Kolade Alabi

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EDUCATION

The University of Texas Rio Grande Valley

B.S. Computer Science

Major GPA: 4.0 | Cumulative GPA: 3.7

Coursework: Computer Science I/II, Introduction to Data Science, OOP in Python, Linear Algebra, Applied Statistics

Current Coursework: Data Structures and Algorithms, Software Engineering I, Programming in Unix/Linux

Technical Skills

Languages: C/C++ (1-2vrs), Python (1vr), JavaScript (1vr), R (0-1vrs), HTML/CSS (1-2vrs)

Developer Tools: Git, VS Code, Visual Studio, SQLite, Heroku Libraries: pandas, NumPy, Matplotlib, Scikit-learn, scipy, Flask

Experience

The University of Texas Rio Grande Valley

Edinburg, TX

Undergraduate Research Assistant

Aug 2022 - Present

Expected: May 2023

- Discovered novel applications of Transfer Learning by analyzing and drawing conclusions from 5 research papers on its applications in medicine
- Held multiple meetings with University professors to plan research project in preparation for a conference paper submission
- Researched optimal methodologies for predicting Alzheimer's in patients with blood samples

Peer-Led Team Learning Leader

Aug 2022 - Present

- Lead the Team Learning session for Computer Science 2 and developed weekly lesson plans by collaborating with class instructor
- Delivered insightful concept reviews, resulting in 89% retention of students from the original course

Computer Science Summer Institute, Google

Remote

Online Participant

July 2022 - Aug 2022

- Participated in a 4-week intensive computer science summer program for high-achieving students
- Completed an introductory project-based HTML/CSS and JavaScript curriculum taught by Google engineers
- Configured 3 individual coding projects in JavaScript by using concepts such as data types and functions
- Attended product design, resume development, and software engineering interview workshops
- Delivered a collaborative final project presentation that included a live demonstration to Google employees and community leaders

PROJECTS

GameQuery/RAPI | Python, Flask, SQLite, Bulma, Heroku

Aug 2022 – Present

- Developed a full-stack web API with a flask server hosted on Heroku by decreasing initial slug size by over 50% with elimination of unnecessary dependencies
- Utilized IGDB games API to store information of over 200,000 video games in SQL database to power ranking functionalities
- Created ranking function to parse queries and finding relevant games, returning results in less than 5 seconds through the use of structured natural language processing

Wayfinder | Python, Flask, PythonAnywhere, HTML/CSS, JavaScript, Bulma

Aug 2022 – Present

- Collaborated with 2 other team members to complete the entire developmental process within 2 days and meet the submission deadline for Cohere AI Hackathon
- Employed Cohere AI's word embeddings, by way of a custom API making use of the Cohere embedding model, to enable semantic searching functionality

ACTIVITIES

Obsidian Second Brain

March 2021 - Present

Personal Endeavor

• Nurtured a representation of knowledge gained within the last year, including academic education, personal learning, and academic research, to make better connections between concepts