## **ADAM J. STEWART**

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#### **EDUCATION**

### Cornell University, College of Engineering, Ithaca, NY

May 2014

Bachelor of Science in *Science of Earth Systems*, concentration in *Computational Geophysics* Graduated Magna Cum Laude with Honors ● Cumulative GPA: 3.94 ● Major GPA: 4.04

#### **RELEVANT COURSES**

Object-Oriented Programming and Data Structures • UNIX Tools and Scripting • Engineering Computation

#### **PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE**

### **Assistant System Administrator**

October 2015 - Present

Argonne National Laboratory, Lemont, IL

- Installed scientific packages from source code with multiple compilers and MPI implementations
- Collaborated on Python open source supercomputing package manager hosted on GitHub
- Overhauled Continuous Integration (CI) infrastructure using unit tests and flake8 through Travis CI
- Debugged node hardware, GPFS mounting problems, and InfiniBand network issues
- Unracked, moved, and reracked fully loaded servers hosting 1.2 petabytes of storage nodes

### **Associate Software Engineer**

June 2014 - September 2015

Lockheed Martin, Owego, NY

Infrastructure Analytics program (IA)

- Worked on a NYSEG/Iberdrola contract to develop software to detect downed power lines and flooding
- Enhanced simulator for modeling LiDAR data of a town with houses, trees, poles, and power lines
- Programmed primarily in C# in a .NET Framework using Microsoft Visual Studio
- Investigated several different Continuous Integration (CI) software tools for build and test automation

Remote Computer Reader program (RCR)

- Worked on the image processing software used by the USPS to sort and deliver mail
- Performed a Failure Mode and Effects Analysis to track down bugs and discover monetary potential
- Enhanced Performance code (C) and overhauled internal testing tools (Perl, Bash, Python)
- Wrote Expect script to run Makefiles, ssh into remote machine, and ftp tar files to test bench
- Cleared for a Secret Security Clearance in order to access classified address databases

### **Collections Assistant**

September 2010 - January 2012

Paleontological Research Institution, Ithaca, NY

- Renovated and reorganized upper collections under NSF grant
- Inventoried and relabeled older, delicate specimens
- Systematized collections for organization and preservation
- Cataloged Zinsmeister collection and updated master database of specimens
- Documented and photographed Syracuse University collection journals

### RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

**Undergraduate Research Assistant**, with Professor Matthew E. Pritchard *Department of Earth and Atmospheric Sciences, Cornell University*, Ithaca, NY

May 2013 - May 2014

- Applied remote sensing techniques such as feature tracking to study the Russian High Arctic
- Investigated the effects of climate change on glacial velocities, calving rates, and ice shelf breakup
- Processed ASTER and Landsat satellite imagery using GMT, AROP, and ROI\_PAC software
- Wrote Python, MATLAB, and Bash scripts to automate rapid processing of data
- Designed new method of noise removal based on the comparison of each pixel with its nearest neighbors

## **Undergraduate Research Assistant**, with Professor Larry D. Brown

Department of Earth and Atmospheric Sciences, Cornell University, Ithaca, NY

- Studied the application of seismic interferometry to monitor magma reservoir inflation at Montserrat
- Researched the effects of seismic attenuation on aftershocks
- Analyzed aftershock records from dense station arrays in Maine and Virginia

#### **TEACHING EXPERIENCE**

#### **Teaching Assistant**

May 2014 - June 2014

August 2012 - May 2013

Department of Earth and Atmospheric Sciences, Cornell University, Ithaca, NY

- Served as a Teaching Assistant for Satellite Remote Sensing Training for Biological Oceanographers course
- Taught an intensive graduate course composed of 20 oceanographers from around the world
- · Wrote Python lesson plan from scratch and answered questions about Python and IDL programming
- Debugged satellite image processing scripts and managed Python module installation from source code

### **Undergraduate Python Consultant**

January 2014 - May 2014

Department of Computer Science, Cornell University, Ithaca, NY

- · Helped teach Introduction to Computing using Python and Transition to Object-Oriented Programming
- Facilitated learning in a weekly lab session of 36 students, troubleshot assignments, and graded exams
- · Held weekly consulting hours, working one-on-one with students to help clarify course material

# **Undergraduate Teaching Assistant**, PhysTEC Program

August 2012 - December 2013

Department of Physics, Cornell University, Ithaca, NY

- Taught course material for *Introduction to Mechanics, Heat/Electromagnetism*, and *Oscillations, Waves, and Quantum Physics* courses to 50+ students
- Led cooperative discussion and laboratory sections to promote understanding of physics material
- Coordinated homework study groups to encourage collaboration on homework assignments

# **Ecology / Conservation Director**

Summers 2008 - 2012

Camp Barton, Boy Scouts of America, Trumansburg, NY

- Delegated tasks to a department of six staff members
- Balanced teaching merit badges to scouts and administrative duties
- Rewrote lesson plans for all twenty merit badges
- Trained new staff members to become ecology counselors
- Established new advanced ecology program with outside organizations
- Maintained Camp Conservation Plan and oversaw conservation projects

#### **PUBLICATIONS**

Melkonian, A. K., Willis, M. J., Pritchard, M. E., & Stewart, A. J. (2016). Recent Glacier Velocities and Thinning at the Novaya Zemlya Icefield. *Remote Sensing of Environment, 174*, 244-257.

#### **HONORS AND AWARDS**

Frank H. T. Rhodes Award	2014
Michael W. Mitchell Prize	2013
Dean's List	2010 - 2014
Gertrude Spencer Prize Honorable Mention	2011
Lockheed Martin Foundation Scholarship	2010
Eagle Scout	2008

#### **OUTREACH AND LEADERSHIP EXPERIENCE**

Mentor for New Visions Job Shadowing Program at Lockheed Martin	2015
Test Proctor for Cornell Science Olympiad Invitational	2015
President of Science of Earth Systems Student Association	2012 - 2014
Tae Kwon Do Team	2011 - 2012

Executive Board of Cornell Ski and Snowboard Club	2010 - 2012
Boy Scouts of America	2002 - 2012
Volunteer in Collections Department of Paleontological Research Institution	2010 - 2011

### **COMPUTER SKILLS**

# **Programming Languages**

Python, Bash, Perl, Ruby, C, C#, Java, MATLAB, JavaScript, Make, Expect, Tcl, IDL

## **Markup Languages**

ETFX, Markdown, reStructuredText, HTML, CSS

## **Software**

VCS: Git, CVS, GitHub, GitLab CI: Travis CI, Flake8, Sphinx

Text Editors: Vim, Sublime Text, Visual Studio, Eclipse

Atlassian: Jira, Confluence, Crucible Other: GNU Debugger, SoftEnv

### **Platforms**

Linux (Fedora, RHEL, CentOS, Ubuntu, Mint), macOS, Windows