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EDUCATION Temple University, Philadelphia, PA

Bachelor of Science, Electrical Engineering

May 2016 - *Magna cum laude* Computer Engineering Concentration

GPA: 3.72, Dean's List: Fall 2012-Spring 2016

COURSEWORK Data Structures

Software Tools for Engineers

Signals & Systems Stochastic Processes

TECHNICAL SKILLS

Python, Java, C, OpenCV, Data Science, C#, MATLAB, Javascript, MS SQL, Verilog,

Assembly

RELEVANT EXPERIENCE

Data Science Fellow

June 2016-August 2016

Mashable, Data Science Team, New York, NY

- Extracted feature descriptor vectors from a corpus of 140k images using OpenCV SURF and fchollet's deep learning models
- Represented corpus of 37k images using Bag of Visual Words

Business Analyst Intern

June 2015-August 2015

JP Morgan Chase & Co., Consumer and Community Banking, Newark, DE

- Extracted and manipulated inventory data using MS SQL and Excel pivot tables
- Produced and delivery reports and presentations on performed analysis

Lab Assistant in CIS 1057

January 2014- May 2016

Computer & Information Sciences Department, Temple University

- Lead weekly laboratories and troubleshoot students' error messages for a class of 20-30 undergraduates taking Introduction to Programming in C.
- Conduct weekly office hours and grade students' projects

Research Assistant

September 2013-June 2014

Electrical and Computer Engineering Department, Temple University

- Designed and 3D printed small project components.
- Wrote & gave presentations for graduate students in the Computer Fusion Lab.

Research and Development Intern

June 2014-August 2014

Pochet du Courval, Research & Development, Normandy, France

- Devised a system to automate photo capture of glass bottles at all angles, assemble the photos in a fluid animation, and manipulate the animations using motion captures for a French high-end glass manufacturing company.
- Delivered a functional prototype with documentation upon completion of the internship

ACTIVITIES & PROJECTS

Temple WaterfOWLS, Senior Design Project

July 2015-May 2016

 Optimize vision system of an autonomous unmanned boat for the AUVSI RoboBoat competition using OpenCV

Clarifai Champions, Class of 2016

- Project-based developer evangelist mentorship program to develop demobuilding, public speaking, and documentation writing skills
- Practice with Clarifai's visual recognition API

HackNY Fellow, Class of 2016