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## EDUCATION

### California State Polytechnic University Pomona

Bachelor of Science in Computer Science

August 2020 – May 2024

Pomona, CA

**Relevant Courses:** Data Structures and Analysis of Algorithms, Machine Learning, Data Structures, Cryptography and Information Systems, Big Data Analytics And Cloud Computation, Social Computing, Cyber Security Network Communication

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## EXPERIENCE

### Azetta.ai

*Ai Research Engineer Intern*

Berkeley, CA

November 2024 - Current

- Studied the mathematical foundations of linear attention, understanding how feature map factorization reduces  $O(L^2)$  complexity to  $O(L)$
- Learned connections between kernel regression, attention mechanisms, and normalized weighted averages in transfer architectures
- Developed intuition for bias-variance tradeoffs in kernel approximation through quadrature nodes and random feature dimensions
- Studied advanced kernel methods including positive definite kernels, reproducing kernel Hilbert spaces, and Schoenberg's theorem for isotropic kernels on spheres

### Popper

Los Angeles, CA

*Software Engineer Intern*

July 2023 – September 2023

- Utilized React Native, developed a feature enabling simultaneous capture from both front and rear cameras, resulting in a 86% increase in user interaction
- Utilized GitHub for version control and collaborative software development with proficiency
- Learned and implemented Jira for efficient project management, issue tracking, and agile workflow optimization in a startup environment
- Improved app load times by 56% by refactoring code and optimizing usage in React Native
- Integrated Google Maps into Popper to add enhanced functionality to the app
- Collaborated with cross-functional teams in an Agile environment, participating in daily stand-ups, sprint planning, and retrospectives

### Weekly

Pomona, CA

*Software Engineer Intern*

September 2022 – December 2022

- Developed a friend recommendation system using matrix factorization to improve user engagement which lead to a 45% increase of match making
- Collaborated with a team to build and manage a database using Python, ensuring efficient data storage and retrieval
- Proficient in analyzing user needs to gather, interpret, and leverage data for optimizing user interactions and enhancing overall user experience

## PROJECTS

### Machine Learning Research Project – [Breast Cancer Diagnosis](#)

November 2023 – December 2023

- Collaborated with a team of six to develop a machine learning model aimed at early breast cancer detection using the Breast Cancer Wisconsin dataset.
- Implemented and evaluated multiple classification algorithms, including Support Vector Machines, K-Nearest Neighbors, Decision Trees, Naive Bayes, and Neural Networks using TensorFlow and PyTorch.
- Preprocessed and analyzed data to enhance model accuracy, focusing on minimizing false negatives to improve diagnostic reliability.
- Utilized Jupyter Notebooks for code development and visualization, facilitating clear communication of results and methodologies.
- Managed version control and collaborative coding efforts through GitHub, ensuring seamless integration of team contributions

### [Full Stack Android App](#)

January 2023 - May 2023

- Developed the core functionality of the application using Java, while designing and implementing a user-friendly interface
- Leveraged Android Studio as the primary development environment, overseeing the full app layout design and user experience
- Gained proficiency in app publishing and distribution processes including app store submission and post-launch updates

## SKILLS & INTERESTS

**Programming Languages:** Java, Python, React Native, Golang, HTML, CSS, and C++

**Operating Systems & Tools:** Linux, macOS, Gitlab CI/CD, Jenkins, Docker, Spring Boot, Postman, Selenium Testing Framework