

# HAO LOU

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## Education

### University of Southern California

- Major: Applied and Computational Mathematics(BS) Minor: Computer Science(BS) Agu 2024 – May 2027  
GPA: 3.7/4.0
- **Coursework:** Data structure, Discrete Methods, Numerical Methods, Probability Theory, web development
  - **Technical Stack:** Java, Python, C++, R, MATLAB, JavaScript, HTML/CSS, Pandas, PyTorch, Forecasting, AIGC
  - React.js, Next.js, Ant Design, Mapbox, Spring Boot, Flask, REST APIs, MySQL, Git/GitHub, Cloudflare...

## Honors

- Platinum Division Qualifier (highest level) in USA Computing Olympic(**USACO**) 2-3% qualification rate
- TOP 30% out of 1805 in **Kaggle research competition**: AMP®-Parkinson's Disease Progression Prediction
- States finalist (top 6 out of 56 teams) in First Technology (**Robotics**) Competition Florida Championship

## Research and Work Experience

### Large-Scale Occupational Coding & Fuzzy Matching with Prof. Zhuo Chen

Sep 2025 – Present

#### Research Assistant

Tsinghua University, China

- Built a scalable occupational coding pipeline in **Python** using **pandas**, **jieba**, **rapidfuzz** and **sentence embeddings** to map 15 million Chinese job titles to the national classification system, which increased coding accuracy by 18 percent and now provides labeled data for downstream clustering and modeling.

### Huntsman Corporation

May 2025 – Aug 2025

#### product development intern

Shanghai, China

- The methanol synthesis process required maintaining an unknown ideal hydrogen-to-carbon monoxide ratio to suppress side reactions. Adapted a self-built **intelligent BI platform** and build Ratio Optimization and feature importance visualization module with **Spring Boot**, **MySQL**, and **React** for process monitoring and analysis.
- reduced analysis and prediction time by 60%, and identified the optimal gas ratio (**2.12:1**) also extended catalyst lifetime—a breakthrough point.

### Hundsun Technologies Inc.

June 2023 – Aug 2023

#### Java software engineer intern

China

- Migrated core financial product UI features using **React.js** and **Spring Boot** while standardizing **REST API contracts** for requests, responses and error handling, then engineered Java services to parse transaction streams, reconcile mismatches and trigger real time alerts, which cut reconciliation time from 45 minutes to under 5 minutes per batch and improved accuracy by roughly 90 percent.

### IN THE PINES INC.

June 2022 - Present

#### Co-Founder & Educational Lead, STEM Outreach Initiative (Grades 7–12)

Delray Beach, FL

- Volunteered a nonprofit teaching many had **limited access** to technology and were in a **rebellious stage**.
- Exercised patience and adaptability, mediated conflicts, tailored communication to one's needs, coordinated with fellow volunteers, and designed lessons to make coding accessible and engaging and collaborative, promote club

## Projects and Activities

### VIOLA – Startup CRM SaaS

Sep 2025 - Present

- Delivered a low-latency production-grade text-to-music search service for music supervisors by building Viola's stateless RESTful API layer with TypeScript, async job queues, input validation, logging and monitoring, which enabled rapid front-end iteration, reduced integration bugs by 40 percent and scaled reliably with a growing catalog.

### Intelligent Data Analysis Platform

Sep, 2024 – July, 2025

- Built a **full-stack** intelligent BI platform using **React**, **Spring Boot**, **Ant Design**, **OpenAPI**..., enabling users to upload raw datasets and automatically generate visualizations and insights.
- Implemented **asynchronous processing**, **message queues**.. to improve scalability and system performance.
- Integrated **AI-generated content** (AIGC) for automated chart generation and narrative analysis, reducing repetitive manual work for data scientists and accelerating insight generation.

### Automated Chemistry Lab Workflows

- Built a **web interface** for lab staff to upload experiment request PDFs and view monthly report summaries, integrating **JavaScript**, **HTML/CSS**, and **Flask (Python)** for front-end and back-end communication.
- Implemented **backend workflows** in **Python** (**pandas**, **PyPDF2**) and **VBA macros** to extract and process PDF content, track MSDS expiration dates with automated alerts (**Task Scheduler**), and forecast procurement needs based on historical consumables data. Reduced manual effort by ~40%, enabling lab staff to focus on the core.