# **Awon Alnsour**

**Electrical & Computer Engineer** 

#### PERSONAL SUMMARY

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#### **PROFESSIONAL SUMMARY**

Enthusiastic, talented, and highly motivated electrical and computer engineering with proven leadership capabilities, passionate about artificial intelligence and renewable energy systems, and likes to take initiatives and seek out new challenges.

## **EDUCATION**

#### **Higher Education:**

American University of Beirut (AUB), Beirut, Lebanon

Bachelor's degree in electrical and computer engineering - Concentration in power & energy systems and Artificial intelligence – Jubilee Merit Scholarship

Class of 2023

General Education:

Jubilee Institute, Amman, Jordan Cambridge IGCSE (A-levels)

Class of 2017

#### **INTERNSHIPS**

• **HM-Lab**, Beirut, Lebanon

06/22 - 05/23

- Worked as a research assistant for Dr. Mariette Awad.
- VR developer, Unity expert, and C-sharp programmer
- Worked as a tech support during the implementation of VR- therapy project at AUB-Medical Center
- Worked on the design of AUB's first virtual lab
- Gave orientations about VR and Unity to newcomers.

## **PROJECTS**

VR Therapy, Beirut, Lebanon

09/21 - 06/22

# VR Design Team Leader

VR therapy is a project funded by AUBMC aiming to create pilot interventions using VR technology to enhance the
cognitive ability in Multiple sclerosis patients.

- Worked on the design of VR scenes using Unity to develop natural and urban interventions for the patients.
- Worked on the design of an app that does follow-up exercises after scheduled interventions.
- Got featured on The Researcher program on LBCI and won the competition.

# ECE Virtual Lab, Beirut, Lebanon

06/22 -05/23

# VR Developer

- Creating AUB's first ever virtual lab
- Worked on the design of the Lab model using unity
- Worked on coding mini-games and quizzes using C-sharp

#### SchedBest, Beirut, Lebanon

02/21 - 05/21

# **Team Member**

- Worked on the design of a smart schedule generator for AUB students.
- The website utilizes artificial intelligence techniques to generate the optimal schedule aiming to minimalize the workload.
- Tasked with designing and writing the code for the recommender system.

# Smart Gas System, Beirut, Lebanon

02/22 -05/22

# Team Member

- A project that aims to create a smart gas system that monitors gas pressure, concentration, and ambient temperature
  then produces safety responses by alerting staff via sirens, displaying information on a screen, and cutting the power
  supply at critical thresholds.
- Worked on the design and implementation of the control system, Arduino programming, sensor calibration, and shopping for the electrical components.

## Up-Cycle, Beirut, Lebanon

02/19 - 05/19

#### Founder

- Worked on a start-up called "Up-Cycle" that aims to produce construction blocks from plastic waste
- The startup introduced the idea of creating cheap portable housing units and shelters for homeless citizen and refugees utilizing two novel up-cycling technologies
- Produced a feasibility study and participated in the IBDAA 2019 competition
- The project is currently used by AUB as a reference to new students willing to participate in the IBDAA competition.

# **TERM PAPERS**

# Electromagnetic fields in the power sector, Beirut, Lebanon Author

02/22 -05/22

- A term paper focused on studying feasible mitigation strategies to counteract EMF produced by power lines
- Worked on measuring EMF produced by overhead powerlines at AUB and Bliss street
- Worked on a cost-benefit analysis for different mitigation protocols regarding largescale and local power line schemes.

## Shell Oil: What if? Beirut, Lebanon

02/21 - 05/21

#### Author

 Worked on a term paper regarding shell oil production; the economic and political factors preventing it from replacing oil as a the primary source of energy.

Hydrogen Fuel: A futuristic approach, Beirut, Lebanon Co-Author

02/21 - 05/21

• Worked on a term paper regarding the potential of Hydrogen cells to overtake petrol-based engines.

#### **EXTRACURRICULAR ACTIVITIES**

- **AUB Outdoors** Participated in weekly brainstorming marketing meetings and delivered online and offline campaigns around Beirut.
- **AUB Outlook** wrote a weekly column in the newspaper.
- **AUB Jordanian Club** organized events that aim to introduce students to the Jordanian culture, cuisine and traditions.
- **Reshehbyown** created a poetry page on Instagram to showcase my poems and is currently sitting at 17k followers.
- Safe Homes Volunteered for 400 hours with the Jordanian Women's Union Association to support and educate children residing in safe homes.

#### **SUMMARY SKILLS**

Languages: Fluent in English and Arabic.

**Programming skills:** Python, C++, C, Java, VHDL, MATLAB

Software skills: AutoCAD, OrCAD PSpice, MPLAB, Proteus, mikroC, Vivado, Unity

**Soft skills:** Creativity, Communication, Leadership, Research, Teambuilding, Public Speaking, Organization, Teamwork, and Entrepreneurship.

**Engineering Skills:** Machine Learning, Power System Analysis, Programming, Automation, Circuit Design and Implementation, Instrumentation, Control Systems Design and Implementation.

**Interests:** Artificial Intelligence, Renewable Energy, Power Systems, Automation, Virtual Reality, Circuit Design, Control Systems.