Diwen Huang

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Technical Skills

Languages: Python, Swift, TypeScript, JavaScript, Java, C++, HTML/CSS

Frameworks & Tools: SwiftUI, React, React Native, Next.js, Firebase, Git, GCP, Vercel, Figma

Machine Learning: PyTorch, TensorFlow, CoreML, OpenCV, YOLOv5, CUDA, Kalman Filtering, CNNs

Experience Research

Founder & Lead Developer | Smashspeed AI

May 2025 – Present

- Developed the core real-time computer vision pipeline using YOLOv5, CoreML, and Kalman filtering to calculate badminton smash speeds with high precision on-device.
- Achieved 93% model accuracy by personally labeling 13,000+ images and training YOLOv5 on a custom, user-collected dataset of 15,000+ images using NVIDIA A100 GPUs on Google Cloud.
- Architected the application's scalable Firebase backend to support thousands of active users with authentication, cloud storage, and real-time data synchronization.
- Led a team of 6 engineers and designers to scale the app, growing the user base to over 10,000 downloads and achieving a #2 rank on the App Store (Sports) across 90+ countries.

Computer Vision Researcher | Independent

May 2025 – Sep 2025

- Authored and published a research paper on arXiv detailing the novel vision-based algorithms developed for the Smashspeed AI application.
- Validated the system's performance and accuracy through rigorous testing under the mentorship of experts from Stanford (PhD, CS) and UPenn (MEng, Data Science).

Certified Badminton Coach | NCCP Level 2

Sep 2024 – Present

• Improve athlete performance at provincial and regional levels by integrating Smashspeed AI into private coaching sessions (\$90/hr) to provide data-driven, real-time biomechanical feedback.

Projects

Founder & Developer | STEMsf.org

Sep 2025 - Present

- Founded a non-profit to promote STEM education, developing its web platform with React, TypeScript, and Firebase, including a secure portal with role-based access control.
- Recruited and now manage a team of 7 executives across 2 chapters to coordinate community outreach and plan future educational workshops.

Technical Author | Amazon Bestselling Books

Aug 2025

• Authored two programming guides, *Python FastStart* and *Swift FastStart*; the latter achieved #1 Bestseller status in App Development and ranked Top 50 in the Artificial Intelligence category on Amazon.

Education

Port Moody Secondary School – IB Diploma Candidate

Port Moody, BC

Expected Graduation: June 2027

- Academics: 4.0 GPA (97.1% average), Rank: 2/300. Pursuing IB Higher Levels in Math AA and Physics.
- Standardized Tests: SAT 1530 (790 Math, 740 English).
- Certifications & Coursework: Deep Learning Specialization (Coursera), Google UX Design Specialization (Coursera), Linear Algebra & Multivariate Calculus (Imperial College London).