

## Education

### Princeton University

September 2015- May 2019

B.S.E in Computer Science, Certificate in Statistics and Machine Learning

GPA: 3.7/4.0

**Relevant Coursework:** Algorithms and Data Structures, Big Data, Functional Programming, Information Security, Programming Systems, Contemporary Logic Design, Probability and Stochastic Systems, Reasoning about Computation, Statistics, Linear Algebra

## Experience

### Software Engineering Intern

Summer 2017

Phosphorus

- Placed in agile engineering team as one of 30 students in Princeton Startup Immersion Program, selected from 300+ applicants.
- Redesigned management portal and implemented custom UI/UX components in admin dashboard using Wicket and Scala.
- Created distributor preference/permission scoping model in Scala, Spring Boot, Hibernate, and Postgres SQL.
- Helped configure elastic load balancers and auto scaling groups on AWS, and wrote Cloud Formation Templates.

### Research Intern

Summer 2016

Harvard-MIT HST Program

- Developed web tool for visualizing geographic trends in AETNA insurance and US Census data using R and MySQL.
- Contributed to open-source client-side web application (<http://pklab.med.harvard.edu/jean/ubit2/index.html>).

## Leadership

### Codirector

2017 - current

HackPrinceton ([hackprinceton.com](http://hackprinceton.com))

- Princeton's biannual hackathon hosts over 1,100 students from around the world each year. In 2016, I was an organizer and now, I am the head director for HackPrinceton Fall 2017 and Spring 2018. I manage a team of 30 organizers and a budget of \$150,000.

### Cofounder and Director

2016 - 2017

Princeton University Science Olympiad ([scioly.princeton.edu](http://scioly.princeton.edu))

- 800 of the USA's top high school students compete at the annual Princeton University Science Olympiad invitational tournament.
- Led a team of 10 students, 100 volunteers, and founded this campus group from scratch. Coordinated the writing of 23 events.

## Projects

### Lyff

Enables user to call a Lyft ride with just a phone call. Won **"Best Use of Vonage/Nexmo API Prize"** at PennApps Fall 2017.

Link: [github.com/akashlevy/Lyff](https://github.com/akashlevy/Lyff)

**Technologies Used:** Python, Nexmo API, Google Maps API, Amazon Lex, Amazon Lambda, Lyft API

### UBiT2

Open-source client-side web app for visualization and analysis of RNA-seq and qPCR data. Computation done entirely in browser.

Link: <http://pklab.med.harvard.edu/jean/ubit2/index.html>

**Technologies Used:** JavaScript (jQuery, D3), HTML5/CSS3 (Bootstrap)

### CWAS

Plots choropleth maps of USA at the county, state or regional level from user-inputted data, AETNA claims or US census data

**Technologies Used:** R (Shiny, choroplethr, ggplot2, rmysql, grid), MySQL

## Skills

### Programming Languages

- Java
- C
- Python
- Assembly
- OCaml
- Javascript

### Web Development

- HTML
- Django
- CSS
- Flask
- Meteor.js
- Node.js

### Data Science

- R
- Machine learning
- SQL
- AWS

### Frameworks and Tools

- jQuery
- Hibernate
- D3
- Unix
- Wicket
- Git

## Publications

[3] (Pre-print) Fan, J, **Fan, D**, Slowikowski, Kamil, Gehlenborg, K, Kharchenko, P. (2017). UBiT2: a client-side web-application for gene expression data analysis.

[2] Kopp, Z. A, Hsieh, J, Li, A, Wang, W, Bhatt, D. T, Lee, A, Kim, S. Y, **Fan, D**, ... Park, Y. (2015). Heart-specific Rpd3 downregulation enhances cardiac function and longevity. *Aging*, 7(9), 648-660. doi:10.18632/aging.100806

[1] Lin, S, Wang, X, Kamiya, Y, Chern, G, Fan, F, **Fan, D**, ... Cheong, S. (2014). Topological defects as relics of emergent continuous symmetry and Higgs condensation of disorder in ferroelectrics. *Nature Physics*, 10(12), 970-977. doi:10.1038/nphys3142

## Awards

Princeton Innovation Magazine 25 Under 25  
Intel Science Talent Search Semifinalist

February 2016  
January 2015