AUSTIN WANG

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EDUCATION

University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill

M.S. in Computer Science

· B.S. in Computer Science & Mathematics

Aug 2020 - May 2021

Aug 2016 - May 2020

SKILLS

Java, JavaScript, HTML, CSS, React, Python, SQL, C, C++, C# Languages

Technologies Linux, Vim, Git, AWS, Unity, VR

EXPERIENCE

Amazon

Amazon SDE Intern - Amazon Prime Video Download Services May 2019 - Aug 2019

Seattle, WA

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· Designed and implemented back-end service on AWS Lambda for deleting downloaded videos upon logout and device removal

· Adapted existing modules to work within AWS Lambda including **DynamoDB** calls and message decryption

SDE Intern - Amazon Prime Video Catalog Metadata

Created internal tooling and UI for reconciliation of incorrect metadata using Flask, JavaScript, HTML/CSS

Integrated granular access control so that other teams could run specific scripts themselves

UNC-CH Department of Computer Science

Jan 2018 - June 2018

June 2018 - Aug 2018

Chapel Hill, NC

Learning Assistant for the Emerging Scholars Program

- · Leading lessons on various topics in CS, ranging from algorithms to cryptography
- · Navigating first/second year college students through the CS program and curriculum

RESEARCH

UNC-CH Department of Computer Science

May 2017 - May 2019

Chapel Hill, NC

Undergraduate Research Assistant

- · Exploited weaknesses to improve data privacy of commercial IOT devices
- · Generated data-sets to study the relationship on energy use of household devices
- · Created VR simulations to conduct user studies on human response to robot appearance and movement
- · Derived data-driven models for movement of robots and autonomous vehicles in a pedestrian crowd

Publications:

- · A. Wang, and S. Nirjon, "A False Sense of Home Security Exposing the Vulnerability in Away Mode of Smart Plugs," International Workshop on Mobile and Pervasive Internet of Things (PerIoT '19), 6 pg, Kyoto, March 2019.
- · A. Bera, T. Randhavane, E. Kubin, A. Wang, K. Gray and D. Manocha, "Pedestrian Dominance Modeling for Socially-Aware Robot Navigation," 2019 IEEE International Conference on Robotics and Automation (ICRA), Montreal, 2019.
- · A. Bera, T. Randhavane, A. Wang, D. Manocha, E. Kubin, K. Gray, "Classifying Group Emotions for Socially-Aware Autonomous Vehicle Navigation," The IEEE Conference on Computer Vision and Pattern Recognition (CVPR) Workshops, 2018, pp. 1039-1047.
- A. Bera, T. Randhavane, E. Kubin, A. Wang, K. Gray and D. Manocha, "The Socially Invisible Robot Navigation in the Social World Using Robot Entitativity," 2018 IEEE/RSJ International Conference on Intelligent Robots and Systems (IROS), Madrid, 2018, pp. 4468-4475.

LEADERSHIP

CS+Social Good at UNC Chapel Hill Co-Founder / President / Technology Chair

Sept 2017 - Present

Chapel Hill, NC

· Leading a tech team that designs and develops projects for local non-profits and student organizations

· Mentoring other students in project management and technical skills

Senior Advisor / Development Lead / Graphic Design Co-Lead

Feb 2017 - Present

Chapel Hill, NC

· Developing full-stack for the hackathon's website and various registration, judging, mentorship, and communication tools

· Designing graphic assets for the website, social media, t-shirts, prizes, etc.

PROJECTS

HackNC

MemeTrades.com

Feb 2017 - Mar 2017

- JavaScript, HTML, CSS, Python (Flask), MongoDB
- · Created mock market for text-based strings that reached 3000+ users
- · Designed front-end UI/UX such as stock visualization and trend graphs
- · Integrated automated image moderation for user-submitted content