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Skills

Programming Languages: Python, R, Java, MySQL, bash, HTML/CSS, JavaScript **Data Systems & Management:** pandas, Spark, Cassandra, Docker, Hadoop, Kafka

Technical Skills: Source and Version Control (Git/Github), Project Management (Atlassian Jira), Google Cloud Platform (VM instances, API applications), Building AI Models (PyTorch, TensorFlow, SciPy, numpy), Custom Environments (conda, venv), Excel, Tableau

Projects

Project Sample: Key/Value Storage Service - Python, gRPC, Docker, OOP

Overview: Server/client storage service which stores randomly generated key/value (string, int) pairs in a dictionary via RPC calls from a simulated client to the designed server, deployed with Docker

- > Server inherits NumStore service containing two RPCs SetNum and Fact, which updates a key/value pair and computes the factorial of the value associated with the passed in key argument, respectively
- ➤ Increased efficiency by use of a LRU cache structure (size = 10) which keeps recent slow computations so they don't recompute if passed in again
- > Implemented threading and locking to maximize efficiency of the client's communication with the server and the server's computing resources when request is received

For more projects, please visit my website.

Work Experience

Research Computing Facilitator Assistant – CHTC, UW-Madison

May 2022 - May 2024

(CHTC – Center for High Throughput Computing at UW-Madison – https://chtc.cs.wisc.edu/)

- > Closely collaborate with lead facilitator Christina Koch on tasks that manage CHTC's functionality in relation to user interactions, intra-center data flow, and integrating new processes into existing ones
- > Re-structure defunct, unorganized, and inefficient processes by implementing automating scripts, consolidating data sources, and standardizing all data handled by facilitation team
- > Test CHTC's HTC/HPC software HTCondor for processing bugs when handling GPU jobs and workloads
- > Develop Python scripts that automate the movement of data from a variety of HTCondor usage outputs to a methodically organized repository that can be accessed for further analysis on trends
- > Co-manage facilitation team Github repositories housing scripts, reports, raw and processed data, and more
- > Generate periodical reports by transforming raw data into presentable reports that relay usage trends broken down to the college, department, and individual user level for facilitation and funding team

Education

University of Wisconsin - Madison

September 2020 - May 2024

Data Science (B.S.) and Information Science (B.S.) with certificate (minor) in Computer Sciences

➤ Changed major/career path from Biochemistry (Fall 2021)

Coursework

Relevant Coursework: Calculus I-II, Java Programming I-III, Python Data Science Programming I-II, Data Modeling and Statistics I-II, Elementary Matrix and Linear Algebra, Applied Categorical Data Analysis, Introduction to Big Data Systems, Applied Database Design, Web Design for the Sciences, Introduction to Artificial Intelligence, Storytelling Through Data Visualization