# **IAIN TIERNEY**

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#### **EDUCATION**

Buffalo, NY University at Buffalo Aug 2018 – May 2022

- Major: Computer Science, B.S. | GPA: 3.88/4.0 | Honors: Dean's List
- Relevant Coursework: Software Engineering, Algorithms and Complexity, Data Structures, Discrete Structures, Systems Programming (Distributed Systems), Computer Organization, Object Oriented Programming (OOP)

#### **EXPERIENCE**

#### Research, Space Net Simulation

#### **University at Buffalo**

Jan 2021 - Present

- Improved simulation data collection by 100 times by implementing parallelization in C++ with Windows executables
- · Led a team of researchers to integrate version control (using Git) with various simulation models
- Only undergraduate CS student selected to work on this research of capturing space debris in orbit with nets

## **Software Engineering Team**

## **University at Buffalo**

Aug 2020 - Dec 2020

- Leveraged knowledge with full stack web development to integrate a user nutrition tracking system with real-time persistent data storage and deletions
- Worked with a technical project manager and team of four, while utilizing Git and the Agile(Scrum) software life-cycle
  model for systematic software development and testing

## **Teaching Assistant**

## **University at Buffalo**

Jan 2020 - May 2020

- Led groups of students through CS fundamentals and Python projects using quantitative analysis
- Hosted lab sections and office hours as well as proctored exams

## **Data Coordinator, Intern**

#### **Town of Somers**

May 2019 – Aug 2019

- Improved data storage by utilizing a sorting algorithm to query site users based upon various data points
- Implemented various user flags to store user info in CSV files with Python

## **PROJECTS**

**View More Projects** (personal website to view more projects and info)

## PicToCartoon: Uses A.I. to Convert a Picture into a Cartoon Drawing | View (please be patient w/ page load)

- Utilized TensorFlow 2 Neural Networks to create an app that detects common objects, matches an object to a cartoon counterpart, and provides an animated cartoon sketch
- Incorporated caching to implement an efficient query system for QuickDraw Bin files and limit GET requests
- Developed an algorithm to transform and normalize stroke coordinates to be drawn onto an HTML canvas
- Built With: Python, React, Flask, OpenCV, TensorFlow 2 Object Detection API, QuickDraw API

# Health and Fitness Tracker Dynamic Web App | View (please be patient w/ page load)

- Incorporated persistent data storage and user accounts to keep track of a users' nutrition and health, allow a user to share fitness tips and feats, calculate various body-health measurements, and more
- Integrated SQLAlchemy and developed a database schema to create an SQLite relational database
- Built With: Python, Flask, Vue, JavaScript, HTML5/CSS3, Heroku, AJAX, SQLite, Git with an Agile (scrum) team

#### Sorting Visualizer | View

- Implemented Quick sort, Bubble sort, Selection sort and Insertion sort
- Developed an algorithm with JavaScript Async/Await and Promises to control the speed of the visualization
- Built With: JavaScript, jQuery, Bootstrap, HTML5/CSS3

#### Audio Visualizer | View

- Designed an algorithm with a Fourier transform on SoundCloud audio slices to create a 2D visualizer that manipulates shape radius, depth, and location
- Implemented a URL and/or keyword search by sending GET requests and queries to the SoundCloud API
- Built With: AJAX, SoundCloud API, Web Audio API, JavaScript, jQuery, Bootstrap, HTML5/CSS3

#### Dynamic Memory Allocator | View on GitHub

- Utilized Multi-pool allocation to efficiently run single-threaded Linux applications Malloc(), Calloc(), Realloc(), Free()
- Built With: C and Makefile

## **S**KILLS