# **KAIXUAN GAO**

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#### **EDUCATION**

# **University of Washington**

09/2017-12/2018

M.S. in Computer Science and System

**Current GPA**:4.0/4.0

# Jilin University, China

09/2013-07/2017

**B.Eng**, in Material Forming and Control Engineering

**GPA**: 3.6/4.0

# **SKILLS**

- > Java, C, Node.js, SQL, R
- > AWS, Distributed System, Docker, MEAN stack, Nginx, Redis
- > HTML&CSS, jQuery, AngularJS, Bootstrap, D3.js

#### **SELECTED PROJECTS**

**Distributed Key-Value Store with Raft Algorithm** (Distributed system project)

11/2017-12/2017

- > Developed a distributed key-value store application using TCP protocol and Raft consensus protocol with Java RMI and thread pool
- > Supported loss and restoration of minority nodes as well as leader election and re-election inside the system without data loss
- > Dockerized the application and tested it on AWS EC2 instance

TinyURL Service (Full Stack Web Application project)

11/2016-02/2017

- Developed a web server using MEAN stack (MongoDB, Express, AngularJS and Node.js)
- > Built a Single Page Web UI using AngularJS and Bootstrap
- Employed Redis as cache database and Nginx HTTP server, reverse proxy server and load balancer.
- > Dockerized the server and ran multiple instances of it, switched it to use Cassandra to distribute the data after TBs of data and logs were persisted

## **Full Stack Data Analysis**

11/2016-12/2016

- ➤ Wrote a crawler and adopted request pool to manage the data capture processing speed
- ➤ Preprocessed and cleaned up raw data using R, conducted geographical clustering analysis by K-means algorithm and showed the result with ggplot2
- Made house price predication using multi-variation linear regression
- > Built a Single Page Web UI to show the house price by colors and coordinate in Shanghai map

#### Mini-Flickr (Front-end web development project)

09/2016

- > Developed a web application showing photos from Flickr app in a masonry layout for the users to "pin" liked photos and search photos by tags
- ➤ Designed a Single Page Web UI and implemented advanced features, such as calling official Flickr API, page lazy-loading to increase speed, responsive design and real-time search

#### **EXPERIENCE**

#### SDE Intern, Qunar.com.

07/2016-08/2016

- Selected structured attribute from user feedback data to make item representation, conducted profile learning using VSM and contributed to content-based recommender system modeling
- > Integrated visualization component with web-based application to realize interactive visualization

#### Research Assistant, Analysis and Design of Flexible Blank-Drawer Forming Device Frame

(Research Project at Roll Forging Institute of Jilin University)

12/2014-06/2016

Established numerical simulating models with various amounts of stiffeners to conduct analysis on the strength and stiffness of the frame and ribs using CATIA and ABAQUS