# **ARIEL LIU**

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### **SUMMARY**

- Well-versed in implementing various machine learning projects, especially Computer Vision solutions utilizing Python
- Experienced in handling roles and responsibilities of various positions alongside fulltime education, leading to the development of excellent time management, leadership, problem-solving, and communication skills
- Familiar with **learning new technologies and tools** on a tight timeline to meet business needs and client requirements

### **TECHNICAL SKILLS**

**Programming Languages:** Python, C#, Java, C++, JavaScript

Scripting Languages: HTML, CSS, JSON

Database: PostgreSQL

Software Tools: Jupyter Notebook, PyCharm, Visual Studio, VSCode, Eclipse, Apache

NetBeans, Microsoft Office

Version Control Tools: Git, GitHub, Bitbucket

Other Tools: Figma, PowerDirector, Audacity, Unity, Arduino, Adobe Suite (Illustrator,

Photoshop, Premiere Pro)

#### **EDUCATION**

#### **Bachelor of Computer Science**

Aug 2022 - Present

University of Toronto (Toronto, Ontario)

• Relevant Coursework: Python Programming, Object Oriented Program Design, Data structures and Algorithms

Available for internship beginning May 2023

#### PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

### **Graphic Designer**

Jun 2021 - Sep 2021

CryptoChicks Blockchain Education

- Coordinated with the Marketing, Social Media, and Business teams to plan and execute a campaign to boost social engagement
- Designed visual content for the website, Instagram, blog posts, and internal communications

- Wrote and proofread social media posts, website copy, and blog posts
- Worked in conjunction with the Web Development Team to redesign various parts of the CryptoChicks Academy website
- Been a part of various design decisions, planning sessions, and timeline estimates
- Ensured the on-time delivery of deliverables while making the quality of the end result a prerequisite

#### **Python Programming Instructor**

Nov 2020 - Jun 2021

CanFly Education

- Fostered an early interest in programming within youth
- Mentored and instructed students on various programming concepts from basic to advanced
- Maintained discipline within the classroom and methodically provided additional resources for learning beyond the classroom
- Designed and set curriculum objectives to ensure students would end the course with a strong proficiency in Python and a new-found passion for technology

#### **Event Organizer and Teen Ambassador**

Sept 2019 - Sept 2020

Canada Learning Code

- Helped orchestrate and plan various Canada Learning Code events and workshops across Canada, teaching skills ranging from website development to AI
- Promoting digital literacy across Canada. Inspiring Canadians, especially minorities, to learn the skills needed to become critical participants in the future of technology

#### **PROJECTS**

#### **Identifying Food Using Computer Vision**

Sep 2021

- Programmed and trained the AI model to an accuracy of ~90% using Keras (Python) in Jupyter Notebooks, and applied Transfer Learning using the InceptionV3 model
- Helped design and develop the app UI in Flutter
- Integrated the app with the **TensorFlow Lite** backend

#### Identifying COVID-19 Induced Pneumonia with Al

Apr 2022

- Developed and trained a Convolutional Neural Network (CNN) using Transfer Learning with Keras and the VGG16 model
- The CNN was able to differentiate COVID-19 induced pneumonia from viral or bacterial induced pneumonia with up to **85% accuracy** from chest X-ray data

### **Employee Management System**

Oct 2023

 Designed and developed the Employee Management System from scratch in Apache NetBeans and Eclipse IDE (using Java)

# **CERTIFICATIONS**

Description Web Design for Calaborate	A 2022
Responsive Web Design, freeCodeCamp	Aug 2022
Computer Vision, Kaggle	Sep 2021
Introduction to AI Ethics, Kaggle	Sep 2021
Introduction to Machine Learning, Kaggle	Aug 2021
Intermediate Machine Learning, Kaggle	Aug 2021
Introduction to Deep Learning, Kaggle	Aug 2021
Python, Kaggle	Aug 2021

### EXTRA-CURRICULAR ACTIVITES

- Presented on Computer Vision within a General Assembly global livestream on data science, machine learning, and neural networks
- Founded the Woodlands Hack Club and hosted Hack the Woodz, a hackathon with
  ~150 attendees ranging from experienced to first-time hackers
- Team leader for FraserHacks 2019. Won the Best Data/Infosec hack for our machine learning project on predicting pancreatic cancer
- Winner of SF Hacks Best Beginner Hack. Built a course platform using blockchain to lower costs and allow for a more direct connection from instructor to students
- **Global Finalist of Destination Imagination (DI)**, a competition with a strong focus on innovation, leadership, and problem solving under stress
- Robotics team leader in FLL Regionals, a robotics championship held by FIRST Robotics Canada. Winning 1st place (2015), 2nd place (2016), and 1st place (2017)
- Team leader for the **Technovation App Development Competition**, winning 1st place (2018) and 3rd place (2019)

### OTHER SKILLSETS

# Languages:

- English (Native)
- Mandarin Chinese (Professional working proficiency)

### **Sport Experience:**

- Competitive Synchronized Swimming (5 years)
  - Competed in the 2018 Ontario Winter Games
- Competitive Rhythmic Gymnastics (7 years)

# **APPENDIX**

# **Key Links**

Personal Website: https://arielycliu.github.io/

GitHub: https://github.com/arielycliu

LinkedIn: <a href="https://www.linkedin.com/in/arielycliu/">https://www.linkedin.com/in/arielycliu/</a>

#### **Previous Works**

Publications: <a href="https://medium.com/@arielycliu">https://medium.com/@arielycliu</a>

Hackathon Portfolio: <a href="https://devpost.com/arielycliu">https://devpost.com/arielycliu</a>

Programming Problems: <a href="https://leetcode.com/arielycliu/">https://leetcode.com/arielycliu/</a>

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