Rukmal M. Weerawarana

EDUCATION

University of Washington (UW) Michael G. Foster School of Business

Seattle, WA

BABA Finance & Business Economics

June 2017

- Minor in Applied Mathematics, with a Quantitative Fundamentals of Computational Finance Certificate through the CFRM program
- Junior class standing

The British School in Colombo (BSC)

Colombo, Sri Lanka (LK)

 International Baccalaureate Diploma (IB DP), with a focus in Mathematics, Physics and Chemistry June 2013

SKILLS

Leadership

• Computer programming knowledge

Strong analytical skills
• Extremely proficient with

- Extensive prior research experience
- Goal-oriented time management

WORK

Software Engineering Intern

ZocialGPA, Inc.

Seattle, WA

02/2015 - 01/2016

Worked closely with a small team to design and implement all parts of the ZocialGPA web application

MS Office and Adobe CS

- Created a dedicated API for select application modules for easier future expansion to mobile platforms
- Performed cost analyses of infrastructure costs across IAS providers to determine the most cost-effective deployment schema for the system
- Designed highly-efficient algorithms for calculating ZocialGPA scores using data from large, non relational (i.e. NoSQL) databases

Software Engineering Intern

WSO2, Inc.

Colombo, LK

06/2014 - 09/2014

- Served as a member of the Apache Stratos team that originally developed the Platform as a Service (PaaS) framework, prior to its donation to the Apache Software Foundation
- Investigated the viability of alternative hypervisors as replacements for the default Stratos virtualization engine
- Developed a new user interface for the Stratos Management Console using the JaggeryJS MVC framework, which was eventually shipped with the subsequent major release of the platform

Undergraduate Research Assistant

UW Mullins Laboratory

Seattle, WA

04/2014 - 08/2014

- Acted as the sole student-volunteer scientific programmer to assist the lead Scientific Programmer
- Developed applications to determine mutation patterns in the DNA sequences of HIV patients, to assist with targeted drug therapy

ADDITIONAL ACTIVITIES

Member

UW Advanced Propulsion Lab

Seattle, WA

03/2014 - Present

Proposed a Software Architecture schema for the Lunar CubeSat satellite to be launched into orbit around the moon in 2018

Treasurer

UW Sri Lanka Student Association

Seattle, WA

09/2014 - Present

02/2014 - Present

- Plan the allocation of organization funds across three main events throughout the school year
- Act as a club liaison to help promote the knowledge of Sri Lankan culture on campus

Member UW Hackers Seattle, WA

Original member of the UW Hackers organization (initially called Sudo Soldiers)

• Regularly contribute to meetings of UW's largest on-campus *Maker* community

Attendee Hackathons

Seattle, WA

09/2015 - Present

• I take pride in competing in multiple Hackathons throughout the year, including Dubhacks and the Facebook Student hackathon. Most of my work is Open Source, see: http://github.com/rukmal

Concert Voluntee

Conscious Crew

Seattle, WA

10/2015 - Preser

• I volunteer at large concerts in Washington state, and act as a first responder to incidents occurring during the concert involving suspected drug overdoses and other potentially fatal incidents

Community Service Representative

BSC Community Organization

Colombo, LK

08/2011 - 07/2013

Participated and assisted with the organization of countless community service projects ranging from assisting at Elderly Homes to conducting fundraising events at BSC to benefit various non-for-profit organizations