

# Sarvasv Arora

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## EDUCATION

### MCGILL UNIVERSITY

FRESHMAN - COMPUTER SCIENCE  
AND STATISTICS

September 2020 - Present | Montreal,  
Canada  
Faculty of Arts  
James McGill Scholar  
CGPA: 4.0

### BANASTHALI PUBLIC SCHOOL

12<sup>TH</sup> GRADE - AISSCE (CBSE)

May 2020 | New Delhi, India  
Science Stream (Physics, Chemistry,  
Math, Computer Science)  
School Topper  
Percentage: 96.6  
Grade: A

## LINKS

Website:// [sarvasvarora.me](http://sarvasvarora.me)  
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## COURSEWORK

Programming Languages and Paradigms  
Honors Algorithms and Data Structures  
Probability  
Honors Applied Linear Algebra  
Introduction to Computer Systems  
Introduction to Data Structures  
Introduction to Software Systems  
Calculus 3 (Multivariate Calculus)  
Algebra 1  
Honours Analysis 1

## SKILLS

### PROGRAMMING

Python • C/C++ • Java • Tf/Keras  
PyTorch • HTML • CSS • Javascript  
Bootstrap •  $\text{\LaTeX}$  • Git/GitHub

### LANGUAGES

English • Hindi

### SPORTS

Cricket • Soccer • Badminton

### OTHER

Team Management • Communication •  
Reasoning and Analytic Thinking • Time  
Management • Art and Craft

## EXPERIENCE

### MCGILL AI SOCIETY | MAIS 202 ACCELERATED ML PROGRAM

January 2021 - Present | Virtual

- Selected as one of the  $\approx$  30 students in the intensive, ten-week course.
- Final project: TBD

### NEW YORK ACADEMY OF SCIENCES | JUNIOR ACADEMY

December 2019 - December 2020

- Selected as a Junior member to cohort of around 1500 students from over 20,000 applicants.
- Worked in teams to propose solutions to annual challenges.

### CODING4KIDS | CURRICULUM DEVELOPMENT AND PUBLIC OUTREACH

August 2019 - September 2019 | Remote

- Created several chapters in the Python course taught to over 200 US students.

## PROJECTS

### PathLink | BOLT MCGILL CASE COMPETITION

- Machine Learning powered web app that allows automated group formation based on students' preferences like skill level, time-zone, areas of interest, etc. almost instantly, thereby saving professors' time and maximizing group chemistry.
- Built using Python, Streamlit and includes visualizations made using Plotly to analyze the data.

### WordC | SIDE PROJECT | WIP

- A command line application that integrates various python libraries to enable creation word clouds via the command line. Currently only supports displaying the word cloud in iTerm2 (can be saved to disk too).
- Further development goals include adding ability to scrap websites (given URL) and make word cloud out of that, and integration of more terminals.

## OTHER PROJECTS

Beek-it — a search engine coded in Python • Advent of Code 2020  
Hangman Game • Scrabble-like word game (with AI) • Tic-Tac-Toe  
Simon Game WebApp • PokeDex (Pokemon Classifier, using KNN  
algorithm) • MNIST and IRIS classifiers • Linear Regression (using  
gradient descent) • Data tales

## CERTIFICATES

- DeepLearning.ai specialization (5 courses) on Coursera
- Intro to CS using Python by MITx on Edx
- OOP using C++ by IIT Bombayx on Edx

## AWARDS

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|------|-------------------------------------|--|
| 2020 | James McGill Scholarship            | Highest entrance scholarship for int'l students by McGill University |
| 2020 | AP Scholar with Honor               | Exemplary performance in AP exams, College Board                     |
| 2019 | 19 <sup>th</sup> Rank (Int'l)       | National Cyber Olympiad, SOF and TCS                                 |
| 2018 | 43 <sup>rd</sup> Rank (Int'l)       | National Cyber Olympiad, SOF and IIT Khadagpur                       |
| 2017 | 27 <sup>th</sup> /20000             | JSTSE, Government of Delhi   |
| 2016 | High Distinction (Int'l)            | ANCQ, Royal Australian Chemical Institute                            |
| 2015 | 2 <sup>nd</sup> /200                | Heritage Quiz, Archaeological Survey of India                        |
| 2012 | 1 <sup>st</sup> Position (National) | Earth Day Drawing Competition, Government of India                   |