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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 latent scRNA cell type classification under noisy data conditions

Research Assistant, University of California, Berkeley Rao Group

• Investigate phylogenetic algorithms and optimize estimation accuracies on various trees

Research Interests

Computational Biology • Machine Learning

Positions held

NEC Laboratories, Research Assistant

- \bullet Deep learning on memory recurrent networks and video action recognition.
- Only undergraduate research assistant in Ph.D level work and in the accepted candidate pool

Factual Inc, Software Engineering Intern

• Entity resolution of databases semantic similarity, clustering, and artificial neural networks

2012S, 2013S University of California, Irvine Calit2, Research & Development Intern

Pabrai Investment Funds, Analyst Intern

Education

2017-2018 M.Sc. Electrical Engineering and Computer Science, University of California, Berkeley. In progress.

²⁰¹⁴⁻²⁰¹⁷ B.Sc. Electrical Engineering and Computer Science, University of California, Berkeley.

• 3.61/4.0 GPA

DIPLOMA. La Cañada High School

• 4.7/4.0 GPA

Honors & awards

Dean's Honors – awarded to top 10% (3.9 GPA) of the class, University of California, Berkeley

MIT Think Award – awarded \$2,000, Massachusetts Institute of Technology

Summa Cum Laude – awarded to top 5% of graduating class

Talks

2014

Li, Daniel, Latent Dirichlet Allocation and Applications in Data Deduplication, Factual Inc. June 9, 2016

Relevant Skills

Proficient Programming Languages: Python • Java • R

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

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

• SQLite

Mathematics: Statistics • Calculus (Lambda) • Probability theory • Algebra • (Partial) Differential

Equations)

Coursework

1** DENOTES UPPER DIVISION

2** DENOTES GRADUATE DIVISION

(IP) Spring 2017 University of California, Berkeley

Computer Science 270 − Combinatorial Algorithms & Data Structures

Computer Science 274 — Computational Geometry

Computer Science 294-131 — Special Topics in Deep Learning

Computer Science 194-131 — Designing Technology to Combat Violent Extremism

Electrical Engineering 16B - Designing Information Devices and Systems II

Industrial Engineering & Operations Research 192 — Entrepreneurship

Information 88A — Data and Ethics Physics 49 — Thermodynamics

Computer Science 199 — Research under Professor Lior Pachter Computer Science 199 — Research under Professor Satish Rao

Fall 2016 University of California, Berkeley

Computer Science 170 − Efficient Algorithms & Intractable Problems

Computer Science 194-26 — Computational Photography
Computer Science 294-128 — Algorithms and Uncertainty
Computer Science 199 — Research under Professor Lior Pachter
Computer Science 199 — Research under Professor Satish Rao

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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 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

Summer 2015 University of California, Berkeley

Mathematics W₅₃ - Multivariable Calculus

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

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

Fall 2014 University of California, Berkeley

Computer Science $61\mathrm{A}-\mathrm{Structure}$ and Interpretation of Computer Programs

Mathematics 1A − Calculus

Earth & Planetary Science C129 — Biometerology

Education 186AC — The Southern Border

Comparative Literature R₁B — Comparative World Literature

Mechanical Engineering 98 — Directed Group Study

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