Lawrence Zhao

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Education

University of California, Berkeley

August 2017 - June 2021; Berkeley, California

• Management, Entrepreneurship, and Technology (M.E.T.) Program.

B.S. in Engineering.
Major: Electrical Engineering & Computer Sciences

• B.S. in Business. Major: Business Administration.

Experience

The Daily Californian / Staff Writer

September 2017 - Present; Berkeley, California

- Started eSports coverage at *The Daily Californian*, a student-run newspaper.
- Wrote weekly articles covering professional and collegiate eSports events.
- Interviewed professional and collegiate players.
- http://www.dailycal.org/author/lzhao/

Cal eSports / Division 2 Team Member

September 2017 - Present; Berkeley, California

- ADC/Marksman for Division 2 League of Legends Team
- Competed in Collegiate Starleague and High School Starleague during high school
- Qualified for HSL playoffs in my junior and senior years (top 64 out of ~1400 teams)
- https://battlefy.com/hsl-league-of-legends/hsl-fall-2016-group-d/57ec86fb0be3621 a0c9c611a/info?infoTab=details (Montgomery Blair High School)

Business Careers in Entertainment Club / General Member

September 2017 - Present; Berkeley, California

- Attended networking events with professionals in the entertainment industry.
- Participated in professional workshops to improve social skills.

University of Maryland, College Park / Research Intern

June 2016 - August 2016; College Park, Maryland

- Worked under Professor Amol Deshpande in the Department of Computer Science.
- Studied algorithms that would efficiently evaluate probabilistic and/or trees.
- Wrote code that compared run times of different algorithms on a given data set.

National Institutes of Health / Intern

June 2015 - August 2015; Bethesda, Maryland

- Implemented new automated cloud testing programs.
- Saved the IT support division time and effort by phasing out manual tests.

Skills

- Microsoft Office and Google Drive applications (Word, Excel, etc.)
- Programming in Java, Python, Javascript, HTML, and LISP
- Languages: English (native) and Chinese (fluent)

Coursework

- Ongoing: Principles of Business, Multivariable Calculus, Structure and Interpretation of Computer Programs, and Designing Information Devices and Systems I
- Planned: Introductory Probability and Statistics for Business, Designing Information Devices and Systems II, Data Structures, Wealth & Poverty, and Sociological Reading and Composition