# Patrik Ackland

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## Education

2015-2016

University of Washington, Seattle, WA
– Exchange, Computer Science, GPA: 3.8/4.0

- Highly competitive selection process. Only one student from my university admitted every year.

2012-2017

KTH Royal Institute of Technology, Stockholm, Sweden

- BS/MS, Computer Science, GPA: 4.8/5.0

## Experience

## Yelp, Software Engineering Intern, San Francisco, CA

Summer 2016

Skills:-

## Scania, Software Engineering Intern, Södertälje, Sweden

Summer 2015

Continued developing project from the previous year.

- Implemented requests from teams within the company.

Added several new features including digital envelope cryptography using open-ssl.

Skills: C, C++, Cryptography, MATLAB.

## KTH Royal Institute of Technology, Teaching Assistant, Stockholm, Sweden

2013-2015

Teaching programming and algorithms to 15 computer-science students.

Grading weekly assignments and supervising month-long project at the end of the course.

Skills: Java, Go, Theoretical computer science.

## Scania, Software Engineering Intern, Södertälje, Sweden

Summer 2014

- Developed software for logging road and vehicle data in trucks.

The software replaced commercial software saving thousands of dollars.

Skills: C, C#, Agile development.

## **Projects**

More projects at http://www.csc.kth.se/~packland

Compiler in Scala, project course

Compiles a subset of Scala to JVM bytecode.

Handwritten lexer, parser, name analyzer and type checker.

Supports Java-like generics through type erasure. - Received an A, the highest grade.

C++

Scala

Chromium, open source web browser - Currently working on good-first-bugs.

- Looking to work on more complex issues as I get more experience.

#### Picture-of-pictures, personal project

Ruby, JavaScript

- Replaces each pixel in an image with an image whose dominant color is closest to the color of the pixel.

- Choosing better data structures reduced running time by 90%.

## **Programming**

Main: Java (6 years), Android (2 years), C++ (2 years)

Other: Python, JavaScript, Scala, Ruby, C#, Go

## Leadership Experience

### Head of Sponsor, International Reception, KTH

2014-2014

Spent six months together with 13 other students planning the international reception.
Welcomed over 2000 students during four arrival days and planned a month of activities.

## President of the Education Committee, KTH

2013-2014

- Nominated by my predecessor because of my involvement the previous year.

- Meetings with students and faculty to discuss courses and the computer science department.

#### Awards

## Henrik Göransson Sandviken Scholarship

2015

- Awarded scholarship for academic achievements at KTH Royal Institute of Technology.

- Selection based on GPA. Awarded to 90 students in total from all majors at the university.

# Other

Clubs: UW photography club, education committee, business-relations group, international reception. Interests: photography, guitar.