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## Education

<b>Imperial College London</b>	Sep 2024 - Sep 2025
M.Sc. Advanced Computing, Grade: Distinction	London, UK
<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• A modules (70%+): NLP, Deep Learning, Computer Vision, and 5 others.</li><li>• Thesis: <i>LLM Automated Biomedical Knowledge Graph RAG</i></li><li>• Advisor: Professor Aldo Faisal and Jinpei Han, Brain &amp; Behaviour Lab</li></ul>	
<b>University of Birmingham</b>	Sep 2021 - Jun 2024
B.Sc. Computer Science, Class I Honours. GPA4.25/4.25 (77.625%)	Birmingham, UK
<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Computer Science International { Excellence: (2021), Achievement: (2022, 2023) } Scholarship</li><li>• Computer Science PASS Leader (2022 - 2023)</li><li>• Teaching Assistant (LD/UGTA): <i>Object Oriented Programming, Team Project</i> (2023-2024)</li><li>• A modules (70%+): Data Structure and Algorithms, Machine Learning, Operating Systems and 14 others.</li><li>• Advisor: Dr. Paul Levy</li></ul>	

## Work Experiences

<b>Suzhou OpenDoll Technology Co., Ltd. (KigLand)</b>	Mar 2025 - Present
CTO / ML Leader   KigLand Machine Learning Group	Remote/Jiangsu, China
<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Collaborated with other cofounders, attended <i>MiraclePlus</i> (formerly Y Combinator China) Spring 2025 accelerator programme. Raised <b>CNY 2,000,000</b> in seed-round funding.</li><li>• Worked on ML related problem, developed KigLand owned model family <i>KigAFL</i>, language model <i>KigSLM</i> and other models. Introduced various ML techniques to accelerate kigurumi auto modelling and manufacturing.</li></ul>	
<b>Beijing Lemon Extreme Tech Co., Ltd. (Limit-LAB)</b>	Nov 2022 - Apr 2024
CPO / COO, Co-founder	Remote
<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Worked with other cofounders, attended <i>MiraclePlus</i> (formerly Y Combinator China) Spring 2023 accelerator programme and roadshow. Raised <b>CNY 2,000,000</b> in seed-round funding from <i>MiraclePlus</i> and <i>Dr. Qi Lu</i>.</li><li>• Spotted the main product idea: IDE (Engineering) and CI/CD platform for LLM Agents. This concept comes with prompt version controlling (VCS), unit test (Quality Control System), Agent as a Service (AaaS), etc, matches the future product form of Coze and Dify agent.</li><li>• Developed the technical prototype <i>promptc</i> and MVP with <b>Go, TypeScript</b> and <b>React</b>, showing brief ideas for LLM agent engineering.</li></ul>	
<b>Beijing TreeHollow Tech Co., Ltd.</b>	Oct 2021 - Aug 2022
Backend Engineer → Backend Leader, Technical Partner	Remote
<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Led a <b>5-member</b> engineer team, developing the brand-new <b>Go</b> backend system for <i>CominApp</i> from scratch. Performed <i>DDD</i> pattern to ensure tidiness and readability of the project.</li><li>• Worked in frontend team ad hoc, building the cross-platform mobile application <i>CominApp</i> through <b>TypeScript</b> and <b>React Native</b>.</li><li>• Developed and maintained the robust and reliable backend with <b>Go</b> and <b>MySQL</b>, supporting the community <i>Slyva</i>, which has <b>over 100,000</b> registered users, within a <b>2 Cores 2 GB RAM VM</b>.</li><li>• Accelerated the <i>DevOps</i> processes via <b>CD/CD</b>, reducing the releasing time by <b>more than 40%</b>.</li></ul>	

## Personal Skills

- **Programming Language:** familiar with **Go, .NET/C#, python, Java, SQL, TypeScript, Shell** and **PowerShell**.
- **Machine Learning:** NLP (e.g., Transformer, LSTM), Vision (e.g., DDPM) and Traditional ML (e.g. SVM).
- **Tools & Frameworks:** PyTorch, Numpy, Matplot, OpenCV, React (Native), PostgreSQL, OpenAPI, Git