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#### **EDUCATION**

College of Natural Science and Mathematics, University of Houston, TX

**Bachelor of Science in Computer Science** 

Cumulative GPA: 3.97, Major GPA: 3.9

May 2023

#### **EXPERIENCE**

# **HULA Research Laboratory, Houston, TX**

September 2020 - Present

Machine Learning Research Assistant

- Submitted paper to MICCAI conference proposing novel set transformer-inspired architecture for case-level renal disease classification
- Delivered presentation on a novel case-level classification architecture to over 100 medical professionals at the AI in Nephropathology Workshop in Amsterdam 2021
- Developed custom medical image annotation interfaces allowing for fine-grained grid label application using React and the Labelbox JavaScript API
- Delivered presentation on custom labeling schemes using LabelBox platform to computer vision group at the University of Buffalo, NY
- Assisted in development of novel style initialization technique for smoothing out data distributions in nephropathology datasets using style transfer algorithms

# Taipei Medical University, Taipei, Taiwan

**March 2021** 

Data Analyst Intern (Remote Work)

- Preprocessed and merged wearable device data measurements taken from 18 Taiwanese patients
- Created correlation matrix and time series visualizations between physical activity, circulation, fatigue, and sleep measurements taken over 9 months
- Explored time-lag cross correlations among patient data

### INDEPENDENT PROJECTS

### **Autoencoder Anomaly Detection**

August 2020

- Machine learning model aimed at anomaly detection in environmental sensor datasets from Amazon's Seattle Sphere conservatories
- Placed 3<sup>rd</sup> in the AWS & NVIDIA Environmental Hackathon (\$3000 award)
- Developed using Python, Pytorch, Jupyter Notebooks, and Amazon Sagemaker

# **TECHNICAL STRENGTHS**

Programming Languages: Python, C++, JavaScript, Java, Octave, MATLAB Libraries: Pytorch, Keras, Numpy, Pandas, Scikit-learn

## **HONORS AND AWARDS**

Dean's Distinguished Scholars List, The University of Houston

Fall 2019 - Fall 2020

### **ACTIVITIES**

# **Management Information Systems Student Organization**

January 2020 - Present

Professional Development Committee

- Worked with a team of 20 committee members to perform 75 individual resume reviews following resume guidelines set by C.T. Bauer College of Business
- Delivered a presentation on IT candidate development during professional development workshop