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EDUCATION

University of California, Irvine – B.S. Computer Science (Intelligent Systems)

Expected Graduation: December 2019

GPA: 3.510

EXPERIENCE

Western Digital Software Engineer Intern

June 2019 – Present

- Developed a proof of concept unsupervised machine learning model in Python to tier data on a hybrid ActiveScale system via anomaly detection
- Extensive use of Python in conjunction with bash scripts to pull and aggregate S3 protocol access logs from deployed ActiveScale systems
- Aided in the implementation of a supervised model for test time reduction of HDDs' manufacturing test cycles

Cox Automotive Software Engineer Part-Time

Oct. 2018 – June 2019

- Comprehensive automation of AWS Infrastructure using Terraform and Jenkins
- Design and implementation real-time, big data applications in Scala using Kinesis, Kafka, and Spark
- Built the automation infrastructure of AWS SageMaker machine learning model deployments via Docker and Jenkins

Kelley Blue Book Software Engineer Intern

June 2018 – Sep. 2018

- Further developed and maintained existing vehicle recommendation APIs for Kelley Blue Book, Autotrader, and Dealer.com
- Specialized in Scala, Terraform, Python, and AWS to pipeline and deploy products through Jenkins
- Documented team's API changes via Swagger

UC Irvine School of Social Sciences IT Student Technician

Apr. 2017 – Dec. 2018

- Provided technical support for UCI Social Science school faculty, staff, and graduate students
- Imaged computers using GhostCast and resolved technical issues (hardware and software) at the helpdesk

ApplJam+ Program Mentor

Sep. 2017 – June 2018

- Educated and mentored youth in programs and initiatives that contribute to Science, Technology, Engineering & Math (STEM) fields under the oversight of Dreams for Schools
- Instructed middle/high school students to use MIT's AppInventor2 and Thunkable Java-based, mobile app development platforms

SKILLS

Computer Languages	Python (3.5 yrs.), C++ (1 yr.), Java (1 yr.), Scala (1 yr.), Terraform (1 yr.), C (<1 yr.), Assembly (<1 yr.)
AWS Technologies	Elastic Beanstalk, EC2, S3, DynamoDB, Route53, SageMaker, SQS, SNS, API Gateway, CloudWatch, Lambda, Rekognition, EMR, Kinesis, Data Pipeline, CloudTrail, IAM
Misc. Software	Windows, MacOS, iOS, Android, Git, Git-Flow, GitHub Issue Tracking, Jenkins, NiFi, Swagger, JMeter

PROJECTS

HDD Test-Time Reduction Model (Western Digital Internal Hackathon Python Project)

July 2019

- Developed a supervised machine learning model to detect when to skip certain steps of an HDD's testing cycle

Teapot 3D Modeling (Python Computer Vision Course Project)

May 2019

- Completed a 3D rendering of a teapot via point triangulation, mesh generation, and MeshLab modeling software

Steve.AI (Python ML Course Project)

May 2019

- Implemented a deep Q-learning neural net fighting agent within Minecraft via Python's Malmo interface

Predictive Model for Healthy Counties in the United States (Python ML/Data Mining Course Project)

Mar. 2019

- Modeled a Random Forest Classifier on census data from the USDA to predict U.S. counties' healthiness

Emotional Confidence Detector (2018 Cox Automotive Hackathon Python Project)

Sep. 2018

- Utilized AWS Rekognition to analyze automotive test drivers' emotions to aid dealerships in sales negotiations

Giggle Search Engine (Python + JavaScript Information Retrieval Course Project)

May 2018

- Implemented a web crawler through the ics.uci.edu domain to create a Python Bottle server search engine

Blackjack Counter (2018 LAHacks Python Project)

Mar. 2018

- Built a live, streaming analysis of a Blackjack game using the OpenCV image/video analysis library in Python and PyQt4 GUI

Main Menu (2018 HackUCI Python + React Project)

Feb. 2018

- Analysis of Yelp reviews to generate informative restaurant menus using machine learning and Python servers

MISC

Hobbies	Driving, Photography, Cinematography, Photo/Film Editing, Desktop Computer Construction, Investing
Spoken Languages	English, Korean