# **PRANAV RAMESH**

## **EDUCATION**

Harvard University
John A. Paulson School of
Engineering and Applied Sciences
Cambridge, MA 02138

Expected May 2026
Major GPA: 4.0/4.0
Cumulative GPA: 3.92/4.0

A.B./S.M. in Computer Science (Concurrent Masters) Secondary in Economics

#### South Windsor High School

South Windsor, CT 06074 August 2018 - June 2022 GPA: 4.46/4.0 (Valedictorian) SAT: 1580/1600 (Math: 800, EBRW: 780)

#### Relevant Coursework:

Discrete Mathematics for Computer Science (Harvard Extension School) Intensive Introduction to Computer Science Using Java (Harvard Secondary School) Intermediate Microeconomics Linear Algebra and Real Analysis I (Harvard Extension School) Management and Technology Systems Programming and Machine Organization Vector Calculus and Linear Algebra I

#### **SKILLS**

Languages: English, Tamil, French General: adaptability, collaboration, communication, innovation, public speaking, problem-solving, research, writing

Computer/Software: Alexa Developer Console, Autodesk Inventor, C++, Canva, Dart, Excel, Figma, Firebase, Flutter, Git, GitHub, Homebrew, HTML/CSS, Java, JavaScript, LaTeX and Overleaf, Markdown, Matplotlib, Microsoft Office Suite, Notion, NumPy, Onshape, OpenCV, PowerPoint, PyCharm, Python, React, SoftCover, Swift, Visual Studio Code, Word Other Technical: business analytics, data science, data structures and algorithms, iOS app development, object-oriented programming, product design, product engineering, robotics, statistical modeling, web development/design

#### **WORK EXPERIENCE**

## Teaching Assistant, Grader - The Art of Problem Solving

May 2022 - present

- Grading student assignments for computer science courses.
- Serving as a teaching assistant for Introduction to Programming with Python.

## Software Engineering Intern - North South Foundation

January 2022 - June 2022

- Developed online platform using React / Node.js and leveraged Stripe and Braintree APIs to process transactions.
- Constructed authentication system for donors to access payment portal easily.
- Created an algorithm for donors to choose to schedule donations.

#### Math Instructor - Mathnasium

August 2020 - August 2022

- Developed and implemented customized learning plans and curricula for individual students.
- Taught arithmetic through calculus, trained students for the MathCounts and AMC 8/10/12 contests, and tutored for the SAT/PSAT and ACT math sections.

#### **EXTRACURRICULAR & LEADERSHIP EXPERIENCE**

#### Software Engineer - Harvard Tech for Social Good

September 2022 - present

• Collaborating with a team of software engineering members to develop a web app for OkaySo (React / Node.js). This platform connects users with experts to ask questions regarding health, identity, relationships, stress, and more.

#### **Sourcing Analyst** - Harvard Undergraduate Capital Partners

September 2022 - present

• Sourcing early-stage startups and connecting them with prominent venture capital firms.

## Founder, Author, and Programming Instructor - CodeSavant

April 2020 - present

- Developed a curriculum and taught beginner/intermediate Python programming classes nationwide, raising ~\$2,000 for COVID-related causes.
- Published programming books on Amazon and created CodeSavant YouTube Channel (~950 subs/175k+ views).

#### Founder and Mobile App Developer - MetricMix, LLC

September 2018 - present

• (Using Swift) Developed <u>GeoScholar</u>, a geography quiz app; <u>Scholar.ly</u>, an advanced GPA calculator; <u>Gene Xpress</u>, a protein synthesis simulator; <u>GSEF Official</u>, an economics resource app; and <u>ReadSpeak</u>, an accent translation app.

## PROJECTS AND CERTIFICATIONS

# Pillola (pranavramesh.com/projects1.html)

- Smart, secure pill dispenser designed for use in senior living facilities.
- Designed all dispenser parts and conducted structural analyses using Autodesk Fusion 360.
- Used Arduino and C++ to automate pill dispensing, scheduling, and secure fingerprint/keypad authentication.

# Table Tennis CV (pranavramesh.com/projects1.html)

- Computer vision-machine learning application to track active table tennis gameplay using Python and OpenCV.
- Leveraged frame differentiation and elliptical Hough transform to isolate and track a moving ball in view.
- Trained a machine learning model using Scikit-Learn to predict where a ball lands based on the initial return location.

## GeoScholar (apps.apple.com/us/app/geoscholar/id1453068019)

• Designed geography bee preparation app using Swift to develop all training and fact pages and StoreKit to process in-app purchases, and leveraged Firebase to store and request quiz decks.

# The Python Starterpack (amazon.com/Python-Starterpack-Simple-Introduction/dp/B0874PCH1J/)

• Introductory Python programming book covering types, control structures, and object-oriented programming concepts.

# Java Decaffeinated (amazon.com/Java-Decaffeinated-Simple-Introduction/dp/B09K5TQWKC/)

• Introductory Java programming book covering types, control structures, and object-oriented programming concepts.

## Shortest Paths Revisited and NP-Complete Problems Certificate

January 2021

www.coursera.org/account/accomplishments/certificate/TVSZEDGE45XS

Graph Search, Shortest Paths, and Data Structures Certificate

December 2020

www.coursera.org/account/accomplishments/certificate/8J29KCWZYQAY

December 2020

Greedy Algorithms, Minimum Spanning Trees, and Dynamic Programming

www.coursera.org/account/accomplishments/certificate/8PB2UFWXEEKS

Divide and Conquer, Sorting and Searching, and Randomized Algorithms

www.coursera.org/account/accomplishments/certificate/MJ9RL2JNEU26

November 2020