Isaac Tay

Al Software Engineer with a strong interest in building Al & Machine Learning models/software for public good.

EXPERIENCE

Synechron, Singapore — Junior Associate/Al Engineer

Sep 2024 - Present

- Worked on several Al-oriented projects for multiple banks, residing in Singapore (Mizuho, UOB).
- Developed an ML pipeline using Azure Al Services to automate key information extraction from invoices, reducing processing time and enabling faster uploads for mandatory audits.
- Designed and developed a Chatbot powered by Retrieval-Augmented Generation (RAG), for querying company knowledge bases.
- Led the development of an internal HR compliance dashboard using Streamlit.
- Completed company-sponsored training in Java (J2EE) and Cloud technologies, enhancing technical expertise.
- Designed and containerised applications using Docker/Podman, deployed on Azure and AWS Lambda.
- Organized and coordinated corporate events for 30+ employees, demonstrating leadership and project management skills.

Groundup.AI, Singapore — Data Science/IOT-Engineer Intern

Jan 2024 - Jul 2024

- Led the development, validation, and deployment of predictive maintenance Machine Learning models using audio files as training data.
- Managed the deployment of edge computing devices (Google's Coral Board) and AI models for real-time analytics in client environments.
- Generated and presented comprehensive reports to stakeholders, showcasing the integration of AI with IoT to enhance client confidence and project outcomes.

Hummingbird Bioscience, Singapore — Al Engineer/Web-Dev Intern

Sep 2023 - Dec 2023

- Fine-tuned, tested, and evaluated various Large Language Models, benchmarking their performance against GPT-3.5 and GPT-4, to determine the best model for the summarising of academic papers on cancer research.
- Used Streamlit framework to develop a Chatbot UI, backed by OpenAI's LLM.
- Maintained and enhanced an internal Chatbot that retrieves and summarizes academic papers daily, redesigning the UI to better align with research scientists' reading workflows.

Bosch GmbH, Singapore — Data Science Intern

Jun 2022 - Jun 2023

- Collaborated with a research scientist in the development of a smart and sustainable HVAC system, by translating academic research into practical code implementations.
- Conducted comprehensive literature reviews on anomaly detection and predictive maintenance in HVAC systems.
- Built an end-to-end forecasting system by designing a Python ETL pipeline and developing time series models for accurate anomaly detection in HVAC systems.
- Developed and deployed PowerBI dashboards with intuitive visualizations to help users identify anomalies at a glance, backed by the time series model.

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SKILLS

Programming Languages

Python, Java, Swift, JavaScript, SQL, CLI, HTML, CSS

Libraries & Frameworks

torch/tensorflow, pandas, Langchain, VectorDB, Streamlit, FastAPI, Springboot, ReactJS, Tailwind CSS

Tools & Platforms

Git, Docker/Podman, Azure, Vercel, Railway

Certifications

Azure Al Fundamentals, Azure Fundamentals

PROJECTS

Codebot

School-assigned capstone project, to study the performance of LLMs between using RAG and fine-tuning. (TL;DR: RAG is better (most contexts))

Portfolio Website (izack.dev)

Personal website to showcase my projects, skills and experiences

EDUCATION

Nanyang Technological University (NTU)

Aug 2020 - Aug 2024

Bachelor's in Electrical and

Electronics Engineering w/ a

specialization in Al