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Education

MIT

PHD. STUDENT IN EECS

- Working as a research assistant in the Weissman Lab at the Whitehead Institute

Cambridge, MA

Aug 2020 - Present

Caltech

B.S. IN BIOLOGY AND COMPUTER SCIENCE

- Biology Courses: Regulation of Gene Expression, Cell Biology, Genetics, Bioinformatics
- CS Courses: Decidability and Tractability, Algorithms, Learning Systems

Pasadena, CA

Sept 2016 - Jun 2020

Experience

Research Assistant

WEISSMAN LAB

- Studying cancer evolution via synthetic lineage reconstruction using a CRISPR-enabled lineage tracer in a lung cancer mouse model.
- Developing a tool to preprocess single cell metabolic labeling data to quantify RNA splicing kinetics.
- Developing new approaches of integrating multi-modal single-cell measurements (gene expression, lineage, spatial)

Cambridge, MA

Dec 2020 - Present

Software Solution Engineering Intern

GINKGO BIOWORKS

- Worked on migrating Ginkgo's mass spectrometry data pipeline to AWS and Airflow.
- Was responsible for the full development cycle of the project—from conceptualization, making architectural and design decisions to implementation, validation, and release.

Boston, MA

Jun 2020 - Aug 2020

Undergraduate Researcher

PACHTER LAB

- Worked with **Sina Boeshaghi** and **Prof Lior Pachter** on single-cell RNA-seq projects.
- Developed a friendly wrapper around a popular scRNA-seq pre-processing pipeline (kb-python).
- Developed a user interface for the open-source fraction collector (Colosseum) using PyQt5 and later as a web application with React.js.

Pasadena, CA

Sept 2019 - Jun 2020

Software Engineering Intern

GINKGO BIOWORKS

- Improved Ginkgo's in-house data analysis pipeline and various backend services.
- Worked with other software engineers in an Agile environment to deliver stable, scalable and tested products.

Boston, MA

Jun. 2019 - Sept 2019

Undergraduate Researcher

STERNBERG LAB

- Worked with **David Angeles PhD.** and **Prof Paul W. Sternberg** on projects involving the model organism *C. elegans*.
- Developed an automatic, complete RNA-seq pipeline for nematodes (Alaska).

Pasadena, CA

Jan 2017 - Jun 2019

Projects

Tumor Spatial Transcriptomics and Lineage Tracing

WEISSMAN LAB

- Multi-modal analysis of tumor spatial transcriptomics and single-cell lineage tracing.

May 2021 - Present

Cassiopeia

WEISSMAN LAB

- A package for processing and analysis of Cas9-enabled single-cell lineage tracing data.
- Implemented support for spatial lineage tracing data.
- Major improvements to preprocessing pipeline, including optimization and parallelization.

 [YosefLab/Cassiopeia](#)

Feb 2021 - Present

Copy Number Variation (CNV) Inference and Analysis

WEISSMAN LAB

Nov 2020 - Present

- Performed CNV inference from tumor single-cell gene expression using **inferCNV**.
- Validated the inferred tumor phylogenetic trees and subclonal expansions using the CNV patterns of each cell.

dynast

 [aristoteleo/dynast-release](#)

WEISSMAN LAB

Oct 2020 - Present

- Pipeline for complete splicing and labeling quantification from metabolic labeling scRNA-seq experiments.
- Ability to perform statistical correction of labeled/unlabeled RNA using a Bayesian inference model.

Mass Spectrometry Pipeline

GINKGO BIOWORKS

Jun 2020 - Aug 2020

- Migrated mass spectrometry pipeline, which depended on an on-prem Windows machine, to Linux on AWS and Airflow.
- Implemented the ability to call Windows DLLs within Linux with Wine and IronPython.
- Retired an internal fork of ProteoWizard by contributing back to the project.

Colosseum

 [pachterlab/colosseum](#)

PACHTER LAB

Sept 2019 - Jun 2020

- A low-cost, modular, open-source automated fluid sampling device for scalable microfluidic applications.
- Can be built for less than \$100 using off-the-shelf components in less than an hour.
- Developed its user interface using PyQt5 and installable from Pypi; later migrated to a fully-featured web application written with React.js.

kb-python

 [pachterlab/kb_python](#)

PACHTER LAB

Oct 2019 - Jun 2020

- A Python wrapper around the kallisto | bustools pipeline for scRNA-seq pre-processing.
- Pre-processes scRNA-seq data into gene count matrices and RNA velocity matrices.
- Provides pre-built reference indices for pseudoalignment.

NGS Pipeline

GINKGO BIOWORKS

Jun 2019 - Sept 2019

- Migrated in-house NGS pipeline to the cloud (AWS S3, Batch, DynamoDB).
- Implemented pipeline metrics collection with Elasticsearch and Grafana.
- Implemented contamination screening via taxonomy analysis with Centrifuge.

Alaska

 [lioscro/alaska-parse](#)

STERNBERG LAB

Jan 2017 - Aug 2019

- Developed a framework for automated, complete RNA-seq analysis.
- Parse Server backend. Frontend portal in Javascript, HTML/CSS. Containerization with Docker.
- Presented a poster at the 21st International *C. elegans* Conference.

Publications

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| 2021 | Molecular Recording Reveals the Phylodynamics, Plasticity, and Paths of Tumor Evolution , author | <i>In preparation</i> |
| 2021 | Low-cost, scalable, and automated fluid sampling for fluidics applications , author | <i>HardwareX</i> |
| 2021 | Modular and efficient pre-processing of single-cell RNA-seq , author | <i>Nature Biotech.</i> |

Presentations

SURF Seminar Day

Pasadena, CA

PRESENTER FOR <A FRAMEWORK FOR AUTOMATED, COMPLETE RNA-SEQ ANALYSIS>

Oct 2018

- Presented work done on Alaska during summer fellowship.

21st International *C. elegans* Conference

Los Angeles, CA

POSTER PRESENTER FOR <A FRAMEWORK FOR AUTOMATED, COMPLETE RNA-SEQ ANALYSIS>

Jun 2017

- Introduced Alaska, an RNA-seq analysis pipeline for nematodes.

Awards & Honors

2018 **Semi-finalist**, Perpall Speaking Competition
2018 **Fellow**, Samuel P. and Frances Krown SURF Fellowship
2017 **Fellow**, SURF Fellowship

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Skills

Programming Python, Javascript, C/C++, HTML/CSS
Software Docker, Django, Apache Airflow, AWS S3/Batch/DynamoDB, Elasticsearch, React.js, CI/CD, Numpy, Pandas
Data Analysis Bulk RNA-seq, Single-cell RNA-seq
Molecular Biology PCR, Cloning, Purification

Extracurriculars

The Big T Yearbook

[Pasadena, CA](#)

BUSINESS MANAGER, DESIGNER, PHOTOGRAPHER; EDITOR-IN-CHIEF SEPT 2019 - JUN 2020

Sept 2016 - Jun 2020

- (Editor-in-Chief) Responsible for setting the theme, layout, content, and publishing of the 2019-2020 yearbook.
- Established a new advertisement system, shared cloud storage system, job organization and assignment system, and payment reimbursement system.
- Designed pages and took/edited photos with Adobe Creative Cloud software.

Caltech & American Red Cross

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HEALTH ADVOCATE & EMERGENCY MEDICAL RESPONDER

Sept 2017 - Jun 2020

- American Red Cross certified emergency medical responder and basic life support provider.
- Worked as the dormitory health advocate and provided first aid to students.

Student Government, Lloyd House

[Pasadena, CA](#)

HISTORIAN

Jun 2017 - May 2019

- Responsible for recording Lloyd House (dormitory) events by taking photos.
- Established a new shared cloud storage system to distribute these photos.