

# Tushar Pankaj

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## EDUCATION

### UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA, BERKELEY

#### BS IN ELECTRICAL ENGINEERING AND COMPUTER SCIENCES

Expected May 2019 | Berkeley, CA

Conc. in Computer Science and

Engineering

College of Engineering

Cum. GPA: 3.73 / 4.0

Technical GPA: 4.0 / 4.0

Junior Standing

### WESTVIEW HIGH SCHOOL

Grad. Jun 2015 | San Diego, CA

Cum. GPA: 4.38 / 4.0 (weighted)

Honor Roll (All Quarters)

## LINKS

Github <https://github.com/tpankaj>

LinkedIn <https://linkedin.com/in/tpankaj>

## COURSEWORK

### UNDERGRADUATE

Structure and Interpretation of Computer Programs

Designing Information Devices and Systems I

Circuits and Electronics (edX)

Machine Learning (Coursera)

Multivariable Calculus

Vector Calculus

Linear Algebra

Differential Equations

Electricity & Magnetism

## SKILLS

### PROGRAMMING

Proficient:

C++ • Java • Python • HTML •  $\LaTeX$

Skilled:

CSS • PHP • Bash

Familiar:

Android • JavaScript • MATLAB

MySQL

### TOOLS

Proficient:

Git • Linux

Familiar:

Subversion • Mercurial

## EXPERIENCE

### KEEVIO, INC. | RESEARCH ENGINEER INTERN

Jun 2015–Jan 2016 | San Diego, CA

- Designed and implemented a logging system for usage patterns of a music recommendation system
- Designed, developed, and tested systems for automatic key estimation of a song from the audio signal, using signal processing and machine learning

## PROJECTS

### SAN DIEGO ROBOTICS 101 | SOFTWARE ENGINEER

Oct 2013–Jul 2015 | San Diego, CA

- Co-founded a team of high school students for the RoboSub competition
- Designed, developed, and tested computer vision-based targeting software for autonomous control
- Designed, implemented, and tested custom two-way UDP-based protocol to communicate with a Xilinx Microzed board

### WESTVIEW ROBOTICS TEAM | COMPUTER VISION PROJECT MANAGER

Jan 2012–Jun 2015 | San Diego, CA

- Designed, developed, and tested computer vision-based targeting and autonomous shooter control software
- Designed, developed, and taught a 10-week course on C++, Linux, Raspberry Pi, and OpenCV to a group of high school students

### NOISEMES RESEARCH PROJECT, UC SAN DIEGO

Jun 2014–Aug 2014 | San Diego, CA

- Ran experiments to classify YouTube videos based on their audio tracks using machine learning algorithms on noisemes
- 40% accuracy (F1 score), with details at <http://tspankaj.com/pub/noisemes.pdf>
- Advisors: Prof. Gert Lanckriet, Dr. Emanuele Coviello

### WESTVIEW KEY CLUB | WEBMASTER

Nov 2013–Jun 2015 | San Diego, CA

- Designed and implemented a database-driven **website** to track community service events and hours for 250 users
- Set up and administered Apache on a virtual private server with a domain name

## AWARDS

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| 2014 | Top 30/600 GPAs, Fraternity of Academic and Civic Excellence       |
| 2013 | Software Specialist, Westview Robotics, Mentor-awarded             |
| 2012 | Innovator of the Year, Westview Robotics, Mentor-awarded           |
| 2010 | San Diego County Board of Supervisors Certificate of Appreciation  |
| 2010 | 1st place/50, FIRST Tech Challenge, San Diego Regional Competition |

## EXTRACURRICULARS

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| 2014–2015 | Vice President of Technology    | Nuptse Foundation         |
| 2012–2015 | Webmaster                       | Westview Key Club         |
| 2012–2013 | Founder and President           | Westview Programming Club |
| 2011–2015 | Computer Vision Project Manager | Westview Robotics Team    |