Daniel Li

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Education

Columbia University

Area in Computer Science
Ph.D Fall 2018 - Fall 2022*
M.Phil Fall 2018 - Spring 2021

University of California, Berkeley

Area in Electrical Engineering
Computer Science
M.Sc Fall 2017 - Spring 2018

B.Sc Fall 2017 - Spring 2018

Skills

Programming

Python: Java: R: LaTeX: HTML
Frameworks & Libraries
PyTorch: Tensorflow: NumPy
Mathematics & Statistics
Statistics: Algebra: Topology

Design & UI & UX Figma : Prototyping

Coursework

Graduate Level

Algorithms & Uncertainty
Beyond Worse Case Analysis
Combinatorial Algorithms
Computational Geometry
Deep Learning
Statistical Inference
Biostatistics

Awards & Misc.

Google Cloud Grant NVIDIA Grant ICLR Travel Award Dean's Honors CS:GO SMFC (2017)

Industry Experience

Google Research

Unnamed Group Fall 2017 : Present

Co-Founder (total team size of 2)

Securities Trading

Accounts (equities, options) of \$2.5M USD, 400% ROI since inception

Research Intern @ Cloud AI Translation Natural Language Processing

Summer 2021

o [Incoming Intern] Automatic quality estimation for translation methods

Google Research Summer 2020

Research Intern @ Google Translate Natural Language Processing

Increased automatic speech recognition translation by +1 to +1.4 BLEU

Memorial Sloan Kettering Cancer Center Summer 2019

Researcher @ Dana Pe'er Lab Computer Vision & Imaging

o Computer vision techniques for analyzing and understanding tumor data

NEC Research Institute

Summer, Fall 2017

Research Intern

Natural Language Processing

Research in adaptive memory networks with a focus on faster inference

Factual Inc. Summer 2016

Software Engineering Intern

Natural Language Processing

• Worked on probabilistic deduplication, entity resolution, and record linkage

Academic Experience

NLP & HCI @ Columbia University Fall 2020 : Present
PhD Researcher @ {Chilton} Natural Language Processing

• Dialogue summarization and applications

CompBio @ UC-Berkeley, Columbia University Fall 2016 : Fall 2020 Research @ {Pe'er, Rao, Pachter} Machine Learning & Biology

Vision, language modeling on biological data

TA @ UC-Berkeley, Columbia University Fall 2017 : **Spring 2020**Graduate Student Instructor **6 Semesters**

• Human Computer Interaction, Machine Learning for Functional Genomics

Publications

Daniel Li, Te I, Naveen Ari, Colin Cherry, Dirk Padfield. *Sentence Boundary Augmentation for Neural Machine Translation Robustness*. **ICASSP 2021**

Daniel Li, Qiang Ma, Jenny Chen, Andrew Liu, ..., Itsik Pe'er. *Counterfactual Hypothesis Testing of Tumor Microenvironment Through Semantic Image Synthesis.* **Under Review.**

Daniel Li, Asim Kadav. *Adaptive Memory Networks*, NIPS 2017 Workshop: Deep Learning at Supercomputer Scale & ICLR 2018 Workshop