# **DUC TRI TRAN (BILL TRAN)**

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#### **EDUCATION**

## Connecticut College, New London, CT

**B.A expected May 2024** 

• **Majors**: Computer Science and Mathematics

Major GPA: 4.0

- Relevant Courses: Data Structures, Computer Organization, Discrete Mathematics, Multi-variables Calculus
- Awards: Julia Well Bowers Prize for Distinction in Mathematics, College Annual Math Contest Winner

#### **TECHNICAL SKILLS**

- Programming Languages: Python, SQL, Java, Ruby, HTML & CSS
- Operating Systems: Windows, MacOS, Ubuntu
- Version Control Proficiency: Git, GitHub
- Frameworks: Flask, Django, Ruby on Rails
- Relational databases: MySQL, Sqlite3, PostgreSQL
- NoSQL databases: Memcached, Redis, Firebase Realtime Database

#### WORK EXPERIENCES

# Software Engineer, Got It AI

April 2020 – April 2021

Languages and Technologies: Python, Flask, MySQL, Memcached, Redis, SQLAlchemy, Marshmallow

- Developed backend microservices for <u>Conversational AI</u> using REST architecture, covering user & inter-service authentication, database & cache optimization, and API design
- Improved Conversational AI's backend code coverage by 15% with Pytest and supported CI/CD with Travis CI
- Built a desktop application to censor sensitive information in chat logs with 90% accuracy using Spacy model

#### Software Engineer, STEAM for Vietnam

June 2020 – September 2020

Languages and Technologies: Python, Django, HTML, CSS, Docker, Kubernetes, DigitalOcean

- Developed and launched <u>a MOOC platform</u> to deliver free coding courses to Vietnamese students based on Open edX open-source codebase, serving 7,000 concurrent users
- Customized the platform's theme to achieve user-friendly UI/UX

#### Research Assistant, Connecticut College

April 2020 - August 2020

Languages and Technologies: Ruby, Ruby on Rails, HTML, CSS, IBM Watson Tone Analyzer

- Designed and implemented new features on <u>Discovery Teaching</u>, an application to support interactive teaching and learning, under professor William Tarimo
- Co-authored a <u>research paper</u> on potentials of sentiment analysis in education by analyzing data from 3 Computer Science courses

# Software Engineering Intern, Rabiloo Co., LTD

December 2019 - January 2020

Languages and Technologies: Python, Jupyter Notebook, sklearn, numpy, pandas

- Trained a Machine Learning model to categorize 10,000 online articles with 95% accuracy
- Analyzed sentiment of online comments on the company's product for data-driven customer support

# **PROJECTS**

#### **Comment Sentiment Detector**

Languages and Technologies: Python, Flask, Memcached, sklearn, numpy, pandas, Docker, Travis CI, Coveralls

- Built a model to label sentiments of comments from 16,000 text records and deployed as a web application
- Achieved a model accuracy of 90% and ranked 15th in a nationwide contest on Sentiment Analysis

## **PUBLICATIONS**

William Tarimo, Bill Tran, and Karma Yoezer: **Uncovering the Nature and Potential of Affective Feedback in Interactive Teaching and Learning**, Proc. International Education Conference (ICERI), 2020.