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### **EDUCATION**

## PhD in Computer Science, University of Toronto

2023 - Present

- Research interests: Computational Creativity, AI in Scientific Discoveries, Human-Computer Interaction
- Supervisor: Professor Alán Aspuru-Guzik

Summer School, Carnegie Mellon University

July 2023

Bachelor of Science in Computer Science and Statistics, University of Toronto

2018 - 2022

- Undergraduate research advisor: Professor Joseph Jay Williams
- Highlighted courses: Neural Networks and Deep Learning, Applied Bayesian Statistics, Statistical Methods for Machine Learning, Analysis & Complexity, Image Understanding

### **EXPERIENCE**

#### Research Assistant

September 2022 - December 2023

DGP Lab, University of Toronto

Toronto, Ontario

• Member of the team that won the XPRIZE Digital Learning Challenge by using applied machine learning algorithms to improve the learning experience

Research Scholar

May 2022 - August 2022

Toronto, Ontario

- Data Sciences Institute
  - Developed a platform for people to collect data from third-party websites
  - Prepared different data analysis scripts for people to run in the front end

Teaching Assistant

Sep 2021 - Present

University of Toronto

Toronto, Ontario

• Appointments in 2 departments (CS & Stats)

#### Software Developer Co-op

Infrastructures for Information

Jun 2020 - Jun 2021 Toronto, Ontario

• Software developer for a tool in Java that boosts productivity when working on multiple labelling documents

# **PROJECTS**

**AIEPlatform** A modern platform for data-driven experiments that adapt and improve over time by utilizing machine learning algorithms.

Digital Learning Challenge by XPrize Lead software developer & Machine Learning designer for the crossplatform infrastructure that supports both traditional and adaptive experiments and Machine Learning. We collaborated with CMU & UNC, and deployed our infrastructure in more than 25 courses. We are the grand winner of this XPRIZE Digital Learning Challenge sponsored by IES. (More)

**Voice Reflection System** Lead designer & developer of this online reflection system that allows students to reflect on course topics by talking. This system has been used by more than 500 students at the University of Toronto.

Face-Control Snake Game Applied a TensorFlow model called PoseNet to detect the player's position in real-time, so that the player can move their face to control the snake. (Video)