Catherine Truong

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Education

University of California, Riverside

Bachelor of Science in Computer Engineering

Sept 2021 - June 2025

Coursework: AI Algorithms, Database Management Systems, Data Structures & Algorithms, Digital & Analog Signals, Discrete Structures, Electronic Circuits, Embedded & Real-Time Systems, Engineering Analysis & Design, GPU Computing & Programming (CUDA), Integration Design, Logic Design, Operating Systems, Software Construction

Experience

First American Financial

Santa Ana, CA

Full-Stack Engineering Intern (Part-Time)

Sept. 2024 - June 2025

- Upgrading **NuGet** dependencies and platform to **.NET 9.0**, ensuring compatibility with new features, optimizing existing code, and improving overall system performance
- \circ Updated 3 unique **GitHub Pages** platforms to include documentation using **MkDocs**
- Enhanced an application for an automatic generation of update/release notes information found in Jira tickets through pipeline streamlining and various code implementations
- Presented a proof of concept, models, and technical documentation for new domain inheritance using AGILE

Backend Software Engineering Intern (Full-Time)

Jun. 2024 - Aug. 2024

- Curated usage and optimization of AWS CloudWatch using Python to create an AWS Lambda function automated by EventBridge to reduce costs by 78% and the number of unused log groups by 88%
- o Designed a filter to determine whether the log groups are necessary within 3 sec. maximum per log group
- Exported 4 different JSON files to an S3 bucket which kept track of **600+ updated log groups** despite success or failure to track the log groups' details dating back to 4 years' worth of unused data
- Automated the HTTPS-conditional security compliance of log group policies to 92% of total S3 buckets

UCR Information & Technology Solutions

Riverside, CA

Student Information Systems Intern (Part-Time)

Apr. 2023 - Sept. 2024

- o Managed and created queries through CRM databases for students and academic advisors using SQL
- Performed 2+ daily tests using an unreleased web application to optimize runtime and performance
- Developed 20+ internal/public facing documentation and updating existing documentation using HTML

Projects

Smart Glasses (Intended for ADA)

- o Designed a pair of glasses with an **OLED screen** that displays output text via Raspberry Pi and Python
- o Implemented KNN algorithm to determine the closest color match to live feed integrated camera
- Adjusted camera parameters based on the 3 colors of calibration images taken during camera setup
- Developed a learning model that can determine more complex colors via color sampling and charting using a .csv **Phone Gimble**
 - Designed and **3D printed** phone mount and handle, allowing for 3-axis movement and 270° range of motion
 - o Integrated Arduino and FRDM-K64F board using UART to have the communication between 2 systems
 - Calibrated 3 servo motors to recognize joystick movement and respond to input with < 1 second latency

Skills

Management: Azure, Confluence, Jira, Microsoft Tools, Miro, ServiceNow, Visual Studio

Hardware/Software: Arduino, AutoCAD, AWS, Circuit Board Design, Docker, Git, Pytorch, TensorFlow

Programming Languages: C++, CSS, HTML, Java, JavaScript, MATLAB, Python, React, Swift, SQL

Tools: DMM, Oscilloscope, Power Supply, Signal (Function) Generator, Soldering Iron

Extracurricular

Theta Tau
Vice President, Recruitment, Academics

Riverside, CA May 2022 – June 2025