

# Anas Alhadi

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## EDUCATION

### Dalhousie University

*Bachelor's in Computer Science - First Class Honours - GPA: 4.1/4.3*

Jan. 2021 – May. 2025

Halifax, NS

## EXPERIENCE

### Research Assistant

*Dalhousie University*

Apr. 2024 – May. 2025

Halifax, NS

- Designed, Developed and Tested novel rule updating algorithms for the SCHC compression protocol used in IoT networks, with a focus on improving the protocol's performance in mobile networks.
- Leveraged the use of real deployment environments using esp32 devices as well as software level emulations to stress test my algorithms.
- Achieved impressive results in improving the compression ratios in which my contribution decreased network packet size by up to 72%

### Undergraduate Teaching Assistant

*Dalhousie University*

Aug. 2023 – Dec. 2024

Halifax, NS

- Lead lab teaching assistant, focused on managing the CI/CD pipelines on gitlab used to grade assignment submissions.
- Integrated the use of Bash and YAML scripts to automate administrative tasks, significantly reducing the work load on other teaching assistants.
- Instructed on Systems topics including C programming, basic Computer Architecture and UNIX operations.

## PROJECTS

### KeBaB | C++, SDSL Library

Aug. 2024 – Apr. 2025

- K-mer based breaking for finding Super Maximal Exact Matchings in a DNA reference. [Paper](#) [Code](#)
- Collaborated with experts to implement improved algorithms used in the identification of certain patterns in the human genome.
- Assisted in the Testing and Debugging of a relatively large code base.
- Evaluated the performance of our implementation.

### Dynamic Context Updating in SCHC | Python3, OpenSCHC, Scapy

Apr. 2024 – Apr. 2025

- Conducted a study that significantly enhanced the performance of an compression protocol [Paper](#) [Code](#)
- Introduced a novel dynamic rule updating algorithm for the SCHC protocol and integrated it into existing implementations of the protocol.
- Built an emulation testbed that was used to evaluate performance of the implementation under extreme network stress.

### Advanced Data Structures | GoLang, Python3

Aug. 2023 – Apr. 2024

- Collaborated with a classmate to implement and analyze non trivial data structures. [Contact](#) [Code](#)
- Implemented: Splay Trees, Van Emde Boas trees.
- Evaluated performance by stress testing the Data structures and compared results against the theoretical limits.

## TECHNICAL SKILLS

**Languages:** C/C++, Rust, Java, Python3, SQL, JavaScript

**Developer Tools:** Scapy, Git, Docker, WireShark, Makefile, GDB

**Frameworks:** Flask, Espresso, JUnit, Nodejs, HTMX, Tailwind

**Markup Languages:** LaTeX, Markdown, HTML

## AWARDS

**First Class Honours:** Awarded upon graduation to honours students that maintain a high academic standing

**Sexton Scholar:** Awarded each semester to students with a 3.85 or higher GPA, achieved in 10 consecutive semesters.

**Oman MoHE Scholarship:** Awarded to the top performing highschool students in the country, includes 4 years of paid university tuition.