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Education

Present —
Aug. 2015

Ph.D. in Computational Science and Engineering

Georgia Institute of Technology, Atlanta, GA

Advisor: Polo Chau, Co-advisor: Alex Endert

Research interests: Data science, deep learning, visual analytics, information visualization

Overall GPA: 4.00/4.00

May 2015 —
Aug. 2011

B.S. in Mathematics, Area of Emphasis in Applied Mathematics

B.S. in Physics

University of Georgia, Athens, GA

Thesis: “3D Printing the Trefoil Knot and its Pages”

Overall GPA: 3.84/4.00, Magna Cum Laude

Research Experience

Present —
Aug. 2016

Georgia Institute of Technology, Atlanta, GA

Graduate Research Assistant, School of Computational Science and Engineering

Member of the Polo Club of Data Science where we bridge data mining and machine learning techniques with principles from human-computer interaction and visualization to make interactive tools to help people understand and explore big data.

Summer 2016

Pacific Northwest National Lab, Richland, WA

National Security Ph.D. Intern, Data Science and Analytics Group

Project: Understanding Deep Learning Models Via Visualization

- Developed Python code using Keras to create images from deep neural networks to compare machine v. human semantic understanding.
- Research areas: Deep learning, image analysis, visualization.

May 2016 —
Aug. 2015

Georgia Institute of Technology, Atlanta, GA

Graduate Research Assistant, School of Computational Science and Engineering

Project: Material Informatics

- Built data-driven surrogate model for computationally expensive material grain growth simulations. Created property-structure linkages using machine learning pipeline to predict material properties. Contributed to direction and code repository of PyMKS package: Materials Knowledge Systems in Python.
- Research areas: Physical data science, material informatics, statistics.

May 2015 —
Jan. 2013

University of Georgia, Athens, GA

Undergraduate Researcher, Department of Mathematics, Athens, GA

Undergraduate Thesis: “3D Printing the Trefoil Knot and its Pages”

- Exploring 3D printing in topology. Programmed, designed, and 3D printed 34-piece, color-coordinated, and magnetized 3D puzzle of the trefoil knot fibration illustrating an open-book decomposition. Led 3D printing research and education in mathematics department.
- Research areas: 3D modeling, topology, physical visualization, mathematical exposition.

Summer 2014

REU in Mathematics and Computational Science, Fairfield, CT
Undergraduate Researcher, Fairfield University, Department of Engineering

Project: Numerical and Experimental Comparison of Oceanic Overflow

- Compared numerical solutions derived from the Navier-Stokes equations to designed experiments performed at the lab-scale to model specific ocean phoneme. Configured MIT General Circulation Model on a linux computer cluster to parallel compute numerical simulations while using MATLAB for pre- and post-processing data visualization.
- Research ares: Computational fluid dynamics, data visualization, applied mathematics.

Presentations

July 2016

“Drawing Semantics with Deep Learning”

Pacific Northwest National Laboratory. National Security Internship Program Research Symposium.

Mar. 2015

“3D Printing The Trefoil Knot And Its Pages”

UGA Center for Undergraduate Research Symposium. Abstract published in UGA Journal of Undergraduate Research Opportunities.

Jan. 2015

“Experimental and Numerical Studies of Oceanic Overflow”

Joint Mathematics Meetings. Poster. 1st at Student Poster Session in Computational Math.

Nov. 2014

American Physical Society Division of Fluid Dynamics. Abstract published in proceedings.

Aug. 2014

Presented by mentor at Brown University, Los Alamos National Lab.

July 2014

Northeast REU Mini-Conference at Yale University.

July 2014

University of Rhode Island Bay Campus.

Mar. 2014

“3D Printing in Topology”

UGA Center for Undergraduate Research Symposium. Abstract published in UGA Journal of Undergraduate Research Opportunities.

Press

Sept. 2015

“Georgia Tech PhD Student Puts Finishing Touches on 3D Printed Trumpety Trefoil.” 3dprint.com.

Spring 2015

“Student Profile: Fred Hohman.” 2015 UGA Mathematics Department Newsletter.

Feb. 2015

“Falling Water.” MITgcm.org.

Dec. 2014

“Mathematics/Physics Student Creates 3D Printed Puzzle of Trefoil Knot, Catches Mathematical Community’s Interest.” 3dprint.com.

July 2014

“Day 311 - Trefoil Trumpet.” Makerhome.com.

April 2014

“Mathematics with 3D Printing”. Sketches of Topology.

Math Outreach and Work Experience

2014

3D Printed Cube Decomposition Trophy

University of Georgia Mathematics Department, Athens, GA

Designed, modeled, and 3D printed cube decomposition trophy for annual UGA High School Math Tournament that was given to the top scoring teams and participants.

2014

3D Printed UGA Keychain

University of Georgia Lamar Dodd School of Art, Athens, GA

Created 3D printed UGA keychain and presentation notes given at Experience UGA: a interdisciplinary event that exposes middle-school and high-school students to hands-on learning activities.

2014-2015

Student Notetaker

University of Georgia, Athens, GA

Generated notes for undergraduate mathematics and physics courses for students with disabilities.

- 2013 **I.T. Assistant**
St. Joseph Catholic School, Marietta, GA
Installed and managed network of 65 iPads and 5 MacBooks. Migrated school towards cloud-based interactivity allowing realtime faculty integration and management of student services.
- 2012 **Tutor**
University of Georgia, Athens, GA
Specialized in tutoring Calculus to undergraduates.

Technology Skills

OS: Mac OS X, Ubuntu, Unix Command Line, Windows

Productivity: iWork, Microsoft Office

Programming: Python, Matlab, Mathematica, C

Web: \LaTeX , HTML, CSS, Markdown, Jekyll, Git

Graphics: Pixelmator, Blender, Meshlab, MakerBot Desktop, Adobe CSS Suite

Honors and Awards

- 2015 President's Fellowship at Georgia Institute of Technology
- 2015 1st at Joint Mathematics Meeting Undergraduate Poster Session in Computational Math
- 2015 UGA CURO Research Graduation Distinction
- 2014 UGA CURO Research Assistantship
- 2013 Presidential Scholar
- 2011-2015 Dean's List
- 2011-2015 Georgia HOPE Scholarship
- 2009 Eagle Scout Award

Organizations

- 2016-Present Association for Computing Machinery (**ACM**)
- 2012-2015 UGA Mathematics Club
- 2012-2013 Society of Physics Students, UGA Chapter (**SPS**)
- 2011-2015 National Society of Collegiate Scholars (**NSCS**)

References

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