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## Education

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### New York University

New York, NY

*Bachelor of Science in Applied Psychology and Computer Science. GPA: 3.99 / 4.0*

*May 2020*

- Honors & Awards: Undergraduate Research Conference Best Presentation Award, Dean's Undergraduate Research Grant, Presidential Honors Scholars, Dean's Honors List
- Relevant Coursework: Introduction to Machine Learning, Applied Internet Technology, Basic Algorithms, Operating Systems, Computer Systems Organization, Data Structures, Linear Algebra

## Experience

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### Minerva Technology

Suzhou, China

*Product Manager Intern*

*June 2019 – August 2019*

- Conducted market research and user analysis for conception of products empowered by Natural Language Processing
- Drafted product requirement documents and feature development plan about enterprise search, creating prototypes
- Managed project and ensured the client success in a SaaS product delivery, created development timeline and monitored the progress, collected user feedback through phone-call meetings for iterations to customer needs
- Collaborated with engineers by effectively communicating technical challenges and cross-team progress

*Data Science Intern*

- Tested hypotheses about user search behaviors with over 3 million records through statistics and visualization, inspected corner cases with qualitative analysis, extracted features for deep learning models that results in a 97.5% accuracy rate
- Experimented on NLP pipeline (e.g. stop words) to leverage performance optimization on database search pipeline

### Cognitive Development Lab, New York University

New York, NY

*Undergraduate Research Intern*

*March 2018 – May 2019*

- Completed an independent research project with \$1000 grant, presented results in poster in research conference
- Investigated social group typology based on k-means clustering, factor analysis, and logistic regression using R
- Designed surveys and collected 300+ on Qualtrics, performed data visualization
- Oversaw studies as student supervisor, communicated with lab members to facilitate the progress in research projects

### Sunkist International Consulting Inc.

New York, NY

*Product Development Intern*

*February 2018 – April 2018*

- Collected user feedback for further iterations of company's online education product and drafted an assessment report
- Conducted customer behavioral analysis and market analysis, drafted a report collaborating with other interns

## Activities

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### International Student Affairs Committee, New York University

New York, NY

*Project Lead*

*January 2018 - Present*

- Led the project on enhancing students' awareness of wellness resources and designed peer education program
- Coordinated project members to conduct research, cross-team outreach and proposal drafting
- Collaborated with university administration in planning timeline and addressing potential issues

### Alpha Phi Omega National Service Fraternity, New York University

New York, NY

*Vice President of Leadership*

*September 2018 – December 2018*

- Planned and organized weekly events and workshops for members about career developments and community building
- Collaborated with executive board for big events of the fraternity to address challenges and ensure the success

## Skills

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- Programming Languages & Statistical Analyses: Java, C, Python, JavaScript, R, Stata, SPSS, Qualtrics
- Graphical Design and others: Adobe Suite (Photoshop, Illustrator, InDesign), HTML, CSS, MS Office
- Language: English (proficient), Mandarin (native speaker), German (basic communication skills)