# EDWARD LI

### SKILLS

- Languages: Python, Java, Go, JavaScript/TypeScript, C/C++, PHP, SQL, MATLAB, LaTeX
- Frameworks: PyTorch, TensorFlow, Keras, NLTK, CoreNLP, Pandas, Matplotlib, Spark, Flask, Android SDK
- Tools: Linux, Windows, Vim, Bash, Git, Jira, MySQL, MongoDB, Redis, Jupyter Notebook, Android Studio

### **A** EXPERIENCE

#### **Data Scientist**

September, 2019 – December, 2019

Syngli Inc.

Waterloo, Ontario, Canada

- Researched and developed intricate algorithms in <u>Python</u> based on deep-dive statistical analysis and integrated them into Syngli's online learning platform written in <u>PHP</u>
- Developed a handwriting manipulation project with <u>Dynamic Time Warping</u> algorithm in <u>JavaScript</u>, which can evaluate the children's handwriting on iPad and provide suggestions for them to make improvements
- Created a semi-automatic relation extraction tool with  $\underline{BERT}$ ,  $\underline{coreference\ resolution}$  from  $\underline{Stanford\ CoreNLP}$  and  $\underline{NLTK}$ , which can provide suggestions for creating questions from unstructured text
- Involved in the development of the <u>POMDP</u> algorithm for question planning to improve users' learning efficiency
- Built an evaluation method to score users' answers with <u>N-grams</u>, <u>word frequency</u>, and <u>Levenshtein Distance</u> Algorithm, which allows answers to have more flexibility at the syntactic level

# **Android Developer**

January, 2019 – April, 2019

**BlackBerry** 

Kanata, Ontario, Canada

- Developed new features for BlackBerry's Personal Information Management Service (BlackBerry Hub and Black-Berry Hub<sup>+</sup> Service) using Android SDK
- Participated in all aspects of the SDLC including planning, technical design, implementation, and testing
- Decompiled phone calling apps from different manufacturers and developed an algorithm that scrape call logs from notifications to improve the compatibility of BlackBerry PIM Service on different Android mobile devices
- Investigated and updated SDK of Blackberry Hub and Blackberry Hub<sup>+</sup> Services to Android Q

#### **Software Engineer**

May, 2018 – July, 2018

Wuhan Jiayou Information Technology Co., Ltd.

Wuhan, Hubei, China

- Designed and developed a <u>Dynamic Domain Name Server</u> in <u>Go</u>, which can dynamically allocate domain resources accordingly and monitor clients' inactivity
- Utilized MySQL to store real-time domain resource usage and provided visualization with JavaScript and HTML
- Collaborated on a project to provide <u>DDOS Attack Defence Service</u> for e-commerce and online game companies

#### **m** Research Experience

# **Undergraduate Research Assistant**

January, 2020 – April, 2020

 ${\it University~of~Waterloo} \cdot {\it Data~Systems~Lab}$ 

Waterloo, Ontario, Canada

• Worked with Professor Jimmy Lin on tools for information retrieval and question answering built on Lucene

# **PROJECTS**

- Anime Face Generator: Trained a <u>Deep Convolutional Generative Adversarial Network</u> with <u>TensorFlow</u> and an anime face dataset, which is capable for automatic anime face generation on demand October, 2019
- Road to Graduation (Hack the 6ix): <u>Scraped</u> course information from UW undergraduate calendar and built a visualization of all the required course and their relationships for a selected degree with <u>NetworkX</u> August, 2019
- Calendar Capture: Collaborated with other members in a team in The Side Project Club to build an <u>Android</u> app with <u>Google Cloud Optical Character Recognition API</u>, which can help users add events on their calendar by taking a photo of a poster

  February, 2018

### **EDUCATION**