# Daniel Li

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Born: February 9, 1997-Beer-Sheva, Israel

Nationality: American/Chinese

# Current position(s)

Research Assistant, University of California, Berkeley — Pachter Group

- Research in novel approaches to RNA-sequencing with the features in abundance estimation transcript annotation difficulties, differential expression
- Optimization of statistical likelihood model through non uniform distribution analysis to increase accuracy for projections onto subspaces

Research Assistant, University of California, Berkeley — Rao Group

• Investigating phylogenetic algorithms in computational biology

# Areas of specialization

Electrical Engineering & Computer Science • Computational Biology • Machine Learning

# Positions held

2016s Factual Inc, Research & Development Intern

2013-2014 Speech & Debate, President 2013-2014 Science Olympiad, Captain

Pabrai Investment Funds, Analyst Intern

# Education

2014-2017 BSc in progress Electrical Engineering and Computer Science, University of California, Berkeley

• 3.6/4.0 GPA

2011-2014 DIPLOMA La Cañada High School

• 4.7/4.0 GPA

• 2310/2400 SAT

#### Honors & awards

2014 MIT Think Scholarship, Massachusetts Institute of Technology

#### Relevant Skills

Proficient Programming Languages: Java • Python • C • R

Mathematics: Calculus (integral, differential, vector, multivariable) • Discrete Mathematics

Competent Programming Languages: CSS • HTML • Android SDK development • Shiny • LISP/Clojure/Scheme

• SQLite

 $Mathematics: \ Statistics \bullet Calculus \ (Lambda) \bullet Probability \ theory \bullet Algebra \bullet (Partial) \ Differential$ 

Equations)

# Coursework

#### 1\*\* DENOTES UPPER DIVISION

Fall 2014 University of California, Berkeley

Computer Science 61A — Structure and Interpretation of Computer Programs

Mathematics 1A — Calculus

Earth & Planetary Science C129 − Biometerology

Education 186AC — The Southern Border

Comparative Literature R<sub>1</sub>B — Comparative World Literature

Mechanical Engineering 98 — Directed Group Study

Spring 2015 University of California, Berkeley

Mathematics 54 — Linear Algebra and Differential Equations

Computer Science 61B — Data Structures

Physics for Scientists and Engineers 7A — Mechanics

Education 190 — Critical Studies in Education Computer Science 98 — Directed Group Study

Summer 2015 University of California, Berkeley

Mathematics W<sub>53</sub> - Multivariable Calculus

California State University, Fullerton
Physics 226 — Electricity & Magnetism
Physics 226L — Electricity & Magnetism Lab

Fall 2015 University of California, Berkeley

Computer Science 70 − Discrete Mathematics & Probability Theory

Electrical Engineering 16A — Designing Information Devices and Systems I

Computer Science 199 — Research under Professor Lior Pachter

History 162A — Europe and the World: Wars, Empire, Nations 1648-1914

Spring 2016

University of California, Berkeley

Computer Science 61C — Machine Architectures

Computer Science C8 — Introduction to Data Science

Computer Science 160 — Human Computer Interaction

Computer Science 199 — Research under Professor Lior Pachter

College Writing 25AC — United States Education

College Writing 10A — Introduction to Public Speaking

College Writing 9C — Academic Writing

# Fall 2016 (IP) University of California, Berkeley

Computer Science 170 — Efficient Algorithms & Intractable Problems

Computer Science 176 — Algorithms in Computational Biology

Electrical Engineering 16B — Designing Information Devices and Systems II

Computer Science 199 — Research under Professor Lior Pachter

Computer Science 199 — Research under Professor Satish Rao