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EDUCATION —

Northeastern University, Boston, MA

2017 – Present

Khoury College of Computer and Information Sciences

GPA: 3.93/4.00

Candidate for a Bachelor of Science in Computer Science/Physics and Math

May 2021

Candidate for a Master of Science in Computer Science (PlusOne)

May 2022

Relevant Courses: Object Oriented Design

Algorithms

Artificial Intelligence

Applied Analysis

Linear Algebra

Optimization and Complexity

Quantum Mechanics Machine Learning Theory of Computation

Computer Knowledge _

Languages: Proficient:

Java, Python, HTML, CSS, JS, Dart, LATEX

Software/APIs: Proficient:

Familiar with: SQL, PHP, Sass, C++, C, C#, Octave, Erlang, Bash, VB Proficient: Linux/Windows/macOS, Jekyll, Android Studio, MS Office, Git

Familiar with: Kubernetes, Docker, Node.js

Certifications: CompTIA A+, Apple Certified Mac Technician, Dell Hardware Certified Technician

ACTIVITIES AND PROJECTS —

Society of Physics Students, Webmaster

May 2018 – Present

• Created a Jekyll website as the Webmaster for the Society of Physics Students club

Husky Competitive Programming Club, Member

Sep 2018 – Present

• Programmed competitively in Java and C++ for the Husky Competitive Coding club

Work Experience _

Mercari, Boston, MA

Jul 2018 - Present

Backend Software Developer

- Aided in the construction of Python machine learning recommender systems for the Mercari web and mobile interfaces, which has over 25 million users.
- Reorganized the Python recommender microservices and coordinated their interaction within Docker and Kubernetes along with a Go based routing API.

Northeastern University Venkatachalam Lab, Boston, MA

May 2019 – Present

Undergraduate Research Assistant

- Created machine learning models to detect nematode neurons from three-dimensional microscope scans.
- Utilized Python, specifically SciPy and Keras, to create and boost the neuron detection model.

Harrow Search, Boston, MA

Oct 2018 – Jun 2019

Software Developer

- Developed web scraping application for social media profiles employing Selenium in Python
- Integrated Django and Python backend with a Node.js and React frontend

Northeastern University ResNet Resource Center, Boston, MA

Jun 2017 – Present

Computer Technician

• Directed and contributed to development of an Android app and REST API in Java to aid students in monitoring Ethernet port status for 10,000+ ports

Interests _