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Selected Work History

2015 Summer Research Intern

DePauw University, Greencastle, IN

Worked on a team to build a web-based IDE for teaching functional reactive programming with a custom built media computation library for Scala. Project made use of JavaScript, HTML5, CSS, Bootstrap, WebAudio API.

Poster, Live Website, Source Code1

2013 Summer Research Intern University of Central Arkansas, Conway, AR

As part of a team team that built a browser-based tool for automated border detection to aid in melanoma diagnosis--using parallelized density-based clustering that led to a publication, I created the UI, implemented data visualization and authored user and developer documentation. I also led the team in the adoption of version control eliminating weekly integration meetings and handled any Git and/or problems on-call.

Poster, Publication, Source code and documentation available upon request.

Education

2017 B.S. in Computer Science

Northeastern State University, Tahlequah, OK

- Graduated magna cum laude (3.78 GPA)
- Minor: Mathematics

Selected Projects

2016 C Spot Run: A web-based environment for developing and using teaching languages for novice programmers

Created a programming language toolkit using JavaScript, PEG.js, and D3.js with a UI built on the Foundation framework and GitHub/Gist integration, which I used to design, implement and document the c.run "c spot run" programming language. Followed test-driven principles with Chai and Mocha on Node.js.

SIGCSE 2016 Poster, SIGCSE 2016 Abstract, c.run Language Reference

T-factorization over integral domains 2017

Upon eliciting user requirements, I used Python (3.6), PyCharts and OpenMP on the Stampede HPC Cluster to help a mathematics professor investigate and visualize aspects of a specific kind of factoring in number theory.

Live Website, Source Code

GCHQ's Christmas Grid-Shading Puzzle 2015

Implemented an open-source web version of a grid shading puzzle from GCHQ's Christmas card.

Live Website, Source Code

¹ If viewing printed document, see www.benkruger.me/resume.pdf for active links.