

Rayan Zein

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Education

American University of Beirut

2017 - Present

- Bachelor of Computer & Communications Engineering
- Minor in Economics
- Average: 90.5 | 4.0/4.0
- Expected Graduation: Spring 2021

International College

2003 - 2017

- General Sciences
- Graduated with High Distinction

Work Experience

• Strategy& (Formerly Booz & Company)

Global top-tier management consulting firm with strong presence in the MENA region

Summer Associate

Summer 2020

Worked on a B2B innovation development project for a leading telecom operator in the Middle East

- Identified and shortlisted potential partners for a digital solution to be implemented at a national level
- Analyzed three TMT trends (5G, IoT, and G-cloud) and presented case studies and analysis of international benchmarks
- Assisted in the development of two strategy documents for 5G and IoT
- Analyzed 1000+ countrywide initiatives, while prioritizing ICT ones based on several criteria (e.g., approved budget size and estimated market size), and built an execution roadmap

• Data Consult

IT Services firm with expertise in solution design, solution integration, managed services and digital innovation

Data Integration Intern

Winter 2020

- Developed a video calling application that can record an incoming webRTC call using the MERN stack
- Developed a web-based interface to perform a video call, or manage and replay recorded ones

Projects

• KPI Tracking Software: Final year project

Present

In collaboration with Ray Labs, a PropTech company focused on digitalizing property and tenant management

Our final year project (FYP) aims at developing a KPI software that tracks metrics available from client data.

- The system must be able to report the captured data in BI dashboards supporting several types of graphical visualizations
- The system must support both real-time and aggregate data
- Technologies used/ to be used include: Apache Hadoop, Kafka Streams, Confluent, and Tableau
- This software will also be utilized by Open Map Lebanon, an organization committed to promoting open data, data governance, and data-driven decision making in Lebanon

• Forecasting Lebanese Power Demand

Present

The goal of the project is to estimate the power demand in Lebanon based on historical consumption data.

- The project uses human centered design (HCD) thinking and machine learning by training the ARIMA model to solve a real-world problem

Extracurricular Activities

• Finalist at the Darwazah Startup Accelerate 2020 Competition

Present

Created a startup idea along with my team to launch a platform for Lebanese citizens to purchase fruits and vegetables from farmers directly, getting rid of all intermediaries

• Research Assistant with Dr. Joseph Costantine (AUB)

Fall 2019

Assisted Dr. Costantine as a member of the Radio Frequency Research Team on designing antennas for 5G

Computer Skills

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| • Python | • C++ | • HTML/ CSS |
| • SQL | • JavaScript | • MongoDB |
| • R | • Java | • Microsoft PowerPoint & Excel |

Additional Information

INTERESTS: Technology, Telecommunications, Finance and Banking, Sports, and Travel

LANGUAGES: • Arabic & English (Native and Bilingual) • French (Intermediate – Delf B1 recipient)