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EDUCATION

- **UNIVERSITY OF TORONTO** Mississauga, ON
Honours Bachelors of Science - Computer Science, Mathematics and Statistics & PEY Co-op Sep. 2022 - Present
- **Relevant Coursework:**
Software Design, Software Tools and Systems Programming, Data Structures and Analysis, Software Engineering

EXPERIENCE

- **AIP Labs** Mississauga, ON
Machine Learning Engineer Intern Jun. 2024 - Sep. 2024
 - **End-to-end ML Pipeline:** Curated and analyzed over 200,000 medical images, trained deep neural networks, evaluated model performance, and refined the training pipeline (achieving a 1.5x improvement in precision and recall metrics across classes).
 - **Dataset Analysis:** Conducted image similarity and retrieval tasks (cosine image similarity, feature extractor) on large datasets to identify and resolve issues, ensuring accurate image curation.
 - **Image Classification:** Developed and trained advanced image classifiers using state-of-the-art models like ResNet, achieving over 98% precision and recall in a 3-way classifier for macroscopic, dermoscopic, and non-skin images.
 - **Technical Expertise:** Hands-on experience with PyTorch, PyTorch Lightning, & Scikit-Learn for model development; conducted data analysis using Pandas & NumPy and visualized results with Matplotlib.

PROJECTS

- **Scheduling AI Full Stack Web Application** Jan. 2025 - Present
 - * **AI Integration and Development:** Developed an intelligent scheduling assistant using the Claude API, implementing natural language processing capabilities to enhance user interaction and automate schedule optimization.
 - * **Full-Stack Development:** Built a responsive frontend using ReactJS, NextJS, JavaScript, and TypeScript, while implementing scalable microservices architecture for the backend services with Node.js.
 - * **Database Management:** Architected and optimized PostgreSQL and SQLite databases using Prisma ORM, designing efficient schemas and queries for academic planning features and user data management.
 - * **API Development:** Created and consumed RESTful APIs for seamless integration between frontend components, backend services, and third-party educational platforms, ensuring robust data exchange.
 - * **DevOps and Team Leadership:** Led a team of 7 developers using agile methodologies with Jira, managing sprint planning and conducting code reviews to ensure consistent development.
- **Deerhacks 2025 Hackathon Project** Feb. 2025
 - * **Full Stack Development:** Created a full stack NextJS app for students in 36 hours that generates quick and easy recipes, working in a team of 4 and demonstrating rapid development skills under time constraints.
 - * **API Integration:** Utilized REST APIs to automate recipe creation and processed ingredients to generate comprehensive grocery lists, enhancing the app's functionality.
 - * **User Interface Design:** Designed and implemented a sleek UI using React, focusing on user experience and intuitive navigation for the recipe generation platform.
 - * **Rapid Prototyping:** Thrived in a fast-paced environment, employing rapid prototyping techniques and effective communication skills to meet hackathon deadlines.
 - * **Database Implementation:** Leveraged Supabase for user accounts and authentication, implementing secure login functionality and data management systems.
- **Receipt OCR Application** Aug. 2024
 - * **Automated Text Extraction:** Utilized OpenCV and PyTesseract to extract and process text from over 1,000 images, achieving a 90% accuracy in data extraction tasks.

- * **Correcting Textual Errors with LLMs:** Integrated Large Language Models (LLMs) to automatically correct errors in OCR-extracted text, improving overall text accuracy and readability.
- * **Optimized Image Preprocessing:** Improved image preprocessing steps, leading to a 30% increase in text detection accuracy, ensuring optimal recognition even in low-resolution or noisy images.

TECHNICAL SKILLS

- **Languages:** Java, Python, C, C++, C#, HTML, CSS, JavaScript, TypeScript
- **Frameworks & Libraries:** ReactJS, NextJS, NodeJS, PyTorch, PyTorch Lightning, Scikit-Learn, OpenCV, PyTesseract, NumPy, Pandas, Matplotlib, JavaFX, TKinter
- **Tools & Technologies:** Git, Docker, PostgreSQL, Prisma, REST API, Heroku, Linux, OpenAI API, Unity