# MICHAEL S. MCNEILL

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### **EXPERIENCE**

# Software Development Engineer Intern

#### Amazon, Robotics Al

- May 2022 Aug 2022
- Created design documents to accurately outline project requirements.
- Productionized a tool to reduce instance segmentation annotation costs for images, contributing to a 90% reduction in annotation costs.
- Utilized AWS services to develop a generic pipeline for the annotation tool to streamline deployment of different models for scientists.

#### Research Assistantship

#### File Systems and Storage Lab

- June 2021 Present
- Analyzed traces with multiple threads for the Re-Animator project.
- Created graphs using matplotlib for KML Technical Report FSL-21-02.
- Experimented with altering parameters for different IO schedulers across multiple workloads to determine optimal values and statistical differences.

#### **Teaching Assistant**

#### Stony Brook University

- 苗 Jan 2020 May 2020, Jan 2022 May 2022, Aug 2022 Dec 2022
- Conducted weekly recitation section for 30 students, teaching concepts and examples from various programming languages.
- Worked directly with students during office hours to assist with completion and comprehension of assignments.
- Created review materials and questions for exams.

# Software Development Engineer Intern Cubicle Enterprises LLC

### Oct 2018 - Feb 2019

Created a Python Flask REST API for a generative design platform contracted to a major manufacturing and licensing company.

# **PROJECTS**

#### ChanHull

#### **Python**

**April** 2022

- Created an implementation of Timothy Chan's optimal  $O(n\log h)$  convex hull algorithm with a graphical display of algorithm progression using Matplotlib.
- Allows users to compare performance with  $O(n\log n)$  Graham Scan as well as a modified version of Chan's algorithm. The comparison is shown through tables and graphs.

#### **EDUCATION**

# M.S. in Computer Science Stony Brook University

May 2022 - May 2023

3.97 Cumulative GPA

#### **Relevant Courses**

- Analysis of Algorithms
- Computational Geometry
- Machine Learning
- Natural Language Processing
- Operating Systems

# B.S. in Applied Mathematics & Computer Science

#### **Stony Brook University**

**a** Aug 2018 - May 2022

3.93 Cumulative GPA Summa Cum Laude

#### **Relevant Courses**

- Computer Networks
- Data Structures
- Differential Equations
- Software Engineering
- Linear Algebra
- Multivariate Calculus
- Operations Research
- System Fundamentals II

# **LANGUAGES**

Python C Java MIPS Assembly OCaml

## **SKILLS**



## **REFERENCES**

#### **Christopher Tran**

- 2 10x Genomics
- christopher.tran@10xgenomics.com
- Supervisor at Cubicle Enterprises LLC

#### Redistricting

#### React/Java-Spring

- **Aug** 2021 Dec 2021
- Created a full stack web app which allows users to select 1 of 90 different candidate districtings, and improve population equality while preserving political attributes by moving census blocks.
- Primarily worked on the Spring back-end, client-server interaction and implementation of server algorithm to improve population equality.
- Collaborated with a group of 4 people for Capstone project, becoming the highest ranked team in the class.
- Wrote out detailed use cases and created UML class diagrams.

#### Grayscale Image Utility

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- Feb 2021
- Converts files to/from pgm, ascii and birp formats.
- Allowed for transformations on the binary decision diagrams underlying the birp format.

### **PUBLICATIONS**

- KML: Improving Storage Systems Using Machine Learning.
  ACM Transactions on Storage (TOS), 2023.
  Ibrahim Umit Akgun, Ali Selman Aydin, Andrew Burford, Michael McNeill,
  Michael Arkhangelskiy, and Erez Zadok.
- Predicting Network Buffer Capacity for BBR Fairness.
  Conference on Neural Information Processing Systems (NeurIPS), 2022.
  Ibrahim Umit Akgun, Santiago Vargas, Michael Arkhangelskiy, Andrew Burford, Michael McNeill, Aruna Balasubramanian, Anshul Gandhi, and Erez Zadok.
- KML: Using Machine Learning to Improve Storage Systems.
  Arxiv 2021.
  Ibrahim Umit Akgun, Ali Selman Aydin, Andrew Burford, Michael McNeill,

Michael Arkhangelskiy, Aadil Shaikh, Lukas Velikov, and Erez Zadok.

### **AWARDS**

#### **Outstanding TA**

**2021-2022** 

Stony Brook University

# Award of Honor for Outstanding Academics in Applied Mathematics & Statistics

**=** 2022

Stony Brook University

#### Dean's List

**2018-2022** 

Stony Brook University