# JEFFREY YU

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**EDUCATION** 

The University of Texas at Austin

Bachelor of Business Administration, Management Information Systems

Spring 2022

Elements of Computing Certificate

Overall GPA: 3.95/4.00

Texas Academy of Math and Science Computer Science Track, 90 Hours Transferred Spring 2018

Overall GPA: 4.00/4.00

## **WORK EXPERIENCE**

Hotplate, Inc. - Software Engineering Intern; Austin, TX

Summer 2020

- Managed and designed Hotplate's Firebase console to update chef information, A/B test new features, and upload/edit JSON profiles
- Developed front end Hotplate host selection chef page and chef profiles using HTML and CSS to accommodate new chefs

## Quake Capital Partners – Junior Venture Associate; Austin, TX

Summer 2019

- Evaluated 350+ startups on the criteria of potential SAM, product traction, and team compatibility for the Fall 2019 investment cohort Assisted 5+ Austin-based early-stage startups on an ad-hoc basis with financial forecasting/valuation, market analysis, and sell-side pitch books for exit strategies
- Created market sizing analyses and company comparable return sets to provide relative valuation insight to investors and partners
- Drafted presentation materials with C-level executives from startups to improve investor decks and develop sell-side exit opportunities

# Mohammad Omary Lab - Research Assistant; Denton, TX

Fall 2016 - Spring 2018

- Conducted research focusing on the synthesis of metal-free phosphorescent organic compounds to maximize efficiency in OLEDs
- Facilitated the designing and synthesizing of low-cost and eco-friendly organic phosphors with rapid fluorescence for lighting solutions

## **PROJECTS**

# Me, Myself, and I (Github: jefpotle/Instagram)

Summer 2020

- An adaption of OpenAI's GPT-2 machine learning text generation model that uses Messenger HTML to curate convos with yourself
- Developed pre-processing script that inputs the user's name and cleans up Messenger HTML to be in readable format for GPT-2
- Updated generation output script to include feedback loop between user and AI user as new input as user has convo with the AI

# Milk and Hotpockets (Github: jefpotle/MilkandHotPockets)

Summer 2020

- Discord bot that automates Amazon Fresh grocery shopping and product availability notifications during the COVID-19 pandemic
- · Utilized Multithreading to ping for product availability, await tasks/commands from user, and update grocery list simultaneously
- Created using Discord API to create custom commands and to make scalable for multiple users to add on multiple Discord servers

#### Basketball Reference Scraper (Github: jefpotle/BasketballReferenceScraper)

Fall 2019

- Built customizable scraper to scrape NBA player data from Basketball-Reference to find arbitrage opportunities on player prop betting lines
- Constructed the scraper to collect 28 different stat lines for every player and returns calculated medians and averages of scraped data
- Generated \$300+ from casually prop betting with friends by taking bets when scraper finds disparity between category median and line

#### **EXTRACURRICULAR ACTIVITIES**

# Texas Undergraduate Computational Finance (UCF) - Analyst

Fall 2019 - Present

- Manage a \$15K portfolio through researching and learning about advanced stock, options, and futures quantitative trading strategies
- Pitched a trading strategy analyzing Google Trends search data to evaluate investor sentiment to predict future stock price movements

# Strategic Capital Group - Senior Analyst

Summer 2019 - Present

- Build investment theses to manage portfolio of \$50K, and perform portfolio reviews with updated buy/hold/sell recommendations
- Responsible for weekly meetings of teaching 20+ members finance, accounting, and investing fundamentals through the AG curriculum
- Pitched short SMG; long GRUB, CARG, OKTA, FIZZ, FCFS, AVAV; and taught cannabis industry primer to 30+ internal member
- Created 13 financial models using DCF, public trading comparable, precedent transactions valuation techniques on various investments

## United States Tennis Association (USTA) – Superchamp Recruit

Fall 2013 - Summer 2018

#### **HONORS**

• University of Texas Stock Pitch Competition: 2<sup>nd</sup> Place (Sponsor: Point72)

Spring 2019

University of Texas McCombs Fall Case Competition: Finalist (Sponsor: PwC)

Fall 2018 Fall 2018

• University of Texas IEEE Robotathon Competition: 1st Place

Fall 2013 – Summer 2017

• 2-Star Tennis Recruit

## **ADDITIONAL INFORMATION**

Computer Skills: Proficient in Python, Java, HTML, CSS, Pandas; intermediate in Firebase, SQL, GPT-2; exposure to R Studio, JavaScript Interests: Tennis, Ultimate Frisbee, Sports Betting, Skateboarding, Chipotle, Post Malone, Valorant, Super Smash Bros.

Work Eligibility: Eligible to work in the U.S. with no restrictions