Dylan Labatt Randle

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EDUCATION

• Harvard University, School of Engineering & Applied Sciences

Cambridge, MA Sep 2018 - Present

Master of Science in Data Science; GPA: 4.0

o Awards: IACS Scholarship

• University of California at Berkeley, College of Engineering

Berkeley, CA

Bachelor of Science in Industrial Engineering & Operations Research; GPA: 3.9

Sep 2012 - May 2016

o Awards: High Honors, Phi Beta Kappa, Dean's List (2012-2016)

Relevant Experience

Harvard University Graduate Researcher

Cambridge, MA

Nov 2018 - Present

o Deep Learning in Physics: Researched and developed methods for solving Navier-Stokes equations using unsupervised neural networks. Researching methods to train GANs to solve differential equations (e.g. harmonic oscillator, Burgers' equation) in an unsupervised fashion.

• Amazon Robotics

Boston, MA

Data Science Intern

Jun 2019 - Aug 2019

- o Data Engineering: Built automated, scalable data pipeline for big data queries, data merging, data cleaning, and data transformation. Tech stack: Python (Pandas, Dask, boto3), Spark, AWS EMR
- Data Science: Developed machine learning library for proprietary internal product. Included data filtering, feature selection, linear models, random forests, gradient boosted trees, and feed-forward neural networks. Leveraged interpretability algorithms (e.g. feature importance, ALE, SHAP) for model explanations. Tech stack: Python, Pandas, NumPy, scikit-learn, Keras, XGBoost, AWS SageMaker
- Data Product: Developed API for internal use. Prototyped front-end UI for non-technical users. Demonstrated results to stakeholders. Tech stack: IPython, Jupyter

Hubdoc

Toronto, Canada

Lead Data Scientist Jan 2017 - Jul 2018

• Production Deep Learning: Developed and deployed production deep learning system using LSTMs & CNNs for entity extraction and text classification of financial documents. Models trained on over 1 TB of text and image documents. Extraction time reduced from 24 hours to 5 seconds; cost savings estimated at \$2MM/year. Tech stack: Python, Keras, Tensorflow-Serving, PostgresSQL, AWS EC2

- Data Science: Conducted business and engineering analyses: e.g. prediction of labor requirements and anomaly detection of web scrapers. Wrote reports and built data visualizations for company intranet in D3.js
- Leadership: Regularly presented results and recommendations to C-suite. Integral in crafting team strategy and roadmap. Involved in fundraising and presentations to investors. Delivered machine learning lecture to 60+ people

• Taylor Statten Camps

Algonquin Provincial Park, Canada

Canoe Trip Guide

Summers 2015, 2016

- Canoe Trips: Led 36- and 50-day canoe trips through remote Canadian wilderness. Responsible for groups of 7 teenage boys. Responsible for planning, safety, and navigation
- o Camp Maintenance: Built a new dock; renovated and painted cabins. Leader of roofing crew

• Bank of Montreal, Capital Markets

Toronto, Canada

Financial Products Analyst

Summer 2014

- Fixed Income: Conducted analyses of various debt products (swaps, swaptions, ABS, MBS), Wrote custom C# algorithm to analyze relationship between delta-hedging frequency and returns for Canadian swaptions; found possible trading opportunities
- Sales & Trading: Compiled daily summaries of trading activity. Reviewed and analyzed sales product pitches. Supported both sales and trading with various data analyses

Relevant Projects

(Titles link to project websites.)

- Twitter Troll Classification: Project achieving 96% accuracy classifying Twitter trolls using tweets scraped from accounts indicted for meddling in the 2016 U.S. elections
- Automatic Differentiation: Python package implementing automatic differentiation, supporting both forward and reverse modes; stochastic gradient descent and Adam optimizers implemented as example use-case
- Bayesian GANs: Paper review, implementation, and demo of Bayesian generative adversarial networks (GANs)
- Tensorflow on Spark: Training neural networks on a 1.5 TB dataset with Tensorflow on a Spark/Hadoop cluster with AWS Elastic Map Reduce
- Microbiome Dynamics: Modeling Granger causality with causal-LSTM model of high-dimensional experimental microbiome time-series data from mice
- Safe Autonomous Vehicles: Critical thinking project demonstrating methods (federated learning, differential privacy, secure multi-party computation) and evaluating policies

Programming Skills

Languages: Python (NumPy, Pandas, scikit-learn, PyTorch, Keras, PyMC3, boto3), SQL, C Technologies: AWS (EC2, EMR, S3), Hadoop, Spark, OpenMP, OpenACC, MPI, Git, LaTeX, Markdown