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## **EDUCATION**

2018-2019 Master of Engineering - Electrical & Computer Eng, Concordia University - Distinction

2019 Applied Machine Learning - Computer Science, McGill University

2013-2015 Master of Science - Computer & Communication Engineering, Lebanese University

2010-2013 Bachelor of Science - Communication Engineering, Lebanese University

### PROFESSIONAL WORK EXPERIENCE

# 2016-2018 Python Developer - NewTech, Lebanon

- Work with Data Scientist and Product Managers to frame a problem, both mathematically and with the business context
- Building either IR, NLP, deep learning or machine learning algorithms
- Develop high precision classifiers and tools leveraging machine learning, regression and rule-based models
- Use open-source machine learning and deep learning framework (Pandas, Numpy, Scikitlearn, Matplotlib, Keras, TensorFlow)
- Maintained Git workflows for version control( source code management)

# 2013-2016 Senior Account Executive - Express, Lebanon

- Elevated account management by predicting potential competitive threats and outlining proactive solutions.
- Strengthened customer relationships with proactive and collaborative approach to managing needs.
- Liaised between clients and support team to resolve issues quickly and effectively.

#### **PROJECTS**

**NLP** - sentence classifiers using CNN on top of pre-trained word vectors, Word2Vec.

**IMBD Sentiment Analysis- 90% Kaggle score (top 10 teams)** Bernoulli Naive Bayes was implemented from scratch with Laplace smoothing

Modified MNIST - 96% Kaggle score - CNN was used to classify 100, 000 hand written digit images

**Data Analysis -** Supervised algorithm was built from scratch to predict the popularity of comments on Reddit.com

#### **TECHNICAL SKILLS**

Tools

Python, Java, Hadoop, Spark, Pig, Hive, SQL

Industry Knowledge

Machine learning, Deep learning

Libraries

Scikit-leam, Numpy, OpenCV, Word2Vec, Pandas, Tensorflow, Keras

Cloud Computing

AWS - Azure

- MAC OS
- Microsoft windows 7, 8, 10
- Linux (Fedora, Ubuntu)