# **Rachel Yuan**

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### **EDUCATION**

# The University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill

May 2019

- Bachelor of Science in Computer Science
- Relevant Coursework: Algorithms and Analysis, Data Structures, Modern Web Programming, Robotics with Legos, Computer Organization, Models of Language and Computation, Computers and Society, Discrete Structures, Multivariable Calculus, Linear Algebra, Introduction to Probability
- **GPA**: 3.5

North Carolina School of Science and Math,  ${\it High\ School}$ 

June 2015

### TECHNICAL EXPERIENCE

Pearl Hacks, All-Female Hackathon at UNC Chapel Hill

- Collaborated with three other students to engineer 1-2-3-4cast, an Android mobile application that suggests an outfit based on the user's weather and location, with the use of Android Studio
- Implemented **Google Maps API** in order to receive the user's location
- Created a tool to parse JSONs in order to dissect information from Weather Underground API, a weather API
- Set up user interface with XML

Raspberry Jam, Hardware Hackathon at UNC Chapel Hill

- Used Python and Raspberry Pi to create Moviebot, a Twitter bot that tweets a random movie hourly
- Wrote a program to extract data from a JSON from a OMDb API, a movie database API
- Sent POST request to Twitter API via Twython, a Twitter Python library

#### LEADERSHIP EXPERIENCE

COMP 380, Undergraduate Teaching Assistant

August 2017—Current

- Help teach COMP 380: Introduction to Digital Culture, a class with around 80 students
- Lead discussions about topics such as the gender disparity in tech fields and the history of computers

#### **Pearl Hacks,** *Marketing Director*

August 2016—Current

- Organize Pearl Hacks, North Carolina's oldest all-female hackathon
- Oversee communication between the rest of the executive board and the participants
- Coordinate creation of the official website by the website programming team

#### Women in Computer Science, Vice President

August 2016—Current

- Provide a safe space for women in tech to support and meet other women in tech
- Hold workshops to teach basic programming skills

# COMP 401, Undergraduate Teaching Assistant

August 2016—May 2017

- Helped teach COMP 401: Introduction to Object-Oriented Programming, a class with hundreds of students
- Held 10 hours of office hours each week to explain assignments and aid students in debugging
- Assisted graduate teaching assistant in leading weekly recitation

# **SKILLS & HONORS**

TECHNICAL: Java, Python, C, Linux, Unix, HTML, CSS, JavaScript, jQuery, PHP, SQL

**LANGUAGE:** Chinese (Conversational)

HONORS: Dean's List, Honors Carolina, National Merit Finalist, AP Scholar with Distinction

EXTRACURRICULARS: Moonlight Hip Hop Dance Crew