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Technical Skills

Languages: Python, C/C++, Rust, JavaScript, HTML, CSS, SQL

Tools & Libraries: PyTorch, CoreML, SDL, Svelte/SvelteKit, Flask, SQLite, Tauri Areas: Voice AI, Web frontend & backend, Graphics, Game engines, Unix/POSIX

Personal Projects

Senko

senko.sh

- A very fast, accurate speaker diarization pipeline.
- 1 hour of audio processed in 5 seconds on RTX 4090+Ryzen 9 7950X, and in 7.7 seconds on Apple M3. 17x and 42x faster than Pyannote 3.1, respectively, while maintaining good accuracy.
- 13.5% DER on VoxConverse, 13.3% on AISHELL-4, 26.5% on AMI-IHM.
- A heavily optimized and slightly modified version of the diarization pipeline found in the 3D-Speaker project.

Zanshin

Jun 2025 - Present

zanshin.sh

Svelte/SvelteKit, Python, Flask, Rust

- A novel media player that allows you to navigate by speaker.
- Visualize who speaks when and for how long, jump/skip speaker segments, set different playback speeds for each speaker, auto-skip speakers.
- Svelte/SvelteKit frontend, Python backend using Flask with SQLite DB.
- Packaging done from scratch for macOS, with Tauri launcher.

Wolfenstein 3D Reimplementation

github.com/hamzaq2000/wolf3d-reimpl-rs

Jan 2023 - Present Rust, SDL2, C++, CMake

- From-scratch reimplementation of the classic 1992 game, Wolfenstein 3D.
- Raycasting-powered renderer, texture mapping, doors, enemies, sprite animation, shooting, custom maps.
- Next features to implement: enemy AI, more weapons, parser for loading original game levels, minimap, and (aspirationally) networked multiplayer.

Curricular Projects

Simple Shell

CMPT 201: Systems Programming - Oct 2023

C, CMake

Custom Memory Allocator

CMPT 201: Systems Programming - Nov 2023

github.com/hamzaq2000/mem-alloc

github.com/hamzaq2000/simple-shell

C, CMake

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Work Experience

Dorigo Systems

May-Aug 2021 Burnaby, BC

Electro-Mechanical Assembler

- Assembled and prepared products involving PCB's and casings.
- Interacted with manufacturing engineers to troubleshoot production issues.

Staples Canada

May-Sept 2019 Coquitlam, BC

Technology Sales Associate

- Helped customers find and select tech products and furniture.
- Diagnosed issues with computers, monitors, and printers, and informed customers of relevant repair services.

Extracurricular Experience

FIRST Robotics Competition - Team 6008 github.com/hamzaq2000/FRC2017

Jan-Apr 2017

C++

- Programmed different parts of a robot that loaded and released wiffleballs and climbed on a rope, to be controlled through an Xbox controller.
- Theorized and implemented a correction algorithm that used live data from a gyroscope sensor to make the robot drive perfectly straight, despite mechanical imperfections, for the autonomous portion of the challenge.

Semiahmoo Electronics Club

Sept-Dec 2017

 ${\it Co\text{-}Founder}$

South Surrey, BC

- A club where students could come after school to build cool electronics projects using provided parts, tools, instructions, and help.
- Designed and led instructional sessions to build a:
 - Bluetooth speaker in the body of a pop can, powered by salvaged 18650
 Li-ion cells from retired laptop batteries, a USB charging IC, a BT receiver and an amplifier.
 - USB power bank powered by the same salvaged 18650 cells.

Education

Simon Fraser University

 $BSc\ Computing\ Science$

May 2023 - Present Burnaby, BC

Capilano University

First Year Engineering Certificate

Sept 2018 - April 2019 $Coquitlam,\ BC$