

# CONGZHENG SONG

Curriculum Vitae

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## CONTACT

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## EDUCATION

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**Cornell University**, Ithaca, NY 2016 – Present  
PhD student in Computer Science  
Research Interests: Security and Privacy in Machine Learning

**Emory University**, Atlanta, GA 2012 – 2016  
Bachelor of Science in Computer Science with Highest Honor  
Thesis: *Using Deep Recurrent Neural Networks to Estimate Influenza Prevalence from Mobile Phone Records*

## PUBLICATIONS

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1. Safoora Yousefi, **Congzheng Song**, Nelson Nauata, Lee Cooper. *Learning Genomic Representations to Predict Clinical Outcomes in Cancer*. In *International Conference on Learning Representation Workshop (ICLR)*, San Juan, Puerto Rico, 2016.
2. Erik Reinertsen, Niclas Palmius, **Congzheng Song**, Leon Danon, Gudrun Saemundsdottir, Olafur Magnusson, Gari D Clifford, Ymir Vigfusson. *Mobile Phone Activity and Population Movement During an Influenza A (H1N1) Outbreak in Iceland*. In *Sleep Medicine and Chronobiology Summer Schools Poster Session*, Oxford, UK, 2015.

## RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

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**Graduate Research Assistant** 2016 – Present  
Department of Computer Science, Cornell University Adviser: Prof. Vitaly Shmatikov  
∞ Exploring privacy leakage in machine learning models.

**Undergraduate Research Assistant** 2015 – 2016  
Department of Math & CS, Emory University Adviser: Prof. Ymir Vigfusson  
∞ Extracted a set of metrics to describe human behavior from mobile phone records.  
∞ Developed a deep learning model for individual sickness prediction given behavioral features.

**Undergraduate Research Assistant** 2015 – 2016  
Department of Bioinformatics, Emory University Adviser: Prof. Lee Cooper  
∞ Developed a neural network combining with Cox regression for survival analysis.  
∞ Applied convolutional neural network in cancer cell image classification.

**Undergraduate Research Intern** Summer 2015  
Department of Computer Science, UC Irvine Adviser: Prof. Sharad Mehrotra  
∞ Developed a web framework for collecting, querying and visualizing sensor data.  
∞ Involved in implementing backend server modules to handle user's request for processing sensors' data on multiple platforms.

## TEACHING EXPERIENCE

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### Graduate Teaching Assistant

CS 3410: Computer System Organization and Programming

Fall 2016

Instructor: Prof. Anne Bracy

### Undergraduate Lab Teaching Assistant

Chem 141: General Chemistry I

Fall 2013

Instructor: Prof. Karl Hagen

## AWARDS

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∞ Trevor Evans Award

2016

∞ Deborah Jackson Award

2015

∞ Dean's List

2012 – 2016

## SKILLS

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**Programming and Scripting Languages:** Python, Java, C, JavaScript, HTML & CSS,  $\LaTeX$

**Software and Tools:** Tensorflow, Theano, Matlab, R studio, Node.js, MongoDB, PostgreSQL

**Languages:** Chinese (Native), English (Professional), Japanese (Basic)

## SELECTED COURSEWORK

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**Computer Science:** Analysis of Algorithm, Bayesian Machine Learning, Advanced Programming Languages , Natural Language Processing, Data Mining, Artificial Intelligence, Theory of Computing, Discrete Structures, Competitive Programming, Computer Security

**Mathematics:** Probabilities and Statistics, Partial Differential Equations, Numerical Analysis, Optimization Theory, Ordinary Differential Equations, Linear Algebra