# **KEVIN WANG**

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### **EDUCATION**

# University of California, Berkeley | Berkeley, CA Bachelor of Arts in Computer Science

August 2020 - May 2024

- Organizations: UC Berkeley IEEE, Engineering Student Council, Berkeley Speech and Computation Lab,
  CITRIS and the Banatao Institute, Fung Fellowship, CS 61A Academic (Teaching) Intern
- Undergraduate Coursework: Data Structures, Discrete Mathematics and Probability Theory, Artificial Intelligence
- Graduate Coursework: Optimization Models, Machine Learning, Deep Learning and Phonology (Seminar)

### **WORK EXPERIENCE**

#### MIT Lincoln Laboratory | Software Development Intern

May 2022 – Aug 2022

- Developed a low-cost, rapidly deployable HF transponder platform, saving 98% of prior transponder operating costs in the field.
- Applied graph neural networks for radar signal classification, increasing accuracy from prior YOLO model by 28%.
- Increased the efficiency of Horizon real-time over-the-horizon radar software through implementing ArrayFire tensor functions.
- Assisted operations and teardown of DARPA-funded HF over-the-horizon radar array project through onsite software development and hardware maintenance at White Sands Missile Range, NM.

### NASA Goddard Space Flight Center | Research Intern

May 2021 - Aug 2021

- Developed & tested custom TF & Keras applications on the DGX HPC cluster to improve DL parallel training performance.
- Drafted a standard tutorial & report for migrating Earth science DL applications to GPU & multi-GPU-based environments.
- Delivered a package containing four Earth science DL applications with model & data parallelism for testing GPU platforms.
- Presented 'AI/ML/DL Benchmarks for Earth Science Applications' alongside fellow NASA and George Mason University NSF STC researchers at the ACM/IEEE SC21 conference.

# National Science Foundation | Undergraduate Research Fellow

May 2021 – Aug 2021

- Developed an image classification service deployed on AWS to enable rapid sea ice processing for climate & cryosphere research.
- Created & analyzed UNet, FCN, & DeepLabV3 semantic segmentation benchmarks to define a model baseline.
- Implemented a novel deep learning semantic segmentation model pipeline with PyTorch to improve classification accuracy by 36%.
- Contributing author for 'ArcCI: a sea ice high resolution aerial image management and processing platform' in Recent Advancements in Geoinformatics and Data Science (GSA Books).

#### Harvard University Center for Geographical Analysis | Research Intern

Nov 2020 - June 2021

- Documented 100+ key community resources & underlying infrastructure important for the mitigation of COVID-19 impacts.
- Produced a literature review of 1,298 papers on the state & utility of geospatial analysis tools in the COVID-19 research community.
- Conducted statistical NLP data analysis with NLTK, matplotlib, NetworkX, & pandas to identify the utility of geospatial analysis tools.
- Contributing author for 'Quantitative geographical approaches in COVID-19 research: A review on first- and second-order impacts' in Geospatial Stories of the Global COVID-19 Pandemic (Springer Nature).

# **PROJECTS**

Video Models for Efficient Disease Detection using Echocardiograms (2022) – Tested various state-of-the-art DNN video model architectures and pre-training approaches to improve the training efficiency and overall accuracy of video-based disease detection models.

Modelling Amyloid Beta Plaque Formation in Alzheimer's Disease (2021) – Explainable CNN & VAE models learning the relationship between plaque morphology and molecular variation and determining the presence of amyloid plaques (protein aggregates).

**Citation.ai (2021)** – Web application built using Python, React, & the OpenAI GPT-3 API to generate accurate & efficient citations following APA guidelines for researchers, students, & research librarians.

**Telepath Application (2020)** – Mobile application using deep autoencoders for video compression coupled with hardware acceleration to allow for people with unstable internet connections to remain connected with remote healthcare professionals.

#### SKILLS AND AWARDS

**Languages:** Python • Java • C++ • SQL • HTML/CSS • JavaScript/TypeScript • LaTeX

Frameworks/Tools: Git • Linux • Docker • AWS • GCP • PyTorch • TensorFlow • Keras • XGBoost • React

Honors/Awards: IBM Award at Cal Hacks • Cal Leadership Award • GitHub Education Campus Expert • UN Millennium Fellow