

# TED ZAREMBA

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## EDUCATION

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**University of Illinois - Chicago**  
BS Computer Science *GPA: 3.93*

Chicago, IL  
August 2019 - May 2023

## WORK EXPERIENCE

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**UCCS Machine Learning REU Summer 2021**  
*Undergraduate Researcher*

Colorado Springs, CO  
June 2021 - August 2021

- Conducted independent research to make a deep learning model for Brain Computer Interfaces (BCI)
- Learned about signal processing, machine learning, and the specific problems related to EEG data

## ACTIVITIES

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**Art Institute of Chicago**  
Visitor Engagement Volunteer

Chicago, IL  
May 2019 - Present

- Give visitors recommendations on the pieces at the museum and help them navigate the museum
- Help manage crowds during the special exhibitions

**Association for Computing Machinery**  
Sig Math Member

Chicago, IL  
January 2020 - Present

- Work with my group on solving math related computer science problems such as time and space complexity proofs
- Built sudoku solver with group

## SKILLS

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Programming Languages: Python (3.5 Years), C++ (1.5 Years), R (1 Year), Matlab (9 Months)

## PROJECTS

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### "Cross-Subject & Cross-Dataset Subject Transfer in Motor Imagery BCI systems"

Languages: Python, Matlab

Libraries: Tensoreflow, Sklearn, Keras, Keras-Tuner, Scipy, Numpy, MNE, EEGLab

- Developed preprocessing pipeline for imagined movement EEG data
- Generated Short-Time Fourier Transformation representations of the data
- Developed convolutional neural network to classify the STFT representations
- Tested the influence of pretraining on other subjects
- Achieved > 95% accuracy for right hand vs. left hand on some subjects
- First author paper submitted to IEEE World Congress on Computational Intelligence:

### Artificial Intelligence based Earthquake Prediction

Languages: Python, R

Libraries: Sklearn, Pandas, Numpy

- Used earthquake data containing all earthquakes between 1990 and 2018 from the UC Berkeley Seismology Lab.
- Compared the performance between a random forest and a logistic regression
- Predicted whether an earthquake is likely to happen in the next 30 minutes, 1 hour, 5 hours, 24 hours with > 90% accuracy
- Compared the performance of a random forest and a logistic regression
- Analyzed how the performance changed as the size of the dataset, the time interval for prediction, and minimum earthquake magnitude grew

### Supreme Court Decision Analysis

Languages: Python

Libraries: Pandas, Scipy

- Used pandas to analyze case centered and justice centered data from Washington University's publicly available dataset
- Determined the political leanings of each judge