Aayush Sood

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EDUCATION

Bay View High School

Secondary School - Grade 11

Upper Tantallon, NS Sep. 2023 – Present

ACCOMPLISHMENTS

Some of my notable achievements, including but not limited to:

Since 2019

- SHAD UNB Valedictorian SHAD is a national STEAM program recognizing youth for excellence in innovation, leadership, and academics 2025
- Recipient of the Nova Scotia Lieutenant Governor's <u>Education Medal</u>, awarded for outstanding leadership and academic achievement - 2025
- Placed second in IWK Youth <u>AI Pitch</u> Competition at the Atlantic AI Summit 2025, hosted by Saint Mary's University (SMU) - 2025
- Section Leader in <u>Stanford's</u> Code in Place (CIP) program, teaching Python and supporting beginner learners in a global online classroom 2025
- IT Coordinator for Nova Scotia Secondary School Students' Association (NSSSA) since April 2025; Public Relations Manager September 2024 to June 2025
- Received Certificate of Distinction in Senior Division of University of Waterloo's Canadian Computing Competition (CCC), Score: 45/75 - 2025; made <u>Honour Rolls</u> and received Certificate of Distinction in Junior division, Score: 66/75 - 2024
- Placed third in Lockheed Martin <u>CYBERQUEST</u> Competition, demonstrating skills in cryptography, forensics, and network security - 2025
- Competitively programming on <u>CodeForces.com</u>, targeting rating above 1600+ by the end of 2025 since 2024
- Completed Harvard's CS50x: Introduction to Computer Science course on edX, gaining a foundational understanding of Computer Science principles and proficiency in C 2024
- Cabinet Member on Nova Scotia Minister of Education's Student Advisory Council (MSAC) 2024 to 2025
- Executive of Bay View High School's Student Council and Founder / President of the Technology Club since 2023
- Completed 90+ challenges on <u>LeetCode.com</u>, improving proficiency in data structures and algorithms since 2022; Completed 50+ challenges on FrontendMentor.io, focussed on responsive web design and accessibility - since 2020

Projects

IWKids - Mobile App | React Native, JavaScript, Expo, Git, OpenAI API

Apr 2025 – May 2025

- Developed an AI-powered mobile app to help families navigate emergency room visits at the IWK
- Created for the Youth AI Pitch Competition hosted at the Atlantic Canada AI Summit in May 2025

Bay View High School - Mobile App | React Native, JavaScript, Expo, Git

Jul 2024 – Sep 2024

- Developed a Bay View High School Mobile app to improve communication between staff and student body
- Provides students with centralized to school news, announcements, events, and essential information
- Application submitted as a final project for Harvard's CS50x course

Ben Eater's 6502 Project | Python, Assembly

Apr 2024 – Jul 2024

• A collection of hardware bread-boarding projects surrounding the 6502 CPU, inspired by Ben Eater

CoinDeno Web / Mobile | React.js, React Native, REST, Git, Firebase, CoinGecko APIs Aug 2021 - Sep 2022

- Created a React website that allows tracking and portfolio management of various Cryptocurrencies
- Utilized React, Firebase, and Redux for application development, with CoinGecko REST APIs for cryptocurrency data integration
- Created a mobile-enabled version for iOS and Android

SKILLS

Programming Languages: Python, C++, JavaScript, SQL, HTML, CSS/SCSS

Programming Frameworks: React, React Native, Node.js

Developer Tools: Firebase, Cloudflare, Netlify, Git, GitHub, iOS, Android, Yarn, NPM

Programming Libraries: Tailwind, Bootstrap

Productivity Tools and OS: MS Office, MS Teams, Google Suite, Jira, Adobe Photoshop, OBS Studio, Linux