# Sidra Hussain

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#### **EDUCATION**

**The George Washington University**, School of Engineering and Applied Science Bachelor of Science in Computer Science with a minor in International Affairs Cumulative GPA: 4.0/4.0

Washington, DC August 2020 – May 2024

• Awards: GWU Presidential Academic Scholarship, Dean's Honors List

Relevant Coursework: Software Engineering, Algorithms and Data Structures, Introduction to Software Development, Discrete Structures I, Engineering Orientation, Computer Science Orientation, Calculus I, Calculus II, University Physics I

### **Great Neck South High School**

Great Neck, NY

Cumulative GPA: 4.0/4.0 (unweighted)

September 2016 – June 2020

• Awards: Social Studies Department Forensics Award, Drama Department Service Award, GNPS Television Excellence in Broadcast Production Award

#### **TECHNICAL SKILLS**

Programming Languages: Java, Python, C

Software: Vim, VSC, Microsoft Office (Word, PowerPoint, Excel, SharePoint), Final Cut Pro

#### **WORK EXPERIENCE**

**Tezos TQ Group**Summer Intern

New York, NY

July 2019 – August 2019

- Created competitive analysis of 11 competing blockchains' developer portals, including Ethereum, ThunderCore and EOS to improve Tezos developer portal
- Created summary of areas needing improvement in Tezos developer portal for co-founder's use
- Built a betting program in ligo to report on the ease of the on-boarding process to coding in ligo and highlight areas for improvement

### **GNPS Television**, Great Neck Public Schools

Great Neck, NY

Student Employee/Editor

June 2016 – June 2018

- Led and directed film crew of 20+ people to film live community events broadcasted on Cablevision 75 and Verizon Fios Channel 32 viewed by approximately 7,000 people
- Edited and reviewed over 20 films and television episodes that were aired on Cablevision 75 and Verizon Fios Channel 32 viewed by approximately 7,000 people
- Identified inefficient equipment storage; proposed and implemented a new organization system, which greatly increased department efficiency overall and for last minute shoots

#### ACTIVITIES

## George Washington University Parliamentary Debate Society

Washington, DC May 2020 – Present

Vice President of Operations

- Responsible for registering 30+ students for debate tournaments across the United States
- Organized weekly practices for 30+ students that involved lectures, practice debates, and public speaking drills
- Qualified for and competed at the American Parliamentary Debate Association National Tournament in 2021

# BlockchainsForSchools, Hack Club 501(c)(3) nonprofit organization

New York, NY

April 2019 – June 2020

Co-President

- Created Summer Immersion Internship Program to provide 64 high school and college students hands on experience in the blockchain industry at over 20 participating companies
- Organized mentorship program connecting blockchain professionals with high school students and held group meetings at over 10 different NYC blockchain offices
- Led team meetings and delegated tasks to the 45+ members on the BlockchainsForSchools team, such as reaching out to companies, organizing events, and staffing events

# FIRST Robotics Team 2638, Great Neck South High School

Great Neck, NY

Building and Design Team Leader

September 2017 – June 2020

- Collaborated with 150+ team members to design and build a 120 pound robot that completed tasks
- Designed and built robots to complete tasks, such as grabbing and placing milkcrates in buckets, placing disks, grabbing balls, and using a bar to lift itself one foot off the ground
- Assisted with changing bumpers and addressing mechanical problems in the pit at five competitions