# Ishan Kamat

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### **EDUCATION**

**Rice University** - Houston, TX

**Graduating May 2023** 

**Bachelor of Science Computer Science** 

Overall GPA 4.0/4.0

Minors Financial Computation and Modeling, Entrepreneurship

#### **EXPERIENCE**

**ServiceNow** - Software Engineering Intern - *Remote* 

05/2021 - 08/2021

- Created user interface components using JS and HTML/CSS to display indicators of digital asset performance
- Developed data collection scripts and endpoints for the ServiceNow platform backend using JS and Java
- Implemented necessary features for v1.0 of the Digital Portfolio Management product for enterprise customers
- Committed 14,000+ lines of code through Git to the project's main branch over 10 Agile user stories
- Collaborated with full-time engineers, designers, and managers to build solutions for product-scale issues

IBM - Data Science Intern - Remote

- Built comprehensive models to quantify trends in large datasets (~4 million entries) using Watson API
- Developed sentiment analysis/NLP routines with Python/NLTK to process user-generated content
- Worked under the supervision and mentorship of senior engineering team members
- Summarized findings in a cumulative presentation to managers and a data-centric final report

The University of Texas at Austin - Web Developer - Austin, TX

01/2020 - 08/2020

- Developed tools to automate WordPress backend maintenance tasks using Python in a Linux environment
- Created web apps for institutional research projects with JS/jQuery, Vue.js, React, and HTML/CSS
- Worked within fixed deadlines and accomplished responsibilities ahead of schedule
- Authored and deployed live production codebases to run on University infrastructure

St. John's School Community Service Office - App Developer - Houston, TX

05/2018 - 04/2019

- Designed a Dart/Flutter app for iOS and Android to promote student community service involvement
- Engineered and maintained a central SQL database using Python/Flask to be deployed on AWS backend

#### **PROJECTS**

**SnackStocker** - Team Leader, Computer Vision Specialist

- Organized and led a team to develop a system to track snack availability throughout an office space
- Wrote an IoT application using Python/OpenCV to detect/recognize multiple types of snacks from a video feed
- Created a mobile app using React Native to interface with a Firebase backend and show live snack stocks
- Won Top 8 in the ServiceNow Hackathon along with a generous prize

# CalenCompete - Lead Developer

- Built a web application which enabled users to track their exercise activity and compete with others
- Developed a frontend interface using JS/jQuery and HTML/CSS to display group performance visualizations
- Wrote a backend server using Python/Flask to interface with a SQL database and compute metrics from data

#### **ACTIVITIES**

Rice Honor Council - College Representative 02/2021 - Present Rice Effective Altruism - Fellow 09/2020 - Present Rice CS Club - Member 08/2020 - Present

President's Honor Roll

**HONORS & AWARDS** 

- ServiceNow Hackathon Top 8
- Engineering Excellence Award
- Cum Laude Society
- Eagle Scout

# SKILLS

**Languages** Python, C, Java, JS/jQuery, Dart, Kotlin, HTML/CSS **Frameworks** Flask, Vue.js, React, Flutter, OpenCV, NLTK, NumPy **Databases** SQL, Peewee, MariaDB, KeyStore Platforms Linux, Android, Windows, iOS **Tools** Git, IntelliJ IDEA, Vim, Maven, Valgrind

## COURSEWORK

- Reasoning about Algorithms
- Program Design
- Computer Engineering
- Computational Thinking
- Quantitative Financial Analytics