
Education

University of California, Berkeley (Graduation due 2016)

Bachelor of Science, Electrical Engineering & Computer Science (EECS)

GPA: 3.70

Work and Research Experience

UC Berkeley

Undergraduate Research (Aug 15 – present)

- ❖ Using Torch to implement the Graph Neural Network for use in advanced traffic prediction

Google / Nest – Palo Alto, CA

Software Engineering Intern (May – Aug 2015)

- ❖ Created backend for an internal tool for automating mobile app UI alteration and exploration
- ❖ Helped develop a page-object framework for self-navigating Android, iOS, and web applications

Berkeley Institute for Data Science

Undergraduate Research (Jan 15 – present)

- ❖ Web scraping, storage, analysis, and learning of textual and image data from various commodities of interest

National University of Singapore

Undergraduate Research (Aug – Dec 2014)

- ❖ Researching approximate computing using floating-point precision tuning and its effects on FPGA performance

NVIDIA – Santa Clara, CA

Software Engineering Intern (May – Aug 2014)

- ❖ Worked on Android Platform Team to customize, debug, and add features to AOSP framework for Nvidia devices
- ❖ Implemented region-based package management, a custom file manager, and a filesystem for external storage

Intertrust Technologies – Sunnyvale, CA

Software Engineering Intern (Jun – Aug 2013)

- ❖ Developed an NFC security library and application on Android platform for internal company projects

Skills & Knowledge

- *Programming:* Python, Java, C, C++, CUDA, OpenCL, Ruby, JavaScript, Matlab, SQL
- *Software:* Hadoop, Caffe, Torch, SkLearn, Theano, TensorFlow, Node, Git/SVN, Autodesk, Multisim
- *Mathematics:* Multivariable Calculus, Linear Algebra, Differential Equations, Discrete Math, Combinatorics
- *EE & Physics:* Introductory Microelectronic Circuits, Signals, and Systems; Kinematics, Electromagnetism
- *Other:* Fluent in Farsi with basic knowledge of French; BSA Eagle Scout - awarded 2011

Courses and Projects

Parallel Computing and Software (2015)

- Working on a custom project to speed up large-scale distributed neural-nets via IPC reduction

Machine Learning (2015)

- Implemented SVM, Regression, kernel methods, PCA, Decision Trees, Neural Nets, and unsupervised learning

Image Manipulation and Computational Photography (2015)

- Made programs that automatically align, contrast, hybridize, blend, resize, carve, morph, and stitch images
- Assembled a pipeline for acquiring, preprocessing, and classifying astronomical data (custom project)

Artificial Intelligence (2015)

- Learned and implemented CSPs, MDPs, RL, Bayes Nets, HMMs, SVMs, and MLPs

Computer Security (2015)

- Performed buffer-overflow, DNS spoofing, SQL Injections, and XSS Injections on mock targets

Efficient Algorithms and Intractable Problems (2014)

- Learned optimization, FFT, cryptography, recurrence, graph theory, greedy algorithms, DP, complexity theory

Operating Systems and Systems Programming (2014)

- Implemented multiprogramming in an OS via threads, schedulers, shared file system, and VM mapping
- Created both a local and network-distributed key-value store system with atomicity and concurrency

Database Systems (2014)

- Built a database server with web-client interface and backend, from scratch, for an event-booking system

Computer Architecture (2013), Structure and Interpretations of Computer Programs (2012)

- Implemented keyword-proximity search to run remotely on Amazon EC2 servers via MapReduce
- Utilized OpenMP, SSE SIMD, and various optimizations to speed up image convolution by a thousand times
- Constructed a functioning, pipelined MIPS CPU using Logisim
- Made an interpreter for Scheme Lisp; Wrote a program to geographically map raw Twitter data
- Created a graph-based computer board game and AI player that plays based on self-pruning Minimax