# ELIZABETH A. CLARK

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#### **EDUCATION**

## **University of Washington**

Seattle, WA

Computer Science and Engineering PhD Program

2015 -

Research Assistant with the Natural Language Processing Group, advised by Noah Smith

# **Middlebury College**

Middlebury, VT

Bachelor of Arts

2011 - 2015

Graduated Magna Cum Laude (GPA 3.77) with high honors from the Computer Science Department (major GPA 3.86) and with minors in Mathematics and Linguistics

Also studied at Pontificia Universidad Católica de Chile (Fall 2013) and UCLA (Summer 2014)

Senior Thesis: "Comparing Linguistic and Acoustic Approaches for Sentiment Recognition in Speech"

#### **AWARDS**

Chosen to compete in the Amazon Alexa Prize (Team Sounding Board)

2016 - 2017

NSF Graduate Research Fellowship Program (GRFP) Fellowship

2016 –

Member of CRA-W Grad Cohort 2016

April 2016

## **INTERNSHIPS**

#### **Naval Postgraduate School**

Monterey, CA

Computer Science Graduate Intern

Summer 2015

- Chosen to participate in the Naval Research Enterprise Internship Program (NREIP)
- Built a specialized parser to extract important data from a natural language database of radar descriptions

# **Naval Postgraduate School**

Computer Science Undergraduate Intern

Monterey, CA

Summer 2013

- Worked in the Natural Language Processing Lab as part of NREIP
- Built a Naïve Bayes classifier to predict the number of followers, friends, favorites, lists, and tweets per day a Twitter user has when given a sample of tweets from the user

#### **PUBLICATIONS**

Paper Title: "Tweet! – And I Can Tell How Many Followers You Have" Authors: Christine Klotz, Annie Ross, Elizabeth Clark and Craig Martell

Conference Name: The 10th International Conference on Computing and Information

Technology (IC2IT 2014)

Volume: Advances in Intelligent Systems and Computing - Vol 265, ed. Janusz Kacprzyk

#### **COMMUNITY**

Mentor for Undergraduate Women in Computer Science

2015 -

First Year Graduate Student Mentor

2016 -

### **SKILLS**

Principal Programming Languages: Python, Java

Tools: TensorFlow, LaTex, Praat, Natural Language Toolkit Languages: Spanish (fluent) and Portuguese (conversational)