

# David Zeng

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## EXPERIENCE

### **TWO SIGMA | Software Engineering Intern - Trading Engineering**

May 2018 – Current | New York, NY

- Built liveness monitoring and anomaly detection system (alerts and dashboard) for live trade execution data in **Scala**. Processed millions of rows of data per day.
- Used historical data to investigate different anomaly detection methods and generate anomaly thresholds. Worked in **Spark** and **pandas**.

### **ADDEPAR | Software Engineering Intern - Data Engineering**

May 2017 – Aug 2017 | Mountain View, CA

- Wrote data ingestion service to parse events from corporate actions feed and match events to securities. Wrote internal **Java** library for building regex to extract data from sentences.
- Updated security master to model data for multiple listings of a single security. Set up DB migration and data re-ingestion to support updates. Worked in **Java** and **MySQL**.

### **LEANPLUM | Software Engineering Intern**

May 2016 – Aug 2016 | San Francisco, CA

- Rewrote user permissions system, adding more granularity and customization. Built new frontend permission management interface using **AngularJS** and **Python**

### **CMU COMPUTER SCIENCE | Teaching Assistant**

Aug 2016 – Dec 2016, Aug 2017 - Present | Pittsburgh, PA

- 15-251 Great Ideas in Theoretical Computer Science (x3), 15-151 Mathematical Foundations for CS
- Lead recitations, taught topics in discrete math and computer science theory.

## PROJECTS AND ACTIVITIES

### **PARALLEL SHORTEST PATHS | Github | Paper**

- Implemented and optimized  $\Delta$ -stepping, a parallel shortest paths algorithm, using **C++** and **OpenMP**.
- Achieved up to **7.76x** speedup (on 16 threads) over optimized sequential algorithm when testing on real world network graphs.

### **FAIR DIVISION RESEARCH | Poster | Paper**

- Worked on designing algorithms for fair division of indivisible items in an online setting.
- Utilized **CVXPY** (convex optimization solver) for counter-example search.

### **CARNEGIE MELLON SOLAR RACING | Optimization Team Lead**

Sep 2015 - Present | CMSR

- Designed a new system of sensors to monitor power and propulsion system of a 18 ft long racing boat.
- Integrated with Android application that formats and displays data to driver.

## EDUCATION

### **CARNEGIE MELLON UNIVERSITY | BS in Computer Science, Minor in Machine Learning**

Expected May 2019 | Pittsburgh, PA

Dean's List (All Semesters) • GPA: 3.97 / 4.00

### **AWARDS**

CMU Quantathon First Place (2017, 2018)  
TartanHacks Student Impact Prize (2017)  
Putnam Top 500 (2015, 2016, 2017)  
ACM ICPC Regionals Top 10 (2015, 2016, 2017)  
USA Computing Olympiad Finalist (2014)

### **RELEVANT COURSEWORK**

(10703) Deep Reinforcement Learning (Graduate)  
(10701) Introduction to Machine Learning (Graduate)  
(15418) Parallel Computer Architecture and Programming  
(21270) Introduction to Mathematical Finance  
(15359) Probability and Computing  
(15312) Principles of Programming Languages