

H. Chase Stevens

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| EDUCATION | University of Edinburgh: <i>MA Hons. Cognitive Science</i> 2011 - Present Anticipated degree classification: First-class honours (GPA equivalent : 3.92/4.00) Anticipated graduation date: 31st May 2015 Dissertation: Understanding Referential Coordination as a Particle Swarm Optimization Task | |
| SKILLS | <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Code: Python, Haskell, Matlab, Java, Javascript, C#• Data: XPath, Microsoft SQL Server, MySQL• IDEs: Visual Studio 2012/2013, Eclipse• VCSs: Git, SVN | |
| POSITIONS HELD | <i>Software Engineer, Data Acquisition</i> at Skyscanner, Ltd. April 2015 - Present <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Maintained and developed core web scraping and deep linking frameworks and libraries <i>Undergraduate Software Engineer</i> at Skyscanner, Ltd. August 2013 - March 2015 <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Leveraged NLP and machine learning techniques to deliver browser-based, point-and-click tool for automatic generation of web scrapers• Spearheaded and co-authored Selenium WebDriver-based browser automation and web scraper framework in Python• Prototyped push-notification system and app for wearable devices, as part of Research and Development division <i>Intern, Data Acquisition</i> at Skyscanner, Ltd. May 2013 - August 2013 <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Developed, maintained, and ensured accuracy of business-critical web scrapers• Collaborated heavily with technical and non-technical staff both inside and outwith the company <i>Quality Assurance Engineer Intern</i> at CashStar, Inc. June 2011 - August 2011 <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Ensured adherence of consumer-facing products to quality standards• Developed custom CMS to manage client requirements and specifications | |
| VOLUNTEER EXPERIENCE | <i>Member of Board of Directors</i> of The New School Corporation 2009 - 2011 <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Ensured 501(c)(3) corporation complied with by-laws and mission statement.• Analyzed and ratified school policies and budgetary proposals for The New School (Kennebunk, ME, USA) | |
| SELECTED HONORS AND AWARDS | April 2015 | <i>Edinburgh Award</i> |
| | May 2013 | <i>J.P. Morgan Spring Week in Technology Coding Challenge 3rd Place</i> |
| | February 2013 | University of Edinburgh Smart Data Hack “Community App Award” for SaferRoute (Team Leader) |
| | May 2012 | University of Edinburgh INF1-OP “Best Project (Experienced)” for StratLoc |
| | Spring 2011 | <i>Class of 2011 Valedictorian, The New School, Kennebunk</i> |
| | Spring 2010 | <i>National Merit Scholar Finalist</i> |