NHIEN (RICKY) LAM

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OBJECTIVE: Software Engineering Intern

EDUCATION

San José State University

San José, CA

Graduation: May 2022

B.S. Computer Science

- GPA: 3.86/4.00
- Relevant Coursework: Data Structures and Algorithms, Programming in Java, Programming in C++, Computer Systems, Calculus, Linear Algebra, Discrete Mathematics, Applied Probability and Statistics, Technical Writing
- Honors and Awards: Honor Society of Phi Kappa Phi, Dean's Scholar

SKILLS

- Programming Languages: Java, Python, C++, C, JavaScript, HTML, CSS
- Technologies: Eclipse, Visual Studio Code, Git, GitHub, Adobe XD, Linux
- Languages: Vietnamese, Hakka, English, and Cantonese

EXPERIENCE

San José State University

San José, CA

Computer Science Teaching Assistant

August 2020 - Present

- Collaborate with instructors to monitor and assist classes of 180 students Introduction to Data Structures
- Responsible for testing and grading homework and projects
- Give constructive feedback to help students improve Data Structure knowledge
- Interact with students through email addressing their questions and concerns

PROJECTS

Google Search Engine Simulator

October 2020 - December 2020

- Independently designed and implemented a micro version of Google Search Engine Simulator using Java
- Allowed users to search for keywords and display lists of web URL links
- Allowed users to rank each website based on 4 factors: Frequency, Age, Money, Number of other web pages that link to the page
- Sorted lists of websites using Heapsort and stored in the Priority Queue based on ranks
- Gained experience and knowledge in Heap data structures, Heapsort, Priority Queue, and Web Crawler

Learning Disability Predictor, IBM Hackathon

July 2020 - September 2020

- Led a team of 5 to build a web application for teachers to run quick tests on students to predict whether they have learning disabilities using Python, JavaScript, HTML, CSS, and IBM technology
- Deployed a predictive model with an accuracy up to 93.1% using IBM AutoAI and Watson Machine Learning
- Presented the product to a panel of 4 judges from IBM
- Gained experience and knowledge in machine learning, data analysis, IBM technology

To-Do List

June 2020 - August 2020

- Independently built a To-Do List that maintains priority queue to manage tasks to be done using Java
- Performed various tasks: add, remove task, change task's priority, display list, and save list
- Gained experience and knowledge in Queue data structures, Priority Queue, File I/O operations

Climate Change Analysis

April 2020 - May 2020

- Independently built a program that reads data from the Climate Change Knowledge Portal with temperature readings of various months for all countries from 2000-2016 using **Java**
- Stored the data in Java collection data structures
- Allowed users to perform various searches on the data based on specific search criteria
- Wrote the result data to another data file using file I/O operations