

Andrew Li

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Experience

Deep Learning Research Intern

May 2018 to August 2018

MASSACHUSETTS INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY LINCOLN LABORATORY

- Assessed classification capabilities of a dynamic deep neural network utilizing TensorFlow and expedited testing process to rapidly test classification of specific features.
- Designed preprocessor using Python and the Arcpy and PDAL libraries for classifying LIDAR point clouds against geographic truth data and subsequent voxelization to feed neural network.
- Leveraged ArcGIS to program various geospatial and LIDAR exploitation and post-processing scripts for geographic surveying and analysis.

Undergraduate Researcher

February 2018 to May 2018,

OBERLIN COLLEGE

September 2018 to Present

- Currently conducting research on neural networks with U-Net and VGG architectures using Keras to identify all windmills in the state of Iowa due to the unknown quantity and implications on green energy.
- Conducted research on predicting the outcome of at-bats in Major League Baseball (listed under 'Projects').
- Wrote a Python script using SQL queries to scrape the MLB Statcast database and used the scikit-learn and Pandas libraries to model the data with random decision forests.

Computer Science Teaching Assistant

August 2017 to May 2018

OBERLIN COLLEGE

- Graded weekly labs for "CS 241: Systems Programming" taught by Professor Roberto Hoyle.
- Utilized a core understanding of C, shell scripting, and Unix in order to assist students and grade weekly labs.

Skills

Java, Python, C#, C, C++, SQL, Javascript, Racket, Bash, HTML, CSS, Linux, Git

Education

Oberlin College

August 2016 to May 2020

B.A. IN COMPUTER SCIENCE, MINOR IN MATHEMATICS

Oberlin, OH

Activities: Oberlin College Computer Science Majors Committee Officer

Coursework: Data Structures, Algorithms, Machine Learning, Artificial Intelligence, Human Computer Interaction, Computer Architecture, Systems Programming, Programming Abstractions, Privacy and Social Networks, Computer and Information Security, Calculus I to III, Discrete Mathematics, Machine Learning Research Periods

Projects

Intelligent Spam Filter Comparison 📄

- Compared the spam detection capabilities of Long Short-term Memory neural network using Keras to Multinomial Naive Bayes using scikit-learn.
- Wrote Python preprocessor for Spam Assassin's email corpus to stem words in an appropriate format for machine learning.
- Created a Naive Bayes spam filter as a baseline for comparison. Assisted with creation and testing of LSTM neural network.
- Analysis and comparison of both methods consolidated in a [paper](#) 📄.

MLB: Machine Learning Baseball 📄

- Research project intended to predict the outcomes of every at-bat during the 2016 Major League Baseball season.
- Wrote scraper and preprocessor in Python using Pandas and SQLite3 libraries to scrape the MLB Statcast database for at-bat data.
- Used scikit-learn library and Jupyter notebook to model random decision forests fed various combinations of sabermetrics for each at-bat.

Honors & Awards

2018 **Poster Round Finalist**, MIT Lincoln Laboratory Intern Innovative Idea Challenge

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2016 **Recipient of John F. Oberlin Merit Scholarship**, Oberlin College