ETHAN LEGUM



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Present -Jun 2023

EXPERIENCE

PopID Computer Vision Engineer

- Deployed new biometric recognition technology to eliminate physical contact with the terminal.
- Tested drive-thru liveness software resulting in 57% increase in successful facial matching performance.
- Built backend APIs used by partners to integrate PopID biometric payments platform into retail stores.
- Led team during 4-month Steak n' Shake pilot, increasing daily transactions from 5 to 50/day.

EDUCATION

May 2024 -Aug 2022

The University of Central Florida M.S. in Computer Vision | GPA 3.7

- Top Courses Advanced Computer Vision, Medical Imaging, 3D Computer Vision, Advanced AI
- Dean's List All Semesters

May 2022 -Aug 2017

The University of Central Florida B.S. in Computer Science | GPA 3.5 | Core CS GPA 3.9

• Top Courses AI, Robot Vision, Machine Learning, Parallel Programming, CS 1 & 2

PROJECTS

Mar 2024 -Dec 2023

Live Hand Gesture Recognition Kotlin, Python, Chaquopy Developed a Hand Gesture Recognition system for POS system, enhancing drive-thru interaction with touch-free tipping.

- Engineered a robust ML pipeline to accurately classify 5 unique hand gestures, resilient to changing environmental factors.
- Integrated Python-based ML algorithms into Android application for seamless deployment to existing POS devices.

Dec 2022 -Sep 2022

Credit Card Fraud Detection Python

Architected machine learning pipeline that efficiently detects fraud using real European consumer credit card data.

- Stabilized model using regularization to achieve 98% separation of fraudulent and non-fraudulent data.
- Balanced dataset of 300,000 credit card transactions by artificially creating more fraudulent data using SMOTE.

Apr 2022 -Aug 2021

EasyMeshVR C#, Unity, NodeJS, AWS

Developed multiplayer VR application that allows users to collaboratively edit 3D models.

- Managed 5-person team in building mesh-editing, multiplayer, and web architecture to launch application in 6-month period.
- Implemented UI that eliminated motion sickness in users by communicating mesh state through colors.

Jun 2021 -Feb 2021

Portfolio Website HTML, CSS, JavaScript

The website not only showcases my top projects in depth but also offers a deeper glimpse into my professional identity.

• Designed and implemented a visually engaging portfolio website from the ground up, enhancing my skills in UX design.

LANGUAGES

Programming

Python Java Html & CSS C# SQL JavaScript

Conventional

English Hebrew

SKILLS

Development Experience

Leading programming teams, following Agile development principles, and public speaking.

Python

Building predictive models and neural networks for classifying large datasets.

Java

Dynamic/recursive algorithms, complex data structures, and object-oriented design.

Industry Tools

OpenCV, PyTorch, TensorFlow, Unity, MongoDB, Kotlin, Figma, NumPy, and Pandas.

LEADERSHIP

Dec 2020 -May 2019

Alpha Epsilon Pi Fraternity Executive Board

- Entrusted by 100-member chapter to serve on executive board, lead new members, and plan events.
- Managed committee that transitioned 37 new members into the fraternity over two-semester period.
- Streamlined new member program framework for successors to use in creating their own schedules.