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# PRATEEK ARORA

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## BACKGROUND INFORMATION

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<b>Education</b>	Brown University '15 (Overall GPA: <b>3.64</b> ) (Post-Freshman GPA: <b>3.8</b> )
<b>Concentration/Degree</b>	Bachelor of Science, Computer Science

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## COMPUTER SKILLS

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<b>Relevant Coursework</b>	Software Engineering, Design and Analysis of Algorithms and Data Structures, Database Management Systems, Modern Web Apps
<b>Programming Languages</b>	Java, C#, Web Development (HTML, CSS, JavaScript, TypeScript, JQuery, SQL, NoSQL, ASP.NET), REST, SOAP, MongoDB, Scala
<b>Frameworks/Applications</b>	.NET Framework, Backbone.JS, IntelliJ, Visual Studio, Eclipse

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## WORK EXPERIENCE/LEADERSHIP

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### Software Engineer, Columbus Website, Cimpres

September 2015 - Current

Built and maintained micro-services to deliver e-commerce solutions for the company's promotional website

- Architected and developed a reference management system for the CMS tool to maintain data integrity
- Collaborated with developers from teams across the company to support onboarding of new merchants
- Worked on website integration with new features providing manufacturing and technological enhancements
- Collaborated with designers to implement landing pages and enhance website's UI across platforms

### Business Systems Intern, AppNexus

June 2014 - August 2014

Built an integration tool to sync AppNexus' internal platform "console" with data from Salesforce. The tool consisted of a web-app and a Storm topology.

- Investigated current issues and worked with team's lead architect to design the integration tool
- Built a robust system by employing technologies like Jersey, RabbitMQ, DropWizard, Groovy, Storm
- Followed agile development framework "Scrum" and witnessed its adaptation to the company's newest team

### Software Engineering Intern, Vistaprint

June 2013 - August 2013

Designed and Implemented a "Fraud Detection Engine" for the Digital Products Team at Vistaprint.

- Organized cross-department meetings, worked with the Project Manager and investigated the existing system to create accurate project requirements
  - Used .NET Framework to create a back-end and integrated it with a neural network to allow self-learning
  - Converted the engine to a web application and closely integrated it with other internal tools at Vistaprint
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## PROJECTS/ACTIVITIES

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### Research Assistant, Human-Computer Interaction

Dec 2014-May 2015

Worked under the guidance of Professor Jeff Huang on "Rewind", a research project aimed at recreating audio and visual samples from a user's geo-location history

- Developed an engine to determine heuristics like mode of transport, indoor/outdoor, weather, time of day and population density; and pick samples from an audio library to perform mixing and generate audio clips

### Founded and co-developed "Brunomarketplace"

Sept 2013-May 2014

Designed and prototyped a university marketplace to serve as an e-commerce platform for enrolled students

- Developed requirements, surveyed students and designed a web application to serve as an alternative to untrustworthy craigslist posts and unorganized Facebook university group posts
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## BEYOND THE CODING

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- Authored a book "**Village 1104**": a fictional narrative about four teenagers in rural India and their endeavor to change their social and economic circumstances
- Tenor in "Shades of Brown" - a cappella group at Brown - organized and performed at various events