# SHASHANK SABHLOK

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# **SUMMARY OF QUALIFICATIONS**

- Motivated, creative team-player with experience in leadership roles and solid communication skills acquired through 4 years' worth of international volunteer experience.
- Attained competency in circuit board debugging and hands-on experience with oscilloscopes, transistors, and digital multi-meters, through academic lab work and UW Race Car Team. Experienced in MULTISIM (Circuit Design Software) & fundamental proficiency with Altera Quartus. Working on Arduino side projects.
- Proficient in: C#, C++, Selenium, MATLAB, MySQL, HTML5, CSS3. Self-taught knowledge of Python, ASP.Net, VBA, LUA and familiar with VHDL, Android Development (Java), ARM, JavaScript.
- Extensive knowledge in Microsoft Office Suite & GIMP. Confident with Windows XP, Vista, 7, 8 and Mac OS. Competent with Active Directory, Service Manager Console and SAP (Level 1). Familiar with re-imaging computers, and AS 400 Applications.

## PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

## Stochastic Computing Research Assistant

May 2015 - Present

• Shortly beginning a research project involving hardware modelling with Dr. Gaudet, Associate Chair, Electrical Engineering department.

#### Quality Assurance Developer, Savision

January 2015-April 2015

- Wrote various unit tests for Savion's latest application in C# and Selenium. Whetted the skill of being resourceful whilst operating in a start-up like environment.
- Developed the back-end logic for the homepage of the application in ASP.Net MVC. Gained insight into SCOM.
- Created LUA Scripts to generate fake IT environments that further aided the development and testing processes.
- Manually tested the entire application across all platforms and reported bugs to JIRA. Authored the complete testing documentation for the application.

#### IS Analyst, Service Desk -Maple Leaf Foods

**April 2014-August 2014** 

- Provided support to users concerning problems related to SAP, AS400, Cisco VPN, Windows, Microsoft Office along with computers and network printers used in the organisation. Acheived a 75% first call resolution rate.
- Acquired skills to write and update procedures and knowledge articles for the Service Desk.
- Pursued various SAP support teams to gain a better insight into different SAP environments.
- Recommended by manager for ability to work well with colleagues and initiative in requesting additional work.

## School Prefect - St. Mary's Catholic High (Dubai, UAE)

March 2010-May 2013

- Handpicked by the Principal and faculty for 3 years in a row.
- Assigned responsibilities to students while executing various events conducted by the school.
- Mentored junior students academically and in extra-curricular activities.
- Consolidated administrative records at the principal's office.

## **EDUCATION**

## Candidate for Bachelor of Applied Science, Electrical Engineering

Sept 2013-Present

University of Waterloo (Waterloo, Ontario)

Relevant courses: Electronics I & II, Data Structures & Algorithms (C++ & UNIX), Numerical Methods (MATLAB), Embedded Systems, Digital Circuits and Systems (VHDL), Digital Computers (ARM Assembly), Macroeconomics.

# **PROJECTS**

## Personal Website - shashanksabhlok.github.io

March 2015 - Present

• Applied self-taught knowledge of HTML5, CSS3 and JavaScript to completely revamp the design of an opensource template so that it effectively conveys information. Acquired knowledge about the bootstrap framework.

## FPGA Programming

**January 2014 - April 2014** 

• Programmed FPGA boards with VHDL, so that the switches and LEDs respond according to the logic required. Lab work included simple models of a car controller, elevator controller and a traffic light controller.

## **Android Navigation App**

**January 2014 - April 2014** 

• Used in-built sensors in an android device to create a pedometer application which detects and logs footsteps through a state machine, and combines sensor's readings to track the user's position on a model of the physical world.

#### **VOLUNTEER EXPERIENCE**

Special Needs Dept., St. Mary's Catholic High School (Dubai, UAE)

October 2012 - March 2013

• Tutored children with ADHD in Math and English on a weekly basis, all of whom showed a significant improvement in their testing scores.

# Jibanjyoti Welfare Association (Orissa, India)

**Summers 2010 - 2013** 

- Worked with individuals with mental and physical disabilities, engaging them in activities like drawing, painting, singing and reading.
- Assisted in administrative work, such as communicating with clients via e-mail.

#### Head Fundraiser, St. Mary's Catholic High School (Dubai, UAE)

**September 2011 - May 2012** 

- Led a team of volunteers to organize bake sales and other activities to raise funds in school for building water wells in Philippines, in collaboration with CFARM a NGO based in the Philippines.
- Efficaciously worked as a part of a team to spread awareness about the project throughout the school campus

#### Divine Light Trust (Mussoorie, India)

July 2009 & July 2011

Taught impoverished individuals basic Math, English and about personal hygiene.

## **AWARDS & CERTIFICATIONS**

- Six Sigma White Belt completed at Maple Leaf Foods Inc.(2014)
- University of Waterloo President's Scholarship of Distinction for exceptional academic achievements in high school (2013).
- University of Waterloo Nortel Networks undergraduate entrance scholarship awarded for involvement in extracurricular activities and excellent high school academic record (2013).
- Certificate of merit for academic achievements in "O" Levels (2012) awarded by St. Mary's Catholic High School, Dubai. Graduated in top five percent of the class.

## **ACTIVITIES AND INTERESTS**

- Member of the University of Waterloo Finance Association.
- Former member of the University of Waterloo Race Car team.
- Tennis, cricket, swimming, and soccer.
- Guitar, travel and reading.