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### **EDUCATION**

**Texas A&M University,** College Station, Texas

M.A. in Computer Engineering, Overall GPA: 3.85/4.00

Huazhong University of Science and Technology, Wuhan, China

B.A. in Telecommunications, Overall GPA: 3.76/4.00 (Top 2.5 Percent in My Major)

Sept. 2010-Jun. 2014

Sept. 2014-Dec. 2016

#### **Relevant Courses:**

C/C++ Programming, Algorithms and Data Structures, Java Programming and Android Development, Software Engineering(In-progress), Computer Networks, Artificial Intelligence, Convex Optimization

#### **SKILLS**

**Programming Languages:** Java, C/C++, SQL, HTML/CSS, Ruby(Still Learning), MATLAB **Tools and Skills:** Android Development, SQLite, MySQL, Rails(Still Learning), Tomcat, Git, OpenCV

# **PROJECTS**

### Individual Project: Android App for Face Recognition

Apr.2016

- Designed a single-activity, multi-fragment UI framework. Developed the basic functions such as photo storage management and SQLite manipulation.
- Utilized OpenCV for face detection and recognition on Android platform.
- Deployed a Tomcat Server to receive and store photos and their recognition results. Manipulated MySQL on the server by JDBC to store photos and their recognition results for future display.

#### **Individual Project: Moview**

Mar. 2016

- Used the movieDB API to pull detailed information about recent movies from the Internet. Defined a customized adapter to populate the grid UI in the main activity with movie posters and names.
- Used Intents to pass detailed information from the main activity to a detail activity. Designed the detail page to display all the detailed information such as movie synopsis, popularity and ratings.

# Group Project: Android App for Signal Detection and Local and Distant Data Storage

Feb. 2016

- Devised a multi-fragment UI framework for the app. Designed all the functions for UI component controlling.
  Configured the menus of the user could navigate through different pages.
- Cooperated with 2 other teammates, integrated their code for serial port communication and Wi-Fi transmission into my framework, and debugged the code.

#### **Group Chatting Room and Tiny TFTP Server**

Sept. 2015 - Nov. 2015

- Used the socket API in C language to implement a TCP-based group chatting room. Defined a new, simple packet format for data exchange, and programmed the wrapping and unwrapping functions for it.
- Developed all the server-side functions, and debugged it collaboratively with my teammate's client code to finally find 3 inconspicuous bugs.
- Used the socket API to implement a stop-and-wait protocol for a read-only TFTP server.

## Convex Optimization Course Project: Compressed Sensing for Audio Signal Compression

Apr. 2015

- Used CVX in MATLAB to implement a noise-resistant, L1-norm minimization algorithm.
- Used the algorithm to compress and decompress an audio signal. Reduced the noise in the output by 40 times compared to the input.