Leo Lee

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EDUCATION

EXPERIENCE

University of Southern California

Master of Science in Computer Science - Data Science

University of California, Santa Cruz

Bachelor of Science in Computer Science

Honors: Cum Laude with Highest Honor in the Major.

Software Engineer Intern

San Jose, CA

Los Angeles, CA August 2023 - May 2025

Santa Cruz, CA

May 2024 - August 2024

October 2020 - June 2023

AMD (Advanced Micro Devices)

• Developed dashboard using Python, Flask, MySQL, and JavaScript enabling engineers to monitor test pattern health and device performance

- Optimized dashboard loading time from 13 seconds to 0.2 seconds using SQLAlchemy and asynchronous data loading
- Utilized Alembic for automated database migration and maintained schema consistency across multiple environments
- Implemented Celery notification system for automated alerts and device performance insights
- Created interactive web pages using JavaScript for dynamic content updates, HTML for structured layouts, and CSS for responsive styling and visual enhancements

Machine Learning Research Intern

Los Angeles, CA

University of Southern California

September 2023 - May 2024

- Developed comprehensive benchmark platform for outlier detection algorithms using PvOD on large textual corpus datasets
- Implemented feature extraction pipeline using BERT and OpenAI GPT-3 embeddings for anomaly detection model evaluation
- Automated model comparison scripts across multiple outlier detection algorithms, analyzing performance metrics and generating comparative results
- Coordinated team workflow and presented IEEE format research paper to classmates

PROJECTS

Agentic RAG — Python, LangGraph, LangChain, OpenAI, ChromaDB, Streamlit

- Built an Agentic RAG for Japanese history using LangGraph with multi-turn conversationality and document retrieval via ChromaDB vector database
- Implemented LLM-as-Judge pattern with GPT-4 for relevance assessment and query rewriting
- Developed Streamlit frontend with real-time streaming and interactive chat interface
- Processed documents using OpenAI embeddings and recursive text splitting for context summarization

Graph Neural Network Traffic Forecasting — Python, PyTorch, GNNs, Pandas, Scikit-learn, Jupyter

- Developed DCRNN model using PyTorch and GNN architectures for traffic speed prediction on METR-LA dataset with 207 sensors across Los Angeles
- Implemented model experimentation comparing Euclidean distance, road-network, and correlation-based graph structures
- Built PyTorch pipeline with custom dataset classes, normalization, and training frameworks

MapReduce Inverted Index System — Python, mrjob, Hadoop, Text Processing

- Developed distributed MapReduce programs using Hadoop for building unigram and bigram inverted indexes from unstructured text collections
- Implemented text preprocessing with regex cleaning, case normalization, and tokenization
- Built combiner and reducer functions to aggregate term frequencies across documents
- Created selective bigram indexing for terms like "computer science" and "information retrieval"

SKILLS

Languages: Python, C++, MySQL, PostgreSQL, NoSQL, JavaScript, TypeScript, Java, Go

Machine Learning & AI: PyTorch, Transformers, HuggingFace, GNNs, Scikit-learn, LangChain, LangGraph, OpenAI GPT, BERT, ChromaDB, PyOD, YOLO

Data Tools & Libraries: Pandas, NumPy, Matplotlib, Jupyter, Hadoop, MapReduce, GeoPandas, OSMnx, RTrees, Shapely

Data Storage & Databases: ChromaDB, Weaviate, MySQL, PostgreSQL, NoSQL, SQLite

Frameworks & APIs: Flask, FastAPI, Docker, RESTful API, Celery, Streamlit, mrjob

Developer Tools: Git, Docker, Jupyter, CI/CD, Google Cloud Platform (GCP), Swagger, Pylint, MyPy, Alembic, Playwright, Agile, JIRA, Confluence, Make