# 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**

Unnamed Group

Co-Founder (total team size of 2)

Securities Trading

Fall 2017: Present

o Accounts (equities, options) of \$2.0M USD, 350% ROI since inception

Google Research

Summer **2021** 

Research Intern @ Cloud AI Translation

Natural Language Processing

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** 

o Research in adaptive memory networks with a focus on faster inference

Factual Inc.

Summer 2016

Software Engineering Intern

Natural Language Processing

o 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

 ${\sf TA} \ @$  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