

# Vaibhav Sen Malla

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## Education and Skills

The Pennsylvania State University	University Park, PA
Bachelor of Science: Information Sciences and Technology (Software Design & Development focus)	Expected: Dec 2020
Major GPA: 3.60, Cumulative GPA: 3.26	
Dean's List for College of IST (Spring 2018, Fall 2019, Spring 2020), Gamma Tau Phi Honors Society	
Programming Languages: Java, C++, Python, JavaScript, HTML, CSS, SQL	
Frameworks/Technologies: Adobe XD, InVision, Bootstrap, MongoDB, Node.js, Express.js, React.js, Scrum, Visio, Netbeans	

## Professional Experience

### Cofounder - Gage Ventures

Startup co-founded with 4 other members mentored at Happy Valley LaunchBox program

University Park, PA  
Feb 2020 - July 2020

- Founded a startup focused on EdTech solutions such as a behaviour tracking tool for ADHD
- Led technical side: planned out software architecture, designed wireframes, and led MVP development
- Received \$15,000 in funding from the Summer Founders program (top 6 teams out of 46)

### Team Tech. Lead - Nittany AI Challenge (The Pennsylvania State University)

Annual competition for developing products utilizing AI to solve global issues

University Park, PA  
Jan 2020 - June 2020

- Entered 2 projects into the competition, both won first phase (ADHD Screening Game and Team Builder)
- Developed prototype of ADHD Screening Game
- Top 20 out of 67 teams, won \$1000 in rewards

### Undergraduate Research Intern (The Pennsylvania State University)

Penn State's College of Information Sciences and Technology

University Park, PA  
May 2019 - May 2020

- Aided research in the field of Human-Computer Interaction
- Prototyped 2 graphical user-interfaces to be proposed as part of research project
- Conducted 6 user experience/usability studies for the "Third-Eye" project, aiming to develop/modify the way visually impaired/blind individuals navigate and perform their daily activities

### Crew Leader (Penn State Pollock Dining Commons)

Part-time catering services for Penn State students and faculty members

University Park, PA  
Oct 2018 - Present

- Led and supported teams of approx. 10 coworkers to function efficiently in fast-paced work environments
- Trained and mentored new student-employees on procedures to meet quality standards of service

## Projects

### Rent-a-Skateboard

- Full-stack development of a skateboard sharing service. Built RESTful API using Express.js

Apr 2020 - May 2020

### Munchies - Personal Recipe App

- Developed recipe web app with HTML, JavaScript, CSS, and APIs to retrieve ingredient data

Mar 2020 - Apr 2020

### Search & Rescue Navigation App

- Developed using JavaFX and MVC architecture to help first responders locate victims in disaster events

Sept 2019 - Dec 2019

### Carnival Video Game

- Constructed a game in Java utilizing concepts like timed mechanics, persistent data storage, etc.

Sept 2018 - Dec 2018

## Volunteer Experience

### Web Developer, Virufy

- Built and managed company website and ensured it met quality standards
- Collaborated with product designers and UI/UX team to implement UI changes

Remote  
Sept 2020 - Oct 2020

### Volunteer Assistant Teacher, Pimlico Elementary/Middle School

- Week-long alternative break service trip teaching math and English to first-graders

Baltimore, MD  
Mar 2020

### Event Organization Volunteer, The Pennsylvania State University

- Ushered fans and helped organize seating areas at Penn State's football games

University Park, PA  
Oct 2018 - Mar 2020

### Relief Volunteer, Child Workers in Nepal (CWIN)

- Packaged supplies, and food; sending out approx. 100 crates daily to victims of the Nepal earthquakes

Kathmandu, Nepal  
Jun 2015 - Jul 2015