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languages

trilingual english/french/persian
conversational spanish & italian

technologies

Apache Kafka, Spark, Zookeeper

Cassandra/NoSQL, DataStax
Enterprise, Graph Database,
Neo4J, Redis

Gremlin, Java, Mathematica,
Matlab, Perl, Python (pandas,
scipy, numpy, scikit-learn), R,
Scala, Tinkerpop

Unix/Linux (Centos, Debian,
FreeBSD, Gentoo, RedHat), Shell
scripting (bash, sed, awk)

Machine Learning (Gaussian
Processes, SVM, Neural
Networks, Decision Trees,
Random Forests)

activities

soccer ⚽
photography 📷

INTRODUCTION

Data scientist and big data engineer in London. Python, Java & Scala developer. Spark and graph database enthusiast. Applied mathematician by training. Scholar of gastrointestinal motility variation. UK Tier 1 Exceptional Talent Visa.

technical summary

- 🔧 **Massively scaled graph database analytics.** , production
Deploying AWS Batch, SQS, RDS (PostgreSQL), Cassandra and Spark to handle large computer vision end-to-end processing pipeline:
ETL and data abstraction layer to allow computer vision engineers access to and from the backend without having to know specific query languages (SQL, CQL, Gremlin) Evaluation of neural network performance regarding feature extraction for global image retrieval Using LSH techniques to perform global image retrieval based on features extracted from neural networks.
- 🔧 **Massively scaled graph database analytics.** , production
Leveraging Cassandra and Spark (Spark Streaming) for large-scale graph networks and analyses including:
Building tools to explore and analyze graph data in a distributed cloud-based cluster. Developing machine learning algorithms and automation of real-time entity resolution / disambiguation at scale. Dealing with 10^7 (eventually reaching 10^9) transactions daily utilizing Kafka and Spark Streaming to ingest massive amounts of data through an ETL pipeline. successfully deploying working beta software to client; revenue increase from \$1.8M to \$6.0M; internal investment by firm (\$0.5M) to generalize new capability based on client deliverable.
- 🔧 **Stochastic fluid transit model** , research
Developed in Java to to study the effects of physiological variations on drug transit, dissolution, and absorption
Pulsatile, non-deterministic approach; Application of a non-homogeneous Poisson process; Based on sampling from and imaging of small bowel free water content
- 📊 **Analysis of noisy gastrointestinal pressure signals** , research
Wavelet-based peak detection and kernel density estimation; Machine learning, Gaussian process regression & PCA for signal classification; Completed in Python with SciPy/NumPy/SciKit packages
- 🔧 **Java interface for handling parameters and their values with syntax highlighting** , production
Managing dynamic parameters that control processing pipeline; Parameters and database fields (JDBC Data_Port for MySQL); Pipeline source queue management and error handling

professional experience

- aug 17 - pres **Scape Technologies** , principal data scientist
Building core data flow and analysis pipeline for location-based recognition, allowing devices to see and remember their surroundings & augment the world around them. Cloud side infrastructure allows ordinary mobile devices to enhance the world around them by overlaying digital items onto the physical world, both indoors and outdoors, using machine vision & artificial intelligence.
- aug 16 - jul 17 **Deloitte Consulting LLP** , senior data science consultant
Mission Analytics in Business Model & Transformation/Strategy & Operations. Supporting senior government executives in the development of the organization's strategy and business process; assisting in development, collection, analysis, and reporting of data by leverage big data and machine learning technologies; serving as domain knowledgeable resource in advising the Deloitte team and client on tools and techniques to improve workflow.
- jul 15 - aug 16 **U.S. Food and Drug Administration** , research fellow
Division of Quantitative Methods and Modeling in the Office of Research and Standards within the Office of Generic Drugs. Applying mathematical analysis to physiological/molecular based models for drug absorption, bioavailability, distribution and effectiveness. Using large data sets to improve the prediction and regulatory decision making for generic drugs.
- mar 06 - aug 07 **Department of Lunar & Planetary Sciences
University of Arizona** , java developer
Developing open-source software for data analysis for the HiRISE instrument on the Mars Reconnaissance Orbiter. Co-funded by NASA and JPL.

education

- 2015 **Ph.D.** Pharmaceutical Sciences, *University of Michigan*
Dissertation: *Mechanistic Analysis and Quantification of Gastrointestinal Motility: Physiological Variability and Plasma Level Implications.*
- 2011 **M.Sc.** Pharmaceutical Sciences, *University of Michigan*
- 2009 **M.Sc.** Computational Biology, *New York University*
- 2006 **B.Sc.** Mathematics, *University of Arizona*

publications

selected articles from peer-reviewed journals

Electronic Sensors for Assessing Interactions between Healthcare Workers and Patients under Airborne Precautions Jean-Christophe Lucet, Cédric Laouenan, Guillaume Chelius, Nicolas Veziris, Didier Lepelletier, Adrien Friggeri, Dominique Abiteboul, Elisabeth Bouvet, France Mentré, Eric Fleury
PLoS ONE 7.5 (May 2012) e37893. 2012

Reconstructing Social Interactions Using an unreliable Wireless Sensor Network Adrien Friggeri, Guillaume Chelius, Eric Fleury, Antoine Fraboulet, France Mentré, Jean-Christophe Lucet
Computer Communications 34.5 (Apr. 2011) pp. 609–618. Elsevier, 2011

A Real-World Spreading Experiment in the Blogosphere Adrien Friggeri, Jean-Philippe Cointet, Matthieu Latapy
Complex Systems 19.3 (2011). Complex Systems Publications, Inc., 2011