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EDUCATION

The University of Chicago <i>Masters Program in Computer Science</i> • GPA: 3.90 Related Coursework: Algorithms, Computer Security, Software Engineering, UI/UX, UNIX Systems	Sep 2022 – Dec 2023 Chicago, IL
The Hong Kong University of Science and Technology (HKUST) <i>Bachelor of Science in Quantitative Finance, Minor: Information Technology</i> • GPA: 3.84 (First Class Honors) , received scholarship for a Top 2% cumulative GPA at end of penultimate year) • Related Coursework: Algorithms, Artificial Intelligence, Calculus I, II & III, Database Management Systems, Discrete Mathematics, Econometrics, Excel VBA, Forecasting, Internet Computing, Linear Algebra, Machine Learning, OOP and Data Structures, Probability, Python, Statistics	Sep 2017 – May 2022 Hong Kong

AWARDS & SCHOLARSHIPS

2021 **Top 5%** Worldwide in Google Hash Code Online Round
2020 **Dean's List** (Placed on the Dean's List 6 times at HKUST for obtaining a term grade average over 3.7)
2020 **University's Scholarship Scheme for Continuing Undergraduate Students (Three-time recipient)**
2017 **HKUST Admission Scholarship** (1-year full tuition plus allowance)

PROJECT EXPERIENCE

Undergraduate Research Opportunities Program <i>Advised by Prof Allen Hao Huang, HKUST</i> • Collaborated with teammates to collect 15000+ pieces of financial text and design consistent sentiment labeling standards • Trained and fine-tuned a BERT model for sentiment classification of Chinese financial text (achieved 92% accuracy) • Researched the BERT model and analyzed its advantage over baseline bag-of-words models in sentiment classification	Jun 2021 – Aug 2021
Internet Computing Project • Led and collaborated with 2 team members to develop a complex real-time multiplayer game in JavaScript • Personally completed all server-side functions for the game and familiarized myself with JavaScript, HTML, CSS, WebSocket, and AJAX	Jan 2022 – May 2022

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Lazard <i>Summer Intern, Investment Banking</i> • Supported the team in 15+ projects in various stages of the deal process by producing marketing materials as well as conducting extensive company and industry research • Performed Comparable Company Analysis and Comparable Transaction Analysis on target companies	Jun 2020 – Aug 2020 Hong Kong
Share New Asset <i>Research Intern, Business Advisory</i> • Prepared a research report on NLP and Sentiment Analysis related industries as well as its key players • Contributed to a sell-side M&A deal for a Hong Kong-based seafood importer by preparing the investment teaser and performing DCF Modeling and Comparable Company Analysis	Jun 2019 – Aug 2019 Hong Kong
Myicellar <i>Quality Assurance Intern</i> • Designed test cases for the company's e-commerce application and reported multiple issues to developers • Conducted research on major C2C platforms to facilitate the company's business model transition	June 2018 – July 2018 Hong Kong

LEADERSHIP & SERVICE

HKUST Student Ambassador Program <i>Senior Student Ambassador</i> • Represented the university in multiple admission events and led campus tours for prospective students	Oct 2018 – May 2022
HKUST Taiwanese Students' Association <i>Publicity Manager</i> • Designed digital marketing strategies and materials which increased the attendance of annual events by more than 30% • Co-organized the first HKUST Experience Camp for 40+ prospective university students from Taiwan	Apr 2018 – Apr 2019

SKILLS

Programming: C/C++, Python, JavaScript, SQL, Excel VBA, R	Frameworks & Technologies: Pytorch, MySQL
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