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WORK EXPERIENCE

JAN-JUN 2018

OLAP and ETL programmer at HAOMAIYI, Shanghai

Back-end and Warehouse Development

I extracted data from different sources, transformed them into desired forms, and loaded them into data warehouse for later analytics. I also did some OLAP and provided results to our client through web API.

FEB-DEC 2017

Python programmer at Mesoor, Shanghai Web Crawler and Front-end Development

I wrote web crawler using pyspider to crawl job descriptions from several major Chinese employment-related website like chinahr.com, zhaopin.com, lagou.com, and so on so forth. I implemented an automatic login service using W3C WebDriver technology and help our clients import their resumes into our own system. I also participated in a lot front-end website development with both Angular/TypeScript and vanilla JavaScript and some back-end development with Flask and hug. I was also often assigned tasks related to database (PostgreSQL primarily, also MySQL) operation and migration.

Nov 2014-

FEB 2015

Clojure programmer at STARWORKING, Shanghai

Full-stack Development

Develop full-stack website with Clojure and related technology while learning Clojure on the go. There was also some media coverage by Global Times on how I found this internship.

EDUCATION

SEPT 2014-

Zhuanke Certificate of Graduation in Computer Science

Jun 2017

SJTU, Shanghai, China

This certificate, which I attained by self-taught examination, is equivalent to an Associate's degree. Upon completion, I learned C, RDBMS, data structures, discrete math, computer organization, operating system, networking, digital logic, 8086 interfacing, and so on.

AUG 2011-

Cornell College, Mount Vernon, IA

FEB 2012

Since I had only one semester here, I learned about Java and formal logic, and became an Emacs and Linux user.

COMPUTER SKILLS

Basic Knowledge: Intermediate Knowledge:

Bash, GNU toolchain, XQuery, x86 ISA, Redis, MongoDB Python, JavasScript, PostgreSQL, MySQL, Clojure, C,

Angular, Java, Scala, LATEX

LANGUAGES

CHINESE: Native
ENGLISH: Proficient
RUSSIAN: Rudimentary

HONORS AND AWARDS

Nov 2009 2nd Prize in National Olympiad in Informatics in Provinces (NOIP) China Computer Federation

NOIP is an annual competitive programming competition for secondary school students. The contest consists of five hours of programming on an individual basis, solving problems of an algorithmic nature.

CERTIFICATIONS

MAY 2015 Linear Algebra - Foundations to Frontiers

edX

This was my first exposure to MATLAB and I learned about FLAME methodology for systematically developing dense linear algebra library.

APR 2015 Coding the Matrix: Linear Algebra through Computer Science Applications Coursera

I learned many applications of linear algebra in a variety of fields like computer vision, cryptography, graphics, information retrieval, and so on.

SEPT 2014 The Hardware/Software Interface

Coursera

I learned key computational abstraction levels below modern high-level languages, number representation, assembly language, memory management, the operating system process model, high-level machine architecture including the memory hierarchy, and how high-level languages are implemented. I was very sad to know in 2015 that Prof. Borriello passed away after six-year fight against colon cancer.

JUN 2014 Functional Programming Principles in Scala

Coursera

In addition to some hands-on experiences with Scala, I learned about proofs of invariants for functional programs and how to trace execution symbolically.

JUN 2014 Logic: Language and Information 2

Coursera

This is my first officially verified MOOC. I learned various application of formal logic in different fields such as EE, CS, linguistics, philosophy, and math. Specifically, I learned Robinson's unification and resolution and played with SWI-Prolog. This course also deepened my understanding of ϵ - δ language often seen in mathematical analysis.

JUN 2013 Introduction to Computer Science and Programming

edX

This course broadened my horizons and introduced me to many topics in computer science.

Nov 2012 Introduction to Logic

Coursera

I was one of earliest MOOC learners in China. Perhaps due to my life-long interest in formal logic, this course was one of my first MOOCs.