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# SHAH SYED

## EDUCATION

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**Sept. 6<sup>th</sup> 2009 – Present - Ryerson University**

- BSc in Computer Science: pending graduation December 2014
- Relevant interests include networking, algorithms, machine learning & distributed systems

## TECHNICAL SKILLS

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**Primary languages:** Java, C, C++

**Other languages:** HTML & CSS, JavaScript, PHP, MySQL, Bash, Ruby

**Operating Systems:** GNU/Linux (Ubuntu, Debian), Windows & Mac operating systems and their software

**Other:** Google Apps (Docs, Slides, Sheets) Microsoft Office (Word, PowerPoint, Excel), and Adobe CC Suite (Photoshop, Illustrator, Dreamweaver)

## WORK EXPERIENCE

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**Sept. 26<sup>th</sup>, 2013 – Apr. 30<sup>th</sup>, 2014 – IMDC (Inclusive Media and Design Centre)**

- Worked as a junior software developer (Java)
- Assisted in the software development of an inclusive & interactive multimodal entertainment system enabling tactile interpretations of audio and visual media content

**Apr. 30<sup>th</sup>, 2013 – July 3<sup>rd</sup>, 2013 – Workshop (Ryerson Architectural Department)**

- Worked as an Architecture Workshop assistant (CNC Machine, AutoCAD, 3D printer)
- Helped students with projects, as well as assisting in the completion of various tasks within the building and learning proper technique and application of tools

**Sept. 26<sup>th</sup>, 2012 – Apr. 30<sup>th</sup>, 2013 – Resource Centre (Ryerson Architectural Department)**

- Worked as a Web Development support assistant (PHP, MySQL, HTML & CSS)
- Maintained the Faculty of Architecture website and solved any problems related to the design and structure of the site

**Aug. 15<sup>th</sup> 2005 – Sept. 6<sup>th</sup>, 2011 – Canadian National Exhibition (CNE)**

- Worked as a Gate Manager
- Provided support for admissions staff as well as managed traffic at entrances and exits, and provided customer service in relation to and outside the grounds

## PROJECTS

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### **Ryerson Computer Programming Club (CPC)**

- Currently a member of CPC
- Learning and practicing algorithm-based programming problems based on time constraints

### **Joy Pad Inc.**

- President and Co-Founder of internet based arts collective
- Implemented custom blog system and edited backend for web-comic like interface

### **simple-tictactoe**

- Text-based 2 Player Tic Tac Toe game in C++

### **Space-Invaders-Clone**

- Space Invaders videogame clone in Java made for an intro to software engineering course
- Developed in a team implementing software development processes and revision control management

### **Maze-Ruby**

- Generates a random maze with a single solution in Ruby

## AWARDS AND HONORS

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**Canada Study Grant**, September 2013

**Ontario Access Grant**, September 2013

**Ryerson Entrance Scholarship**, July 2009

**Creative Communications Award**, October 2009

**Honor Roll Student, Grades 11-12**, 2007-2009

**Computer Science Award**, October 2008

## PROJECT LINKS

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**JavaPoker:** <http://www.scs.ryerson.ca/~s37syed/projects/java-poker>

**Space-Invaders-Clone:** <http://www.scs.ryerson.ca/~s37syed/projects/space-invaders-clone/>

**Maze-Ruby:** <https://github.com/s37syed/maze-ruby>

**Joy Pad:** <http://www.joy-pad.com>

**More Projects:** <http://www.github.com/s37syed>