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PROJECTS

SaladNews web application

April 2018—May 2018

- Built a web app to filter news on the same topics by user specifications to serve articles that most fit users' interests
- Implemented an algorithm to analyze the quality and fitness of articles, processed information from Google News API and powered web server with **Python**, and styled and rendered front-end with **Javascript**, **Css and Html5**

A R e a, Cornell Tech Specialization Project

Dec 2017—now

- Developing an app to promote interactive experience among users, between users and their working space via AR
- Building an information gathering website to acquire, store users' information and provide API end points for the mobile front end, using **Node.js**, **MongoDB** with **Javascript**, **Css and Html5**

New York Times, Cornell Tech Product Studio

Sept 2017—Dec 2017

- Developed a mobile app to help NYT to attract new subscribers by gamifying news reading experience
- Implemented a mobile application to catalog, recommend content, enable social interaction and create personalized experience for NYT subscribers using in-house recommendation algorithm, **Node.js**, **MongoDB** and **React Native**

WeMove mobile application

Oct 2017—now

- Implemented a mobile app with **React Native**, **MongoDB**, and **Node.js** that connects available drivers and users who need to moving service, using **Google Geo API** and **GPS** identify location and **Heroku** to host the database
- Created a matching algorithm that matches drivers and users based on availability, proposed compensation, distance, and required hours, in addition to the feature that allows drivers to accept their desired jobs.

Capstone Research in Business Analytics, independent researcher

June 2016—May 2017

Topic: Whether the sentiment value of Twitter users' real time tweets can forecast consumer-facing and non-consumer-facing companies' stock performances.

- Designed, tested and ran Python, Shell scripts to acquire real time data via Twitter API and Microsoft API
- Automated and remotely monitored the 24/7 data acquisition programs on a research computer for 90 days
- Conducted statistical analysis on empirical variables with Stata, R and validated Efficient Market Hypothesis

WORK EXPERIENCE

Google Inc, Software Engineering Intern | Mountain View, CA, USA

May 2018—now

- Working with YouTube Video Ads team to visualize monetization data with Typescript, d3 and Angular2 framework
- Building a dynamic dashboard with App Framework in Java, serving both Zurich and U.S. YouTube Video Ads teams

NYU Abu Dhabi Design Lab, UI/HCI Research Assistant | Abu Dhabi, UAE

May 2017—July 2017

- Built 12 interfaces to validate uncertainty visual techniques of random-generated data in d3 and Angularjs
- Utilized non-parametric estimation (e.g.: kernel density estimation) to approximate user-specified, parametric probability density distribution, and created interactive UI to visualize the differences (aka: uncertainty)

EDUCATION

Cornell Tech at Cornell University, NYC, USA

May 2019

MS in Information System in Connective Media & Applied Information Science

Courses: Applied Machine Learning, Advanced Startup System Design and Engineering

New York University-Abu Dhabi, Abu Dhabi, UAE

May 2017

GPA: 3.86/4.00

GPA: 3.96/4.00

Magna Cum Laude in Economics with Finance specialization

Minors in Computer Science and Applied Mathematics

Courses: Algorithm, Data Structure, Software Engineering, Web Development with APIs

SKILLS

- Programming skills: Java, Python, JavaScript, Typescript, Html5, Css, Sass, SQL and MongoDB
- Framework & Tools: RESTful, Angular, d3, React Native, Git, Docker, AWS EC2/S3, Scikit-learn, Jooq, Unix

Personal

- Leadership: President at Consulting Club, Active participant at Women in Technology and Entrepreneurship
- Volunteer: Main Street Theater and Dance Alliance front-end consultant, Let's Code Roosevelt Island, Google Serve
- Interests: Detective Story, DIY décor, Marvel, Fashion, Roller Blading, Travel