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# Yuwei Xu

## **TECHNICAL SKILLS**

#### **Expertise**

In Decreasing Familiarity:

- Java/Android Development
- Python/Pygame
- Ruby/Rails
- HTML/CSS/Bootstrap
- Racket
- Javascript

#### Tools

- Command Prompt
- Git/Github
- Android Studio

#### **FDUCATION**

#### **University of Waterloo**

Bachelor of Computer Science GPA 92.6% | Waterloo, ON

#### **Vincent Massey Secondary**

Distinguished Honor Roll 92% Final Average | Windsor, ON

#### LINKS

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# **ACTIVITIES**

- UW App Dev Club
- UW CS Club
- UW Finance Association

# **INTERESTS**

- Hackathons
- Mathematics
- Trading
- Design
- Fashion
- Badminton

# **PROJECTS**

#### **Sonata** | Android App | Nov 2014 - Present

- Music app for creating playlists using audio from YouTube videos
- Implemented multi-threading to handle playback and animation
- Integrated Android 5.0 design guidelines to build an elegant UI/UX
- Winning hack at a Velocity sponsored hackathon

#### FX News | Android App | Rails API | Aug 2014 - Present

- Minimalistic App that displays the current week's forex economic events
- Wrote API to create allow custom queries and increased loading speed
- Used Mechanize gem to scrape data from news website
- Implemented HTTP Requests, SQLite, AsyncTask

#### Find | Android App | Nov 2014

- App that allows friends to locate the exact positions of one another
- Implemented Google Maps & Firebase APIs for real-time updates

#### Swarm | Java Game | April 2013

- Used object-oriented programming to develop a shooter game
- Created with Java Swing and Java AWT

#### Tetris Battle | Python Game | May - June 2012

- Recreated the popular Facebook game with similar design
- Created a two-player mode to allow simultaneous play

### **EXPERIENCE**

# Campus Residence Council | Sept - Dec 2014

- Planned and organized monthly residence-wide student events
- Increased attendance by advertising and informing residents

# **ACHIEVEMENTS**

# René Descartes Scholarship | May 2014

- One of 15 recipients of a UWaterloo National Math Scholarship
- Awarded due to performance on Math and Computing Competitions

# **USAMO Participant** | April 2013

- One of 270 from 70000 students to write the USA Mathematics Olympiad
- Chosen due to performance on the AMC/AIME math competitions

#### **USACO Silver Division** | Jan 2014

- Promoted to the silver division of the USA Computing Olympiad
- Chosen due to performance on the January 2014 online contest