

# Yael Peled

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## EDUCATION

### University of Wisconsin-Madison

Bachelor of Science, May 2005

Double Major: Computer Science and Math      GPA: **4.0/4.0**

Courses: Cryptology, Network Security Independent Study, Artificial Intelligence, Operating Systems, Linear Programming, Theoretical Computer Science, Algorithms, Modern Algebra, Topology, Information Systems

Honors: The National Society of Collegiate Scholars, Deans List (10/ 10), ΦΒΚ, ΧΑΣ (National College Athlete Honor Society), Athletic Board Scholar (3 consecutive years), ΦΚΦ (Top 5% of Junior class), Dowling Award

## EXPERIENCE

### Software Test Engineer ▪ Summer Internship Microsoft Corporation ▪ Summer 2004

- Worked with the Microsoft Virtual Server team on the test automation project
- Designed and implemented a performance automation tool for Microsoft Virtual Server
- Constructed a SQL relational database
- Built an ASP.Net application to display and manipulate SQL database

### Research Assistant ▪ CIPART project ▪ Department of Computer Science ▪ Spring 2004

- CIPART – Critical Infrastructure Protection Through Analysis of Reliability and Trustworthiness
- Worked closely with two other undergraduate students on an original research project
- Analyzed attacker behavior in IDS and firewall logs
- Ran new network audit experiments to analyze effectiveness of attack prevention
- Analyzed CSL systems statistical data to identify potential new methods for intrusion detection

### Summer Research Internship ▪ funded by Microsoft ▪ Department of Computer Science ▪ Summer 2003

- Design and implement a research project in the field of cryptography
- Developed mode of operation based on asynchronized extension of output feedback mode
- Programmed the new block cipher algorithm in Java
- Applied statistical analysis methods on the pseudorandom sequence generated
- Analyzed a variety of different attacks on the new mode

### Recruitment Commander ▪ Israeli Defense Force/Training and Administration of Reserves ▪ 98 to 00

- Organized and commanded operations for 1100 reserve soldiers
- Ensured manpower and other resources to perform daily operations and special projects
- Maintained current and accurate records of personnel, inventory, and activities
- Delegated responsibilities to 180 cadets to meet critical deadlines

### Military Honors

- “Most Honorable Soldier” – elected by peers in commanding course and basic training
- “Excellent Cadet Award” – awarded by officers of basic training
- Excellent Athlete Status in the IDF - awarded leave time for athletic training and competition

## ATHLETIC EXPERIENCE & LEADERSHIP

### UW-Madison - Women’s Intercollegiate Track Team ▪ 00 to present

- Successfully manage full course load while training full-time (approximately 30 hours per week)
- Work intensely with diverse team members to achieve individual and team goals
- Earned Academic All-American, All-Academic Big-10, Verizon/CoSIDA Academic All-District
- Received 5-year athletic scholarship

### Israeli National Teams -Track and Handball ▪ 1996 - 2000

- Captain - World Junior Track Championship and World Handball Championship Israeli teams
- Competed internationally in France, Portugal, Greece, Austria, Yugoslavia, Switzerland, Spain
- Adapted to diverse cultures in effort to achieve high performance

## RELEVANT SKILLS

Java ▪ C# ▪ Visual Basic .NET ▪ SQL ▪ ASP.NET ▪ ADO .NET ▪ C++ ▪ Pascal ▪ UNIX  
Language fluency in Hebrew, basic knowledge of Arabic ▪ Adapt to a variety of diverse cultures

Problem-Solving ▪ Teamwork ▪ Achievement ▪ Motivation ▪ Goal Oriented ▪ Leadership

Tutoring in Computer Science, Statistics, Calculus, Physics, and Economics for the University of Wisconsin