

CAT NGO

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EDUCATION

Harvey Mudd College

Expected Graduation 2020

Joint Computer Science and Mathematics (B.S.)

Major GPA: 3.80

Relevant Coursework: Computer Insights, Data Structures and Program Development, Discrete Mathematics, Intermediate Linear Algebra, Intermediate Probability, Logic and Computability, Abstract Algebra

EXPERIENCE

Computer Science Tutor/Grader – Claremont, CA

August 2017 — Present

Computer Science Department

- Tutor students and grade assignments for Intro to Computer Science (Fall 2017), Computer Insight (Spring 2017) and Data Structures (Fall 2018)

Howard Hughes Medical Institute Research Intern – Pasadena, CA

June 2017-August 2017

Prober Lab, Department of Biology and Biological Engineering, California Institute of Technology

- Measured relative expression of cytokines marker IL-1 β , IL-6 and NF- κ B in zebrafish using qPCR
- Computationally administered ANOVA tests to statistically guarantee differences between expression populations
- **Publication:** Maheras et al. (2018). *Genetic Pathways of Neuroregeneration in a Novel Mild Traumatic Brain Injury Model in Adult Zebrafish*. *eNeuro* 2 January 2018

PROJECTS

Data Structures and Program Development: Chunky String – C++

May 2018

- Implemented templated data structure Chunky List that stores elements in a linked list of arrays
- Wrote constant-time insert and erase functions for the data structure

Independent Project: CMS Mens' Basketball Analytics – Python

June 2017 — December 2017

- Scraped play-by-play logs of games from 2016-2017 season of the Mens' Basketball Team
- Collected statistic for each five-player lineup and presented data to the team's Head Coach
- Assisted team with collecting lineup data during the season

Independent Project: March Madness Prediction – Python

March 2017

- Scraped statistics from teams in the past 6 tournaments in NCAA D1 Tournament
- Used genetic algorithm to generate a weighting vector to predict winner in head-to-head matchup

Project for Computer Insights: Prediction of Salary – Python

December 2016

- Trained a random forest classifier on the Census Income dataset from UCI to predict whether an individual made more than \$50k/year

SKILLS

Programming Languages

Python, C++, Java, Racket, R, HTML/CSS

Software Libraries

Numpy, Pandas, BeautifulSoup, Matplotlib, Scikit-Learn

Utilities

L^AT_EX, Git, Markdown

EXTRACURRICULAR ACTIVITY/LEADERSHIP

Disciplinary Board Chair: Handle self-reports and lead biweekly Honor Board meeting

May 2018 — Present

Honor Board Class of 2020 Representative

January 2017 — May 2018