Antony Holmes

Software Engineer

Data scientist and full stack software developer with 8 years experience developing open source software and applications for cancer genetics research. Experienced in the full software development life-cycle from requirement definition, prototyping, design, interface implementation, and maintenance. Excellent written and oral communication skills demonstrated by more than 25 publications.

SKILLS

Java
Swing, Spring Boot, Maven

Python
Pandas, Numpy, Scikit-learn, Django

Web
React, Gatsby, NextJS, TypeScript

Databases
PostgreSQL, MySQL, Sqlite

Math
R, MATLAB

Cloud
EC2, S3, Lambda, CloudFront, API Gateway, SGE, BSUB

Development
Visual Studio Code, Eclipse, GitHub

WORK HISTORY

Senior Bioinformatics Developer

Columbia University | 2015 - Present

Migrated core genomic applications onto AWS cloud infrastructure using **EC2**, **Docker**, **S3** reducing costs by **90%**.

Created departmental web site using **Gatsby+Typescript** to ease deployment and updates to reduce costs by 80%.

Associate Research Scientist

Columbia University | 2012 - 2015

Developed data pipelines using **Python**, and **R** to analyze RNA-seq, Chip-seq, and single cell genomic data and reduce analysis time from days/weeks to **hours**.

Published over **25** articles on B-cell development and cancer genetics in high impact journals, including Nature, Cell, Blood, PNAS, and the New England Journal of Medicine.

Post Doctoral Research Scientist

Columbia University | 2009 - 2012

Administrator of research version of the New York Presbyterian Hospital electronic health records (EHR) database for data mining.

Studied the predictive power of hospital records for discovering novel relationships between rare diseases and co-morbidities resulting in three publications.

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EDUCATION

Ph.D Mathematical Biology
University of Warwick UK

B.Sc Computer Science
University of Warwick UK
First-class honours

AWARDS

SIWN Best Paper Award
2009, Leipzig

VOLUNTEERING

Tax Team Leader

New York Cares | 2017 - Present

Certified as IRS tax team leader to help New Yorkers file tax returns for free during tax season.

Work with clients one-on-one to understand their tax situation and prepare their federal and state returns saving them **$100,000** in fees per year.

REFERENCES

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PUBLICATIONS

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6. The CREBBP Acetyltransferase Is a Haploinsufficient Tumor Suppressor in B-cell Lymphoma
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8. Prognostic and therapeutic role of targetable lesions in B-lineage acute lymphoblastic leukemia without recurrent fusion genes
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11. Disruption of KMT2D perturbs germinal center B cell development and promotes lymphomagenesis
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