

# Gautam Mittal

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## EDUCATION

### UC BERKELEY

B.S. Electrical Engineering & Computer Science (EECS)

Expected May 2022 | Berkeley, CA  
GPA: 3.81 / 4.0

Regents' and Chancellor's Scholar  
Accel Scholar

Eta Kappa Nu (EECS Honor Society)  
Cal Hacks, UC Jazz, Statistics  
Undergraduate Student Association

## SKILLS

### LANGUAGES

Python • JavaScript • Swift • Java • C  
Scheme • Ruby • Objective-C • SQL

### TOOLS

React • GraphQL • Node.js • Flask  
Rails • Keras • TensorFlow • Jupyter  
NumPy • Flow • HTML • CSS  
Processing • Chrome Headless • AWS  
GCP • UNIX • Git

## LINKS

GitHub: [github.com/gmittal](https://github.com/gmittal)

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Website: [gautammittal.com](http://gautammittal.com)

## COURSEWORK

### UNDERGRADUATE

CS61A: Structure & Interpretation of Computer Programs

CS61B: Data Structures & Algorithms

CS61C: Machine Structures

CS70: Discrete Mathematics & Probability Theory

CS170: Efficient Algorithms & Intractable Problems

CS186: Database Systems

CS188: Artificial Intelligence

CS198-082: Machine Learning DeCal

EE16A: Linear Algebra, Circuits, & Systems I

EE16B: Differential Equations, Devices, & Systems II

EECS126: Probability & Random Processes

MATH53: Multivariable Calculus

PHYSICS7B: Thermodynamics, Electricity, Magnetism

## EXPERIENCE

### RISELAB, UC BERKELEY | Undergraduate Researcher

September 2019 – Present | Berkeley, CA

- Working on applications of deep reinforcement learning for database systems with Zongheng Yang under Professor Ion Stoica.
- Presented modular research platform for designing learned database query optimizers with deep RL at RISE Retreat (January 2020).

### STRIPE | Software Engineering Intern

May 2019 – August 2019 | San Francisco, CA

- Built an end-to-end data export pipeline for Connect, used daily by Lyft, DoorDash, and others to process millions of financial objects.
- Refactored export infrastructure to use a concurrent GraphQL resolver to enable API-consistent data, faster exports, and increased security.
- Designed and tested data infrastructure using Ruby, Elasticsearch, & MongoDB; worked on Dashboard front-end with React.
- Coordinated UX research study to understand user needs and adjusted engineering & product roadmap accordingly.

### EDMODO | Machine Learning Intern

June 2017 – August 2017 | San Mateo, CA

- Designed deep learning models with Python, TensorFlow, NLTK, and Pandas to recommend user-generated questions for content engine with 100M+ users.
- Implemented a training & evaluation pipeline and wrote scripts to preprocess and classify noisy signals from Elasticsearch index of world's largest educational social network.
- Designed experiments with seq2seq translation models, ByteNet, and denoising networks for text normalization; reported directly to CTO for AI.

## PROJECTS

### COPILOT | Executive Director

June 2016 - June 2018 | JavaScript, Node.js, Firebase

- Designed and implemented an online, anonymous peer-to-peer mental health counseling platform; Source code: [github.com/projectcopilot](https://github.com/projectcopilot)

### JAZZML | Real-time Computer Jazz Improvisation

August 2016 | Python, TensorFlow, FluidSynth

- Signal processing (FFT) and recurrent neural network (RNN) to generate improvised jazz solos with live accompanist; Source code: [github.com/gmittal/jazzml](https://github.com/gmittal/jazzml)

## AWARDS

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| 2019 | IEEE Eta Kappa Nu Member (top 25% of Berkeley EECS)   |
| 2019 | Accel Scholar (run by Accel Partners & Berkeley EECS) |
| 2019 | Kleiner Perkins Engineering Fellow                    |
| 2018 | UC Berkeley Regents' and Chancellor's Scholarship     |
| 2018 | US Marine Corps & Louis Armstrong Jazz Awards         |
| 2016 | 2016 MIT Zero Robotics Challenge ISS Finalist         |
| 2015 | Top 10 & Best Cloud App at PennApps XII Hackathon     |
| 2015 | Apple WWDC Scholarship                                |
| 2015 | Top 10 at MHacks V Hackathon                          |