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EDUCATION

University of Toronto

Honours Bachelor of Science, Computer Science Specialist, Math Minor

Toronto, ON

Sep. 2020 – June 2025

Cumulative GPA: 3.95/4.00

Research Advisors: David Lindell, Kyros Kutulakos, Nandita Vijaykumar

Relevant Coursework: Introduction to Machine Learning, Introduction to Image Understanding, Introduction to Visual Computing, Computer Graphics, Neural Networks and Deep Learning, Data Structures & Analysis, Multivariable Calculus with Proofs, Algorithm Design & Analysis, Probabilistic Learning & Reasoning, Linear Algebra I & II

RESEARCH & WORK EXPERIENCE

Research Assistant

May 2024 – Present

Embarc Research Group, Department of Computer Science, University of Toronto

Toronto, ON

- Conducting research with the Embarc Research Group, focusing on accelerating neural scene reconstruction for low-light burst captures.
- Running experiments on baseline models and building a dataset of low-light burst images to support the evaluation and enhancement of neural scene reconstruction in challenging lighting conditions.

Student Researcher

May 2023 – May 2024

Toronto Computational Imaging Group, Department of Computer Science, University of Toronto

Toronto, ON

- Designed and implemented a deep generative model to create realistic 3D urban scenes, summarizing the results and findings in a detailed technical report.
- Performed comprehensive experiments with 3D generative models using the KITTI-360 and Waymo datasets, evaluating their capabilities and limitations.

Research Assistant

Jan. 2023 – Apr. 2023

Toronto Computational Imaging Group, Department of Computer Science, University of Toronto

Toronto, ON

- Collaborated in a team of 2 to implement and train machine learning models capable of reconstructing videos at full spatial and temporal resolution from coded measurements.
- Conducted a thorough comparative analysis of machine learning-based techniques for video compressive sensing on videos captured by coded-exposure pixel sensors.

Content Developer

May 2021 – July 2021

Department of Computer Science, University of Toronto

Toronto, ON

- Designed over 100 programming and comprehension practice questions for first-year computer science courses.

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

Teaching Assistant - MAT135: Calculus I

Sep. 2024 – Dec. 2024

Mathematics Department, University of Toronto

Toronto, ON

- Graded assignments and tests, held office hours, invigilated exams, led tutorial sessions, and collaborated with the professor during lectures by answering questions and facilitating discussions.

Teaching Assistant - Math Learning Center

Sep. 2021 – Dec. 2021

Mathematics Department, University of Toronto

Toronto, ON

- Assisted over 200 first-year students with math questions during 40 office hours across 12 weeks.

HONORS & AWARDS

Dean's List Scholar, University of Toronto

2024, 2023, 2021

Department of Computer Science Research Award, University of Toronto

2024

Innis College Exceptional Achievement Award, University of Toronto

2024, 2023

University of Toronto In-course Scholarship, University of Toronto

2021

Later Life Learning Scholarship, University of Toronto

2021

Dr. Babak Farzad's Award of Leadership, University of Toronto

2020

University of Toronto Scholar, University of Toronto

2020

TECHNICAL SKILLS

Languages: Python, Java, C, C++, R, Bash, SQL

Frameworks: PyTorch

Developer Tools: Git, VS Code, PyCharm, IntelliJ, Vim

Libraries: OpenCV, OpenGL, Pandas, NumPy, Matplotlib, Scikit-learn, SciPy