# **SALEH ALGHUSSON**

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#### **EDUCATION**

**The University of Texas at Austin** Bachelor of Science, Computer Science

2014 - 2017

**Courses:** Algorithms and Complexity, Software Engineering, Modern Web Applications, Data Structures, Discrete Structures, Android Development, Database Management, Computer

Security, Computer Networks, Wireless Networks, Operating Systems

Certificates: Mobile Computing Certificate, CCNA1

Harvard Extension School Advanced Mobile App Development. Swift, iOS

Summer 2017

## **TECHNICAL SKILLS**

- Proficient in C#, C++, Java (Android, JUnit, Maven), JavaScript (D3, JQuery), Python (Django, Flask), SQL & Swift.
- Familiar with C, Objective-C, Ruby (Rails), JavaScript (React, React Native, Node), Scala & Haskell.
- Tools used Apache Server, Apiary, Git, Google Cloud Platform, AWS, Docker, Travis CI & Jenkins.
- Concepts worked with Agile, Unit testing, Continuous Integration, REST API, Containers, Virtual Environments & MVC.

#### **EXPERIENCE**

Kiva – Fellow Jan 2018 – Jul 2018

- Automated a data moving process that took 4 workhours to accomplish every day. This was done by deploying a webhook to receive
  the data and a writing script to manipulate it, saving time and removing the possibility of human error.
- Interviewed, trained and managed 3 staff members.
- Represented Kiva at 20+ workshops, panels & seminars, communicating Kiva's complicated loan product.

## **University of Texas Speleological Society** – *President*

2015 - 2017

- Helped write a new constitution and restructure the organization. Attendance to meetings/trips increased by 50%.
- Held 5+ training sessions to teach and test beginners on climbing rope. A skill that they used to safely climb into/out of caves.

## Casa Marianella – Bike Mechanic / ESL Teacher / Volunteer

2014 - 2016

• Built/maintained 50+ bicycles for community members to use. Taught English as a Second Language class twice a week.

## King Fahd University of Petroleum and Minerals – Teachers Assistant

2012 - 2013

• Taught weekly review sessions for Discrete Mathematics (CS 253). Held office hours and graded homeworks/quizzes.

## **PERSONAL PROJECTS**

**Voice Garden** – *Hackathon project* github.com/girh/VoiceGarden

2018

- Connected a Google Home to an Arduino equipped with a humidity sensor, thermometer and a water pump for plants.
- Wrote a Node.js webhook to access Arduino data from Google Firebase in real-time
- Designed a conversation flow that listens for questions & commands then respectively reads aloud live data from the sensors or activates the pump to water certain plants.

# **Cambridge Art Navigator** – *Personal project* github.com/qirh/CambridgeArt

2017

- Developed an iOS application to display public art installations all over the city of Cambridge, MA using Swift & Xcode.
- Pulled data from the city's open data portal API and displayed all art installations in both an interactive map and a detailed list.

# Texas First – Personal project github.com/qirh/TexasFirst Chrome Web Store

2017

- Published an extension to Google Chrome. When activated, it will loop over any list of states and puts "TX"/"Texas" at the top.
- Used jQuery to manipulate the DOM and Bootstrap for the pop-up & options menus.

# Stock Exchange Monitor – University project github.com/qirh/jones salehjones.com

2016

- Built a full stack web application that displays and compares stock market information from different markets simultaneously.
- Pulled data from Yahoo finance API. Also, developed a public API for local data. Thoroughly documented the project on Git Wiki.

### **HOBBIES AND INTERSTS**

Language Skills – <u>Fluent</u>: English & Arabic. <u>B-level</u>: Spanish & French. <u>A-level</u>: Hebrew, Portuguese & German **Passion Projects** – Traveled to 5/7 continents, ~40 countries. Bicycled solo across 6 countries. Similarly, also traveled across half of the contiguous US & North Mexico by motorcycle