#### CLEA RITA AL HADDAD

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#### **Education**

## Lebanese American University (LAU)

08/2019 - 06/2023

Bachelor's degree in Mechanical Engineering, GPA of 3.80/4.00

Byblos, Lebanon

- Dean's Distinguished List every semester
- Recipient of the Honor Scholarship (awarded to 7 out of 200+ students yearly)

## Collège des Sœurs des Saints Cœurs (SSCC) - Kfarhbab

09/2005 - 06/2019

Lebanese Baccalaureate II - General Science

Ghazir, Lebanon

• Graduated with high distinction (First of Class out of 120+ students)

### **Skills**

Software Technologies: MATLAB, SOLIDWORKS, AutoCAD, EES, Excel, JAVA

Languages: Fluent in English, French, and Arabic

Extracurricular: Professional Dancer (2004 – Present), Professional Swimmer (2006 – Present), and Pianist (2013 – Present)

## **Experience**

## BMW – Bassoul Heneine Garage

12/2021 - 01/2022

Automotive Internship

Baouchrie, Lebanon

- Mastered the advanced level of expertise in Automotive Chassis, Suspension, IC Engines, and Turbocharger Design
- Assembled and disassembled various engines and automobile component in both Renault and BMW garages

### American Society of Mechanical Engineers (ASME) – LAU Student Branch

08/2020 - Present

Jbeil, Lebanon

Member at Large

- Organized conferences for 150+ members: Engineering Week, Fire Alarm System, Renewable Energy
- Contacted professional speakers and set up workshops: Biomedical Engineering, Automotive Day, EV Electra
- Planned and gathered sponsorships through 7+ funding bodies

# Admission Office Employment (LAU)

09/2019 - Present

Jbeil, Lebanon

Office Assistant

- Structured student data (grade distribution) on Excel using statistical methods
- Advised students and provided relevant admission and administrative information (deadlines, workshops)

## **SUCCESS Education Center**

10/2020 – Present Jounieh, Lebanon

Private Tutor and Lecturer

• Taught 120+ hours of High School Math, Physics, and SAT English to university and Grade 8 − 12 students

# Swimming Coach, Freelance

06/2018 - Present

• Taught 5 days a week a group of 15-20 children and gave private lessons.

### **Projects**

# Car Engine Model – CAD Project

09/2020 - 12/2020

- Modeled a V6 Engine using Computer-Aided Design and SOLIDWORKS and animated the mechanical parts of the assembly
- Scored 97/100 and ranked 4<sup>th</sup> out of 60+ students

### Recycle Bin Model – Kinematics Project

04/2021 - 05/2021

- Designed and modeled a fully functional recycle bin, by selecting materials (blades, belts) to optimize for user-friendliness, energyefficiency, and sustainability
- Calculated physical metrics (displacements, velocities), and analyzed them on MATLAB plots to study slider-crank trajectories
- Received distinction and ranked 6th among 20 projects

## Lebanese Scout Association (GDL), Group SSCC Kfarhbab | Chief Scout Present

10/2009 - Present

- Supervised 40 girl scouts aged between 8 and 13 years
- Participated and organized social work on all scales, food donations, reconstruction programs and shelter campaigns
- Collaborating with two assistants, relying on professional communication and teamwork, and organizing weekly meetings and trips

## Accomplishments

## "Intro to AI" hands-on Workshop

October 2021

• Got in touch with artificial intelligence and tackled both the basics of how Computer Vision algorithms work as well as practical coding of a Computer Vision Model

### **Robotics Competition (Engineering Scholarship Award)**

September 2019

- Designed and optimized a wooden structure with four legs using selected wood materials, to sustain stress tests
- Ranked 4<sup>th</sup> among 70 participants

## **Extracurricular Activities**

•	Member of the Lebanese Swimming Team (Safra Marine) presented Lebanon in the Arab Championships	2010 - Present
•	Member of the LAU swimming team and nominated the Rookie of 2019 – 2020	<b>2019 – Present</b>
•	Official member of the Track and Field Team School	2013 - 2018
•	Professional ballet dancer in Classical, Jazz, and Contemporary (4-hours weekly sessions)	2006 - Present