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SKILLS

- **Languages:** Python, R, C++, C#, Java, Javascript, SQL, HTML5, CSS3, Perl
- **Frameworks:** Webpack, Babel, Typescript, React, Bootstrap, NodeJS, Express, ASP.NET Core, ESLint, Flask, REST, GraphQL, Docker, Confluence, JIRA, Mocha, Jest, PostgreSQL, MongoDB, SQL Server, Azure, TensorFlow, D3.js
- **Machine Learning:** Generalised Linear Model, Dimension Reduction Analysis, Deep Learning, Time Series Analysis

PUBLICATION

- **18th Annual ACM SIGGRAPH/Eurographics Symposium on Computer Animation (SCA 2019)** Los Angeles, USA
July 2019
 - **Paper:** Daniel Holden, Bang Chi Duong, Sayantan Datta, and Derek Nowrouzezahrai. 2019. **Subspace neural physics: fast data-driven interactive simulation.** In Proceedings of the 18th annual ACM SIGGRAPH/Eurographics Symposium on Computer Animation (SCA '19), Stephen N. Spencer (Ed.). ACM, New York, NY, USA, Article 6, 12 pages. DOI: <https://doi.org/10.1145/3309486.3340245>

EXPERIENCE

- **Technical Safety BC** Vancouver, Canada
Data Scientist (Internship) May 2019 – Aug 2019
 - **API Backend Microservice - Flask/Docker:** Built a REST API backend microservice for the data science team to efficiently share data with other teams/departments, and set up Flask unit tests
 - **Web Scraping - Python:** Built a web scraper to gather public data on building permits from various sources
 - **PDF Information Extraction - Python:** Accelerated team's data processing time by building a tool that extracts information from PDF files into CSV/JSON formats
 - **Financial Forecast - Python:** Built a pipeline to evaluate the forecast accuracy of various time series models (e.g. classical (S)ARIMA(X), LSTM neural networks) to improve operational expenditure planning
- **Ubisoft - La Forge** Montreal, Canada
AI Programmer (Internship) Sep 2018 – Dec 2018

Optimized game developer and player experience by speeding up 3D interactive physics simulation of cloth and soft bodies by 300 - 5,000 times researching machine learning methods:

 - **Data Acquisition - Maya nCloth:** Generated/Extracted a pool of interactive cloth and soft body data
 - **Deep Learning - Python:** Extracted a compact subspace representation of (256/128/64) bases from ~10,000 dimensions using PCA, and trained neural networks entirely in the subspace to predict future motion trajectory
 - **Interactive Runtime Application - C++:** Integrated the learned models into a C++ runtime application

PROJECTS

- **Resource Utilization System - .NET/React/SQL-Server (Ongoing):** Building a full-stack web application based on external client specs in an agile environment; I am contributing mainly to the back-end development.
- **2D Game Project - C++/OpenGL:** Built a 2D game called **Capture the Castle** using the ECS pattern; my main contribution focused on the AI and particle system. The game was awarded "Second Best Game" and came first in "Interaction and Control" in the class. An executable directory can be found at <https://bangchi.tk/#projects>.
- **Teaching Assistant:** Assisted University of British Columbia students in Software Engineering courses
- **Movie Review Web App - MongoDB/Express/React/NodeJS:** Built a full-stack web application to find and review movies; <https://cs490-project-movie.herokuapp.com/>
- **Car Detection In Image - Python:** Built a car detector with SVM model on features extracted from HOG method
- **Lossy Image Compression - C++:** Built an image compressor using space partitioning trees, specifically 2-D trees

EDUCATION

- **University of British Columbia** Vancouver, Canada
Bachelor of Computer Science (BCS); cGPA: 84.7/100.0 Sep 2017 – Apr 2020
- **University of Guelph** Guelph, Canada
Master of Bioinformatics; cGPA: 91.0/100.0 Sep 2016 – Aug 2017