ANDREI STOICA

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WORK EXPERIENCE

Teaching Assistant

Ontario Tech University

🛗 September 2017 - Present

- Oshawa, ON, Canada
- Lead classes of 20-25, junior and senior level undergraduate students through lab activities
- Corrected student work and provided one-on-one feedback for improvement
- Courses: Machine Learning, Compilers, Massively Parallel Programming, System Development and Integration, Web Development, Mobile Devices

Data Engineer (contract)

The Block Crypto

August 2022 - April 2023

- Remote
- Build and maintain data pipelines to aid the research team in better making sense of the crypto landscape
- Collaborate with research and engineering teams to ensure data quality and stability of pipelines

Technologies: Python Pandas Airfow AWS Redshift

Graduate Research Assistant Ontario Tech University

May 2018 - August 2020

Oshawa, ON, Canada

• Lead the research on text mining and natural language processing queries in relational databases

Topics and Technologies: PostgreSQL Topic Modelling NLP

Python

PROJECT EXPERIENCE

NLP Relational Queries And Its Applications - Thesis Project

- Developed LDA extension to PostgreSQL to allow Topic Modelling of text columns inside of SQL
- Created a web front end to visualize the change in topics over time
- Published 2020 IEEE International Conference on Information Reuse and Integration for Data Science

Technologies: Python SQL/PostgreSQL Flask HTML CSS D3.js

Scalable Analysis of Open Data Graphs

- Performed analysis of similarities between documents through Canada's Open Data portal
- Provided insight into organization and connectedness of Canada's Open Data
- Scalable and Distributed code base to allow for large dataset and scaling with time
- Published and Presented at 2019 IEEE International Conference on Information Reuse and Integration for Data Science

Technologies: Python SQL/PostgreSQL Apache Spark/PySpark

Matplotlib GCP Storage GCP Dataproc

EDUCATION

BSc (Hons.) - Computer Science
Ontario Tech University

2018

Oshawa, ON

MSc - Computer Science
Ontario Tech University

⊞ 2022

Oshawa, ON

SKILLS



PUBLICATIONS

Conference Proceedings

- Stoica, A., K. Pu, and H. Davoudi (2020).
 "NLP Relational Queries and Its Application". In: 2020 IEEE 21st International Conference on Information Reuse and Integration for Data Science (IRI), pp. 395–398. DOI: 10.1109/IRI49571.2020.00064.
- Stoica, A., M. Valdron, and K. Pu (2019).
 "Scalable Analysis of Open Data Graphs".
 In: 2019 IEEE 20th International Conference on Information Reuse and Integration for Data Science (IRI), pp. 334–341. DOI: 10.1109/IRI.2019.00059.

HOBBIES

- Free and open source software enthusiast
- Maintain a home media and storage server for family running the latest Ubuntu LTS
- Build computers for others, source and consult on components required, install and teach them to install themselves