Nishant Shukla

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Experience

DMAI, Inc. VP Engineering

August 2017 - present

Los Angeles, CA - Nurtured engineering teams as we grew from 2 to 50 employees. Led design decisions, and implemented core architecture. Managed budget, established development processes, and cultivated a powerful team.

SpaceX | Machine Learning Intern

Jun - Sep 2016

Hawthorne, CA - Researched and implemented time-series predictors and anomaly-detection.

UCLA CV Researcher

May - Sep 2015

Los Angeles, CA - Led our core robotics platform team. Published multiple research papers (ICRA, AAAI, CoRL).

Foursquare | Software Eng Intern

Jun - Sep 2014

New York City, NY - Built and improved core Android product. Implemented server APIs in Scala.

Facebook

Software Eng Intern

Jun - Sep 2013

Menlo Park, CA - Developed face-detection interfaces on Android. Implemented intelligent photo-caching systems.

Microsoft | Software Eng Intern

Jun - Sep 2012

Redmond, WA - Designed, developed, and shipped a Visual Studio start-page using C# / .NET.

WillowTree Apps

Junior Mobile Developer

Jun - Sep 2011

Charlottesville, VA - Published the University of Virginia Android and nTelos Wireless Pav Android apps.

Buchanan & Edwards IT Intern

Summers 2008 - 2011

Arlington, VA - Programmed SharePoint ticketing.

Education

UCLA (2016 - 2019)

Ph.D. Computer Science, under Prof. Song-Chun Zhu. Center for Vision, Cognition, Learning, and Autonomy.

UCLA (2014 - 2016)

M.S. Computer Science, under Prof. Song-Chun Zhu. Awarded Outstanding Graduating Master's Student (2016). Awarded Graduate Fellowship (2015).

University of Virginia (2010 - 2014)

B.S. Computer Science, **B.A.** Mathematics, Physics Minor. Cumulative GPA 3.8, Highest Distinction. Awarded Elsie Hughes Cabell Endowed Scholarship (2014). Awarded A Thomas Young Scholarship (2012).

George Mason High School (2006 - 2010)

International Baccalaureate (IB) Cumulative GPA 4.0, Valedictory Scholar

Publications



"Machine Learning with TensorFlow" 2018, ISBN 9781617293870, 272 pages

"Systems, Devices and Methods for Analyzing and identifying Substances" 2017, Patent ID PCT/US2016/058304



"Haskell Data Analysis Cookbook" 2014, ISBN 9781783286331, 334 pages

Technology

Lang: Python, C++11, Java, Javascript, Haskell, Bash, Scala, C#/.NET, MATLAB, R, Rust, x86 Assembly, Erlang

Misc: TensorFlow, Scikit-learn, Android, Amazon Web Services (AWS), Git, MongoDB, Flask, Node.js, OpenCV, GNU/Linux, gRPC, Google App Engine, Jira