# Jack Douglas

**Software Engineering** 

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**SKILLS** Languages: Python, SQL, C, C++, Java, MATLAB, R

Frameworks: Pandas, NumPy, Scikit-learn, TensorFlow, Keras, OpenCV, PyTorch, spaCy

## **EXPERIENCE**

## **BlackBerry** – Research and Software Developer

Jan 2021 – April 2021

- Created a thread manager in C++ to resolve the producer-consumer synchronization problem
- Trained CNN models for facial verification in **TensorFlow** and **Python**, with **Keras** for hyper-parameter tuning, which achieved **86%** accuracy
- Implemented the YOLOv3 model for a real-time object detection system using OpenCV

#### **Geminare** – Machine Learning Developer

May 2020 - Aug 2020

- Trained a semantic segmentation model for object detection and trained five CNN models for detailed classification in **TensorFlow** and **Python** using transfer learning
- Improved general image tagging accuracy from **74%** to **95%**
- Synthesized images using SMOTE and image transformations to oversample minority classes
- Trained **spaCy** models to recognize legal entities and extract semantic relationships
- Used the cosine similarity of sentences from contracts to create extractive summaries

# Sunnybrook Focused Ultrasound Lab - Software Developer

Image Processing Project

Jul 2019 – Aug 2019

- Automated the detection and segmentation of liver lesions, which improved the pipeline speed by 10x, by using the Gabor filter and watershed transform in Python and MATLAB
   Signal Processing Project
   Jul 2018 Aug 2018
- Implemented fractal dimension algorithms to locate bone index and tumours with 95% accuracy using MATLAB and SQL

#### **PROJECTS**

# **UW Data Science Club** – VP of Education %

Sep 2020 - present

 Designed and presented workshops about neural networks with **TensorFlow**, clustering techniques with **scikit-learn**, and data analysis with **NumPy** and **Pandas**

#### Face Mask Detection %

Aug 2020 – Oct 2020

- Trained a CNN model for detecting face masks with **97%** accuracy using **TensorFlow** in **Python**
- Used the **OpenCV** Haar-cascade classifier for real-time face detection

# MLB Pitch Analytics %

Jun 2020 – Aug 2020

 Used k-means clustering with scikit-learn and trained neural networks using Tensorflow in Python for each MLB pitcher to classify their pitches with 85% accuracy

#### **AWARDS**

#### **American Invitational Mathematics Examination Qualifier**

2019

• Offered to students in the top 5% on the American Mathematics Competition 12 (AMC12)

#### Canadian Champion (Perfect Score), Pascal Math Contest

2016

• Top score out of 25,000 students on the Pascal Math Contest

#### **EDUCATION**

**University of Waterloo –** Bachelor of Software Engineering (B.SE.), AI Specialization 2019 – 2024

• Average: 91% | Dean's Honour List

## **Upper Canada College –** International Baccalaureate Diploma

2015 - 2019

Average: 99% | IB Total: 44 (top 0.78% globally, finished second in graduating class)