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OBJECTIVE

Seeking summer position to increase my rate of learning and apply Mathematics/CS to solve problems.

EDUCATION

The University of Akron, Akron, Ohio, USA

• Double Major (Bachelors) in Computer Science and Applied Mathematics

Aug 2014

May 2015 - Present

- Spring 2018 expected graduation date
- GPA: 3.20

WORK EXPERIENCE

Complex Engineering Systems Lab (CESL), The University of Akron

- Undergraduate Research Student
 - Supervisor: Dr Shivakumar Sastry
 Full stack development for real time exercise error recognition using Kinect camera.
 - Created process flow modeller to allow domain experts to conduct 'Motivational Interviewing'
 - Created abstraction layer for open source project Gephi, a graph-network analysis tool

AWARDS

■ Grand Prize Winner, Knurld Online, KnuVerse

Jul 2016

Jun 2016

- Best Android/iOS. 3 month global online competition
- Prize Winner, AngelHacks, Platform 84.51
 - Best Machine Learning Project, & Largest Impact. A competition geared towards Jr/Sr devs.

• Best Creation of New Technology. Interdisciplinary projects w/ Fashion Design majors

- Community Prize Winner, Tribe Hackathon, Cleveland Indians
- May 2016
- Most Creative. Hosted by Cleveland Indians & Progressive Insurance
- Grand Prize Winner, UncommonHacks, University of Chicago
 Best Overall & Best Security. Out of 260 participants
- Prize Winner, HackCWRU, Case Western Reserve University

Feb 2016

- Best Improvement on Undergrad Life. Out of 460 total participants
- Grand Prize Winner, Fashion Tech Hackathon, Kent, Ohio

Jan 2016

NOTEABLE PROJECTS

Go Capture

Oct 2016

- Programmed using Java, OpenCV
- Point camera at a Go board, score the game in real time
- Data is communicated to server and the game can be continued online
- Calculate and overlay current scores onto the board
- Use linear filtering & Hough Line Transform to analyze camera stream
- Detect grid lines & stones to create internal data structure
- Twitch-Scraping

Jul 2016

- Programmed using Python, MongoDB and MySQL
- "Big Data" infrastructure to collect message data from streaming platform twitch.tv
- Platform collects ~7 million messages a day and stores in 5th-normal form database
- Supports real-time analysis of incoming data stream as well as static analysis
- Created data visualizations using Python's matplotlib & hosting service plot.ly

CAMPUS ACTIVITIES

IEEE Student Chapter, The University of Akron

President

May 2015 - Present

- Restored student chapter
- Increased membership from 8 to 50 students
- Secured sponsorship from The University of Akron Honors College
- Created and managing IEEE-funded project design team (10 students)
- Increased number of competitions attended per year from 1 to 5
- Led programming workshops taught C and Git/GitHub

Secretary

Nov 2014 - May 2015

- · Planned all student meetings
- · Scheduled speakers and organized events