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Summary

Current M.S. student major in Bioinformatics and Biostatistics in SUNY University at Buffalo. Obsessed in the wonder of biology. Interested in finding patterns in biological world and develop computational tools for those.

Work Experience

OceanGene Wuhan, China

Bioinformatics Scientists Intern

May. 2019 - Present

- Built a genetic disease nsSNP classification ensemble machine learning model to predict pathogenity for Asian community
- Model maintaniance and optimization
- Establish WES data analysis/annotation pipeline
- Evalueate and improve current platform for genetic disease varians annotation analysis
- Specific skills: data mining, machine learning

Research Experience

Dr. Yijun Sun's Bioinformatics Lab

Raleigh, NC

Laboratory Assistant

Oct 2018 – Present

- Built a prognostic model for periodontal disease based on oral microbial sequencing data
- Assisst PhD students in data cleanin and result validation work
- Specific skills: data cleaning, machine learning

Dr. Wei-Chen Chang's Biochemistry Lab

Buffalo, NY

May - August 2017

Laboratory Assistant

BSL-2 Laboratory

- Large scale protein overexpression and purification
- Bioassay on protein function and purity
- Small scale protein expression analysis
- Specific skills: gene transduction, media making, SDS PAGE and gel making technics
- Paper published: "Alkene Formation Using Decarboxylation Approach by an Iron(II) and 2-Oxo-glutarate Dependent Enzyme" on Chemical Science and Angewandte

Education

North Carolina State University (NCSU)

Raleigh, NC

B.S. in Microbiology

2013 - 2017

- Coursework: microbiology, organic chemistry, immunology, genetics, biochemistry
- Honors: Dean's List

SUNY University at Buffalo

Buffalo, NY

M.S. in Bioinformatics & Biostatistics

2018 - present

 Coursework: bioinformatics, data mining, machine learning, statistical inference, applied statistics, computational statistics

Leadership Experience

NCSU Chinese Student and Scholars Friendship Association (CSSFA)

Public Relationship Department & Sports Department member

2013 - 2016

• Event planning and organizing. Communate with sponsors

Office of International Services at NC State

Culture to Culture Ambassador

March 2017 – September 2018

- Help new undergraduate international students before and after their arrivals the U.S.
- Provide fundamental supports to mentees by introducing them to campus life at NC State, making them aware of the academic resources available, and helping them acclimate to life in Raleigh

Logic and Potential Club at NC State

Assistant Vice President

May 2016 – September 2018

- Arrange weekly meetings, recruit new club members
- Hold "TriWereWolf Tournament" among NCSU, UNC and Duke University