# **Emily Xu**

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## **EDUCATION**

# University of California - Berkeley Junior

May 2019

- Bachelor of Arts in Computer Science, Bachelor of Arts in Economics
- **GPA:** 3.5
- **SAT:** 2370 (800 R, 800 W, 770 M)

#### **WORK EXPERIENCE**

Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation (FDIC) Economic Analyst Intern May 2017 – August 2017

- Evaluated economic and banking data to identify and limit financial risks to FDIC insured institutions
- Produced charts, presentations, and reports used in nation-wide bank regulation conferences
- Automated and standardized intern duties, increased efficiency by 30%

## Kirusa Inc. Data Analytics Intern

June 2016 – August 2016

- Executed user similarity and social network analysis on InstaVoice App usage data (Python, SQL)
- Developed a recommendation system (Python) that increased subscription revenue from 3% to 50%
- Devised nearest neighbor algorithm based on locality sensitive hashing, improved runtime by 97%

## University of California - Berkeley Student Instructor

January 2016 – Present

- Taught weekly course about classroom management (Education 198) to over 30 students
- Facilitated student understanding of trends, special topics, and best practices in education

#### **ACTIVITIES & LEADERSHIP**

## **People's Test Preparation Service** Executive Director

May 2017 – Present

- Managed a 40-person non-profit organization, provided free SAT prep to 200+ low-income students
- Constructed new Reading and Writing curriculum, increased average student test score by 100 points
- Directed a 7-person officer board and conducted weekly board meetings, maintained relationships with clients, sponsors, site partners, and campus organizations

## **DiversaTech Consulting** *Tech Consultant/Project Manager*

January 2017– Present

- Built an interactive chatbot that dispersed agricultural information to farmers in West Bengal, India
- Pulled and parsed data from APIs and used it to train our machine learning API to answer questions

# Data Science Society at Berkeley Data Analyst

January 2017 – August 2017

- Assembled API data, implemented statistical and econometric models (Pandas Python) to study loan popularity in partnership with microfinance non-profit Kiva Microfunds
- Optimized borrower profiles based on results, increased loan dollars received per day by 10%

#### **SKILLS**

- Programming Languages: Python, Java, SQL, C, JavaScript, HTML
- Software: Excel, Powerpoint, Adobe Photoshop, Adobe Illustrator, Stata, LaTeX
- Economics Coursework: Econometrics (140), Statistics (Stats 20), Financial Economics (136), Micro/Macro Economics (100A/B)
- Computer Science Coursework: Artificial Intelligence (188), Data Structures (61B), Computer Architecture (61C)