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Education

Grinnell College

Bachelor of Arts in Computer Science | Minor in Policy Studies

Grinnell, IA

Expected May 2022

- GPA: 3.7 / 4.0 | Dean's List (2 Semesters)
- Relevant Coursework: Functional Programming, Imperative Programming, Object-Oriented Programming and Data Structures, Discrete Mathematics, Operating Systems & Parallel Algorithms, Calculus I & II, Applied Statistics, Linear Algebra, Introduction to Artificial Intelligence

Research Experience

Parallel Computing Summer Research Internship

Los Alamos National Laboratory (LANL)

Los Alamos, NM

Jun – Aug 2020

- Assisted in optimizing HIGRAD, LANL's high-performance computing (HPC) fluid dynamics code (written in Fortran), including porting it to a C/C++ code that effectively utilizes Kokkos and MPI to achieve higher performance parallelism and portability.
- Performed robust and reliable test cases to validate basic functionalities of the code.
- Designed and conducted scalability studies and performance measurements of the code on various HPC architectures (GPU-based and ARM-based) at LANL.

Research Internship

RankingBall Inc. (Innovative Sports / eSports Gaming Platform on Blockchain)

Seoul, South Korea

Jan – Jul 2018

- Analyzed a collection of whitepapers and business models from different blockchain services.
- Collected and wrangled sports statistical data from MLB, NFL, and NBA Data APIs.
- Assisted in product design for building RankingBall NFL and NBA (minimum viable product).

Independent Projects

More at <https://byunsy.github.io/>

Machine Learning & Deep Learning

- Lane Detection for Autonomous Vehicles [<https://github.com/byunsy/enhanced-lane-detection>]
- Deep Learning Retinal Optical Coherence Tomography [<https://github.com/byunsy/retinal-oct-classification>]
- Deep Learning Pneumonia Classification [<https://github.com/byunsy/pneumonia-classification>]
- Personalized Facial Recognition [<https://github.com/byunsy/face-recognition>]
- Face Filters and Stickers [<https://github.com/byunsy/face-filter>]
- Hand-motion Screen Control using Optical Flow [<https://github.com/byunsy/handmotion-control>]
- Business Card / Document Textual Content Scanner [<https://github.com/byunsy/card-scanner>]
- Financial Forecasting using LSTM Network Model [<https://github.com/byunsy/financial-forecasting>]
- Heart Disease Random-Forest Classifier Model Analysis [<https://github.com/byunsy/heart-disease-diagnosis>]
- HOG & SVM Digit Recognition [<https://github.com/byunsy/digit-recognition>]

Additional Work Experiences

International Pre-Orientation Program Mentor

Office of International Student Affairs

Grinnell, IA

Aug – Dec 2019

- Personally mentored a group of eight international students from different parts of the world.
- Organized and facilitated various insightful events for students throughout the Fall 2019 semester.
- Identified and reached out to individuals who were struggling academically and/or culturally.

Technical Skills: English (Fluent), Korean (Native) | Python, C/C++, Java, TensorFlow, Pandas, NumPy, Matplotlib
Django, Django Rest Framework, MongoDB, Express.js, React, Node.js | Basic CUDA, MPI