# **David Sasser**

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# **EXPERIENCE**

#### Research Assistant

LSU

Ian 2019 - Sep 2019

Assisted in the development of a low-shot technique in which to categorize satellite imagery

#### Consultant I

#### **Fenway Group**

Jan 2018 - Sep 2018

- Developed, tested, and maintained an application as a consultant for Salt Lending, Inc.
- Performed code reviews for team to ensure code quality, maintainability, and scalability
- Led and mentored a team of eight associates to implement designs and solutions to technical requirements given by the client
- Presented status updates and demonstrated functionalities of projects to the client every two weeks

## **Associate Consultant**

# **Fenway Group**

May 2015 - Mar 2017

- Developed, tested, and maintained multiple applications as a consultant for CenturyLink, Inc.
- Supported team of developers and completed stories by agreed upon deadlines

## **PROJECTS**

# **Google Landmark Retrieval 2020 Competition**

**Personal** 

- Developed scripts for data-preprocessing on a dataset of over 1.5 million images
- Used transfer learning to train a ResNet50 and a ResNet101 base model
- Earned a score in the top 41% of the competition
- <u>Utilized</u>: Python, Tensorflow, Numpy, Matplotlib

## **Powerbomb Productions**

Freelance

- Developed a blog and forum style web application using Node/Express
- Responsible for the all of the design and architecture of the web application
- <u>Utilized</u>: Node.js, Express, PostgreSQL, HTML/CSS, Handlebars, Bootstrap, JavaScript, Git

#### **Document Word Frequency Website**

Ph.D. Coursework

- Developed a web application using Node/Express for users to upload documents and determine word frequencies
- Designed and developed secure user authentication methods using JWT
- <u>Utilized</u>: Node.js, Express, PostgreSQL, HTML/CSS, JavaScript, Python, JWT, Git

#### Salt Lending Store

Salt Lending, Inc.

- Developed an eCommerce website using WordPress and PHP
- Used Amazon Cognito to develop secure user sign-up and sign-in methods
- <u>Utilized</u>: WordPress, PHP, MySQL, AWS, HTML/CSS, JavaScript, Git, Cypress

#### Infotree

CenturyLink, Inc.

- Developed all layers of a web application utilizing the Django framework for managers to view relational data using graphs and tables
- Integrated Neo4j's UI to show relationships between data more clearly
- <u>Utilized</u>: Django, Python, MongoDB, HTML/CSS, JavaScript, Neo4j, Git

# **EDUCATION**

**B.S.** Mathematics

# **Louisiana State University**

**Baton Rouge, LA** 

Completed work towards Ph.D. Computer Science

Jan 2019 - Sep 2019

Cumulative GPA: 3.67

#### **Louisiana Tech University**

Ruston, LA

Minor: Computer Science

Sep 2014 - Nov 2017

Cumulative GPA: 3.5

## **SKILLS**

Languages: Python, JavaScript, TypeScript, Java, PHP, BASH, HTML/CSS, SQL

**Databases:** PostgreSQL, MySQL, MongoDB

**Technologies:** Git, Unix Systems, Node.js, React, WordPress, Tensorflow, Numpy, JWT, AWS

**Certifications:** Professional Scrum Developer I **Other:** Agile Methodologies (Scrum)