group project, using Unity
 (C#) and the Mirror library. Learned the basics of game development
- Cybersoc Game Jam, 19/03/2022, individual project
 - Developed a basic 2D top-down shooter game using Unity at a society-lead game jam.
 Solidified my knowledge of game development.

EXTRACURRICULAR

- Robotics Club, 09/2019 07/2020
 - Focused on Arduino programming and electrical engineering including soldering.
- Science Outreach Leadership Team, 09/2018 07/2019
 - Gained public speaking skills and learned about lab safety and physics concepts outside of the scope of my physics lessons
 - Performed science demonstrations at multiple festivals including Blu Dot and Big Bang UK in 2019.
- Psychology Research Competition, 06/03/2019, individual project
 - Won second place in an inter-school psychology research competition. Developed critical thinking skills though discussing the implications of my research into group conformity.

EDUCATION

Cardiff University, Cardiff, 2020-present | BSc Computer Science with Security, Forensics, Year In Industry *Relevant Modules*

- Web Applications
- Human Computer Interaction
- Developing Quality Software
- Object Orientation, Algorithms, and Data Structures
- Database Systems

INTERESTS

- Astronomy and astrophotography
- Skateboarding
- Logic puzzles like picross and minesweeper, jigsaw puzzles
- Creating and selling digital art through RedBubble
- Languages: fluent in Russian and English, proficient in Spanish and Portuguese, beginner in Japanese

REFERENCES AVAILABLE ON REQUEST