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## Education

## The University of Texas at Arlington

May 2022

CGPA: 3.81/4.0

Bachelor of Science in Computer Science Minor in Mathematics

Technical Skills

 $\textbf{Languages:} \ \text{C/C++} \ (\textbf{3+ years}), \ \text{Python} \ (\textbf{2+ years}), \ \text{JavaScript}, \ \text{HTML/CSS}, \ \text{Java}, \ \text{Matlab}, \ \text{MySQL} \ (\textbf{<2 years})$ 

Tools: VS Code, GitHub, Git, LATEX, Google Colab, Jupyter, Arduino, Virtual Box, gcc/gdb

Technologies/Frameworks: Windows, Linux, MacOS, ReactJS, NodeJS, TensorFlow, Keras, Sklearn, Pandas

## Experience

# Senior Design Software Developer

August 2021 - May 2022

 $University\ of\ Texas\ at\ Arlington$ 

Arlington, Texas

- Collaborated on designs and build for an underwater ROV with a \$800 budget for the IEEE Robotics Competition.
- Gained Agile SDLC methodology experience through daily scrum meetings, project planning, requirements elicitation, sprint backlog, and peer review and testing.
- Designed a ReactJS web application that serves as a controller by interacting with Python HTTP servers for relaying requests for mechanical control and wireless video streaming. Serial communication was integrated with Axios API.

## Peer Academic Leader

August 2021 – May 2022

Division of Student Success, University of Texas at Arlington

Arlington, Texas

- Supervised and instructed three UNIV freshmen courses for the College of Engineering and Science.
- Individualized lesson plans for an average class size of 30 students on academic and student affairs policy, social opportunities, major exploration, engineering practices, and other areas of academic success.
- Maintained official university course records and documented student progress of 100+ students using Canvas LMS.

## **Projects**

#### Your Disney Movie Dataset | Python, Goggle Colab, BeautifulSoup

May 2022

- Utilized web scraping to extract Wikipedia's Infobox contents from 600+ Disney movies using the bs4 library.
- Cleaned and filtered data to create a final dataset which houses 520 Disney movies and generated GET requests to attach IMDB/Rotten Tomatoes ratings using OMDb API.

#### Traffic Signs Classification and Recognition | Python, Keras, Tensorflow

August 2021 - December 2021

- Trained a deep neural network that can classify traffic signs from the GTSRB dataset having 50,000 images.
- Classified images into 43 relevant classes using a LeNet CNN model with a training accuracy of 98%. Created a simple GUI using Tkinter that predicts the class of traffic sign based on a user image.

#### Pokédex | Javascript, Rest API

March 2021

- Deployed a light-weight web application on *Netlify* and improved User Interface using style sheets.
- Generated GET requests and filtered JSON strings to create a catalog of 897 Pokémon based on their ID and attributes using PokéAPI .

### Operating Systems $\mid C/C++$

August 2020 - December 2020

- Implemented a user space shell application capable of interpreting a FAT32 file system image based on FAT32 File System Specification without the use of any existing kernel code or utility functions.
- Designed a program with self-implemented data structures for dynamic memory allocation functions capable of performing heap management using 4 page replacement algorithms.
- Designed a bash shell for UNIX using low level system calls to create and manage processes supporting user commands.
- Modified a CentOS Linux kernel to support 3 new system calls with added functionality of process metrics.

## Poker++ | C++, gtkmm

January 2020 - May 2020

- Developed a multi-player (2-5) gtkmm Texas Hold 'em poker game using low-level I/O programming.
- Integrated a client-server architecture model for the dealer and client(s) using the Boost ASIO library and encoded communication on a JSON interface.

## Awards and Achievements

Engineering: College of Engineering, Dean's List all semesters Academic: Magna Cum Laude, Maverick Academic Scholarship Affiliations: IEEE, Microsoft Innovation Center Nepal