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EXPERIENCE

Research Assistant

Exponent Inc.

📅 Jun 2017 – Jun 2018

📍 Menlo Park, CA, USA

- Improved readability and efficiency of data parsing scripts, increasing performance speed by up to 10X
- Co-developed accessible data QA/QC methods
- Characterized hydrothermal degradation of materials

Graduate Researcher

Massachusetts Institute of Technology

📅 Aug 2014 – Sep 2016

📍 Cambridge, MA, USA

- Modeled the biophysical transport of engineered protein hydrogels, cloned, expressed and purified
- Filtered, visualized, and fitted 100s of megabytes of experimental laser scattering data

Graduate Consulting Research Fellow

US Food and Drug Administration

📅 Jan 2016–Mar 2016

📍 Silver Spring, MD, USA

- Streamlined regulatory science for continuous manufacturing via reduced models in MATLAB as part of MIT team

Graduate Consultant

Emirates Global Aluminium

📅 Oct 2015–Dec 2015

📍 Dubai and Emal Plants, UAE

- Managed and led an MIT team in finite element modeling the heat recovery steam generator for optimized operations

Research Intern

Scanadu Inc.

📅 Feb 2014–May 2014

📍 NASA Ames, CA, USA

- Performed UX QC/testing via JIRA of biomedical device app
- Aided in verification and validation for FDA 510K application

Student Intern

Lawrence Livermore National Laboratory

📅 Jun 2012–Aug 2012

📍 Livermore, CA, USA

- Characterized failure points of ultra-thin polymer films and correlated exceptional trends with entanglement theory

EDUCATION

Fellow/ Program Graduate

The Data Incubator

📅 Jun 2018 – Aug 2018

Bootcamp-style program that helps top academic talent transition to data science

M.S. in Chemical Engineering Practice

Massachusetts Institute of Technology

📅 Sep 2014 – Jun 2016

B.S. in Chemical Engineering

California Institute of Technology

📅 Sep 2009 – Jun 2013

Emphasis in Material Science, with Honors

Chemical Engineering Tripos

Cambridge University Corpus Christi College

📅 Michaelmas Term, 2012

Caltech Cambridge Scholar

LANGUAGES/ TOOLS

Python: NumPy, SciPy, pandas, scikit-learn

MATLAB SQL Machine Learning R

Tableau Optimization Probability

Hypothesis Testing Bayesian Statistics

NLP Spark MapReduce Heroku

TensorFlow Git Unix JuPyTer

Microsoft Office Mandarin Chinese

MOST PROUD OF

🏆 Student Athlete

Caltech Women Intercollegiate Tennis (NCAA Div III) and MIT Rowing Club

🌍 Global Awareness

Have traveled independently to over 40 countries and counting