

# CEDRIC VICERA

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## EDUCATION

University of Pennsylvania

Expected 2023

Master of Computer and Information Technology

University of Arizona

2020

B. A. in Philosophy (with Honors)

Thesis: *The Scope of Mechanistic Explanation* (Advisor: Richard Healey)

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## RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

### Research Assistant

St. Jude Children's Research Hospital · Department of Biostatistics

Summer 2021

PI: Li Tang

(programming in R; research on gut microbiome analysis of ALL patients for obesity status using mixed-effects modeling)

Computational Medicine and Informatics Collaboratory

2018–2020

PI: Vignesh Subbian

(programming in Python, R; research on cohort discovery via tele-ICU systems to develop personas for critically ill mechanical ventilation patients)

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## PUBLICATIONS

Analysis of Acute Respiratory Failure Patient Noninvasive Ventilation Therapy 2020

Patrick Essay, **Cedric Vicera**, Jarrod Mosier, Vignesh Subbian

*American Thoracic Society International Conference*

Persona Identification in Tele-ICU Data of Mechanically Ventilated Patients 2019

*UROC Abstract Review*

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## PRESENTATIONS

The Effect of the Gut Microbiome on Obesity in Survivors of Childhood Cancer

POE Lunch & Learn Series · St. Jude Children's Research Hospital

July 2021

Phenotyping of Mechanically Ventilated Patients in the ICU

UROC Summer Colloquium · University of Arizona

August 2019

Persona Identification in Tele-ICU Data of Mechanically Ventilated Patients  
24th Annual UROC Research Conference (poster), University of Arizona      June 2018

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## TEACHING

### University of Pennsylvania · Teaching Assistant

Introduction to Software Development (Brandon Krakowsky)      Fall 2021

Introduction to Software Development (Brandon Krakowsky)      Spring 2021

### University of Arizona · Head Section Leader

Computational Thinking and Doing (Dylan Murphy)      Fall 2019

### University of Arizona · Section Leader

Dealing with Data (Rich Thompson)      Spring 2020

Computational Thinking and Doing (Rich Thompson)      Spring 2019

Computational Thinking and Doing (Dylan Murphy)      Fall 2018

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## HONORS & AWARDS

### Research Fellowships

UROC Summer Research Institute      Summer 2019

### Scholarships

Magellan Circle Scholarship      2019

H.J. & Signe Bonnevie Scholarship (2x)      2018, 2019

Laura and Arch Brown Scholarship      2018

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## GRADUATE COURSEWORK

### Statistics and Machine Learning

#### University of Pennsylvania

Artificial Intelligence (Christopher Callison-Burch)      2021

Statistics for Data Science (Eric Eaton & Hamed Hassani)

#### University of Arizona

Artificial Intelligence for Health and Medicine (Vignesh Subbian)      2020

Neural Networks (Steven Bethard)      2019

### Computer Science

#### University of Pennsylvania

Blockchains and Cryptography (Brett Falk & Mohammad Amiri)      2021

Data Structures and Software Design (Rafael Rubin)

Introduction to Computer Systems (Thomas Farmer)

Mathematical Foundations of Computer Science (Val Tannen)

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| Introduction to Software Development (Brandon Krakowsky) | 2020 |
| Philosophy   |      |
| University of Arizona                                    |      |
| Healthcare Ethics (Laura Howard)                         | 2020 |
| Symbolic Logic (Jason Turner)                            | 2019 |

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## REFERENCES

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| Li Tang<br>Associate Member<br>St. Jude Children's Research Hospital<br>li.tang@stjude.org | Vignesh Subbian<br>Assistant Professor<br>University of Arizona<br>vsubbian@arizona.edu |
| Brandon Krakowsky<br>Lecturer<br>University of Pennsylvania<br>lbrandon@wharton.upenn.edu  | Richard Thompson<br>Senior Lecturer<br>University of Arizona<br>rmthomps@arizona.edu    |