# Jason Sihua Zhao

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## Work Experience / Skills

### **Programming Languages**

Java
ASP. Net / C#
Javascript / jQuery
Matlab
C

Web Development 2012 - 2014

Design and built dynamic websites for school, non-profit organization, etc. See more at www.jszhao.com.

## Research (Volunteer)

2011 - 2014

- **Biomedical Engineering at IUPUI:** <u>Matlab</u>. Helped design cell segmentation and tracking algorithm to better analyze angiogenesis from growth-factor delivering scaffolding.
- **Computational Chemistry at Eli Lilly:** <u>Python</u>. Built an algorithm to compare molecules (antihistamines) based on fingerprint and molecular descriptor analysis. <u>Siemens Competition Semifinalists</u>.
- **Autonomous Vehicles at Park Tudor:** 2 year research project that concluded in a review paper of the current state-of-the-art and a one and a half hour long presentation.

#### IT Intern at Cummins, Inc.

2012

Reviewed and tested Perl application that monitored latency in networks in China and India. Learned about corporate information technologies.

## Leadership

CyberPatriot 2012 - 2014

A national high school cyber defense competition. Team as captain at the national finals in DC.

• Nationals: 2014

• Semi-Nationals: 2012, 2013

## **Cross Country / Track**

2010 - 2014

Varsity team captain. Regional qualifier. MVP award. All-Conference. Academic All-Conference. 5k: 17:04

#### Orchestra / Renaissance Ensemble / New World Youth Symphony

2011-201

Violin for 9 years. Concert master of school orchestra. Renaissance Ensemble leader. 1st Violin in New World. National orchestra award. ISSMA State Gold.

## Major Awards / Recognition

National Merit Finalist	2013, 2014
Siemens Competition National Semi-finalist	2014
Purdue University Presidential Scholarship	2014
National AP Scholar / AP Scholar with Distinction	2012 - 2014
Cum Laude Society Inductee	2014

## **Academics**

Purdue University 2014 - 2018

Expected graduation: 2018. BS in CS from College of Science. Honors College. Presidential Scholarship.

Park Tudor School 2014

Graduated Cum Laude. Global Scholar.