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EDUCATION

University of California, Berkeley

August 2015-2019

Expected B.S. in Electrical Engineering & Computer Science

Expected B.A. in Pure Mathematics

Regents' and Chancellor's Scholar (*Highest honor awarded to incoming undergraduates*)

Coursework: Data Structures, Honors Real Analysis, Linear Algebra & Differential Equations, Topological Measure Theory, Machine Learning.

Overall GPA: 3.7

University of Utah

August 2013 - May 2015

Nonmatriculate in Mathematics & Computer Science

CS2420: Algorithms and Data Structures

Overall GPA: 3.9 (18 units)

EXPERIENCE

Machine Learning at Berkeley

December 2015 - Present

Founder/Director of Research

Berkeley, California

- Theorized and implemented new ML algorithm, **Functional Neural Networks**. Presented work at the Intel International Science Fair. Published to ICML 2016.
- Project Manager on **OpenBrain**, a massively asynchronous recurrent neurocomputational approach to AGI.
- Researching **Deep Active Learning**, a bridge between deep learning and active learning using policy/selection steps inspired by Alpha Go.

Personal Projects

- Developed **DeepLearn.NET**, an open source C# neural network learning framework.
- Created novel gradient descent method for feed forward ANNs and applied the algorithm to breast cancer diagnostics (mammography and FNA) with 99.8% error rate. Presented at the University of Utah Global Health Conference. Won United States Congressional App Challenge.
- Implemented **git** from scratch in java with support for remotes, diffs, and most canonical features.

LeapYear

October 2015 - December 2015

Machine Learning Intern

Berkeley, California

- Theorized and implemented ϵ -differentially private deep neural network algorithm in Python.
- Working with team on web-api using Django RESTful.

University of Utah Musculoskeletal Research Lab

Summer 2014

Intern/Developer

Salt Lake City, Utah

- Parallelized C++ finite element solver using OpenMP and Bluelock Scans.

Lost Code Studios

August 2012 - June 2014

Lead Developer

Salt Lake City, Utah

- Published **Space Hordes** to Xbox Live Indie Marketplace
- Created component oriented entity framework, **GameLib/GameLibJ** for game development in C# and Java.
- First prize in IGDA Salt Lake City - Global Game Jam (2013,2014).

TECHNICAL SKILLS

Computer Languages

C#, Java, C++, Python, JavaScript, LaTeX, PHP,,

Protocols & APIs

XNA, LINQ, Ember.JS, JSON, Windows Phone Development, Node.JS

Tools

Git, Visual Studio, Eclipse, Sublime, IDLE, SVN, Heroku

Github Score

473