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Education

Massachusetts Institute of Technology

2012-2016

Candidate for B.S. in Mathematics

Cambridge, MA

4.6/5.0 GPA. Past/current coursework: Advanced Algorithms, Advanced Data Structures, Network and Computer Security, Commutative Algebra, Effective Programming in C and C++, and Applied Math for Pure Mathematicians.

Experience

Asana June 2015–present

Software Engineering Intern

San Francisco, CA

- o Designed and built Zookeeper-coordinated system to manage security updates for webservers.
- Used Typescript and React to build rich text editor for Asana's new UI framework.

Jane Street Capital May–August 2014

Trading Intern New York, NY

- Researched trading strategies. Used numpy and other Python-based data analysis libraries.
- o Programmed data analysis tools.

MIT Computer Science and Artificial Intelligence Lab

June-August 2013

Undergraduate Researcher

Cambridge, MA

o Studied lower bounds on multilinear formulas for quantum states.

Projects

Reverse-engineering Venmo: Analyzed Venmo, a social payments app, for a group project in a computer security class. Disclosed security issues (now fixed). Invited to Venmo's offices to present our work. Mentioned on Slate, Sophos' *Naked Security* blog, and Yahoo Finance.

zScore: Co-wrote an open-source Django site allowing users to track their sleep and compare to their friends.

Skills

Languages and technologies: Python, Linux, Git, LATEX, Javascript (and Typescript), C, C++

Leadership and Service

MIT Educational Studies Program

2012-present

- o Directed Splash! 2013, a weekend-long educational program for 2670 high school students. Made policy decisions, led a team of 30+ administrators, and organized over 600 day-of teachers and volunteers.
- Created and taught classes on mathematics, puzzle-solving, computer security, and cognitive biases.

I-HELP Liberia Project

2013

- o Co-developed and taught two-week workshop in Kakata for 100 Liberian math and science teachers.
- o Co-wrote and held first Liberian Math Olympics for high school students in Monrovia.

Awards and Interests

- o Honorable mention on 2012 William Lowell Putnam math contest (top 50 out of 4277)
- o President of mitBEEF, MIT's beef appreciation club O Winning team, 2012 and 2014 MIT Mystery Hunt