Anh Vu

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Education

Grinnell College

Bachelor of Arts, Computer Science & Statistics

Expected Graduation: May 2025 **Major GPA:** 4.0, **Cumulative GPA:** 3.98

Relevant Coursework: Data Structures, Analysis of Algorithms, Operating Systems and Parallel Algorithms, Automata and Computational Complexity, Object-oriented Problem-solving, Machine Learning, Statistical Modelling, Applied Statistics

Work Experience

Incoming Software Engineering Intern, Meta

May 2024 – Aug 2024

Software Engineering Intern, Source Allies

Sept 2023 - Dec 2023

- Reduced out-of-sample RMSE of time-series forecasting model by 83% via data preparation and hyperparameter tuning
- Improved loading speed by 40% for website consuming inferences from real-time endpoint via server-side caching
- Increased unit test coverage from 21% to 78% across the entire project repository using Pytest and Moto

Software Engineering Intern, Source Allies

May 2023 — Aug 2023

- Built an AWS-based time-series forecasting pipeline to predict billable hours for deployed software consultants
- Accelerated release cycle by 60% through streamlined infrastructure-as-code development and automated CI/CD
- Reduced downtime for real-time prediction endpoint by 90% with automated model drift detection and retraining
- Earned an AWS ML Competency for the company by productionalizing this green-field project within 2 months

Software Engineering Intern, National Center for Supercomputing Applications

Sept 2022 – Dec 2022

- Built a Docker software environment that enables experimenting with authorization using JSON Web Tokens
- Reduced configuration overhead by 75% by integrating demo Flask endpoints with a token issuer using Docker Compose

Undergraduate Research Assistant, Systems and Languages Group at Grinnell College

Mar 2022 – Sept 2022

- Developed a full-stack Next.js application to help undergraduate students write and validate mathematical proofs
- Expanded 2-fold the set of acceptable math expressions by building upon a TypeScript internal logic system
- Enabled proof-writing in a general-purpose language by implementing a parser from Python to math expressions

Projects

Sentiment Scorer [Website] — First place at 2022 Robinhood's Hackathon for Social Good

- Led a team of 4 to build a web application to evaluate sentiment of web-scraped news articles on DOW 30 companies
- Spearheaded the integration of a sentiment analysis model developed on Google Colab into internal Flask API endpoints
- Executed the design and implementation of a dynamic Next.js website for displaying visualizations of model outputs

GPU-Parallelized Neural Network Library

- Built a CUDA C library from scratch for creating accelerated neural networks via general-purpose GPU programming
- Sped up parallelized matrix multiplications by 20 times through memory coalescing and cache blocking
- Improved hyperparameter tuning speed by distributing tuning jobs across concurrent CUDA streams and kernels

Research

Snowflake: Supporting programming and proofs [Extended Abstract] — In proceedings of the 54th ACM Technical Symposium on Computer Science Education (SIGCSE TS 2023)

Identification of Effective Biomarkers in Predicting Survival of Patients with Severe Sepsis and Septic Shock [Paper] — Awarded Second Prize, Intermediate Statistics category, Undergraduate Class Project Competition (USCLAP 2022)

Certifications

Problem Solving, Python, React, JavaScript, SQL [PDFs] — HackerRank	2023
Intermediate Software Engineering [PDF] — CodePath	2022
Intermediate iOS Development [PDF] — CodePath	2023

Skills

Languages: Python, C, C++, TypeScript, JavaScript, HTML, CSS, SQL, Swift, Java, R

Machine Learning: PyTorch, Scikit-learn, Tensorflow, CUDA

Web Development: React, Next.js, Node.js, Flask, Django, jQuery, TailwindCSS, Webpack, UIKit (iOS) Pytest, Jest, Amazon Web Services, Moto, Git, GitHub Actions, Docker, SQLite