DANIEL GUO

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EDUCATION

University of California Santa Barbara | CCS Honors

B.S. Computer Science, B.S. Mathematics

Sep. 2018 – June 2022

GPA: 3.93/4.00

EXPERIENCE

Semiotic AI | Research and Development Intern

June 2020 – Present

- \cdot Completed encrypted neural network for detecting fraudulent credit card transactions and increased F1 score from 56% to 86% on 275,000+ sample dataset using data normalization and standardization techniques.
- · Achieved nearly state of the art performance for diagnosing heart conditions with an encrypted neural network.
- · Built automated tool to convert ONNX models into an internal graph representation with additional functionality.
- \cdot Developed Python library add-on to PyTorch for the development of encrypted neural networks.
- · Researched and read papers on FHE and private AI which led to experimental performance and efficiency gains.

Atzberger Research Group | Undergraduate Researcher

Nov. 2018 - Present

- · Gave talk at 2019 RACA conference about CNNs for the Laplacian in 2D. Won 2019 SUF Resarch Grant.
- · Building convolutional neural networks in PyTorch to learn differential operators from raw and simulation data.

CS130B Teaching Assistant | Algorithms and Data Structures

Jan. 2020 - Mar. 2020

- · Held discussions and office hours to reinforce students' understanding of algorithms and data structures.
- · Created and graded homework and exams. Provided students with timely feedback.

PROJECTS

Trading Bot | Python, Requests, Alpaca Web API, Microsoft Azure Function

- · Deployed algorithmic trading bot with Azure Function to discover market trends and place orders twice a day.
- · Beat market by 7.12% in 30 days between Aug. 20 Sep. 20 (since deployment).

hiwhatsyourname | Python, Flask, SQL-Alchemy, Jinja2, HTML5, CSS3, QR code, GCP App Engine

· Deployed web app on Google Cloud where users can create virtual business cards to be shared with a QR code.

GenNet | Python, PyTorch

- · Created genetic algorithm to optimize neural network architecture and hyperparameters for training in PyTorch.
- · Achieved over 96.6% accuracy on MNIST (70,000 samples of handwritten digits) in under 2 minutes of training.

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· Implemented Regev's public key encryption using TCP sockets to send encrypted messages with command line.

SKILLS

Languages Proficient: Python, LaTeX

Familiar: C++, C, C#, Java, Javascript, HTML, CSS

Frameworks and Libraries PyTorch, Flask, Scikit-Learn, NumPy, Pandas, Matplotlib, Alpaca

Technologies Git, Bash, Vim, Jupyter, Google Colab, Google Cloud, Microsoft Azure

OTHER INVOLVEMENTS

SB Hacks VII Organizer - Sponsorships Coordinator 2020 - Present

CLAS Math Tutor 2020 – Present

CCS Computing Mentor 2019 – Present

UCSB Science Olympiad Fermi and Code Busters Event Supervisor 2019, 2020

Top 35% Putnam Math Competition 2018

Programming competitions: CodeQuest by Lockheed Martin, ProCo by Stanford University 2018