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EDUCATION

Brown University

Providence, RI | Expected Graduation May 2026

Expected Sc.B in Computer Science and A.B in Mathematics

• Relevant Courses: (*grade: A*): Learning and Sequential Decision Making, Deep Learning, Computer Vision, Computer Graphics, Introduction to Software Engineering (*grade: S**), Introduction to Computer Systems, Applied Statistics in Python, Operations Research, Computational Probabilities and Statistics, Abstract Algebra, Honors Linear Algebra, Applied Partial Differential Equations, Applied Ordinary Differential Equations; (*expected grade: A*): Computer Networks, Design and Analysis of Algorithms

INTERNSHIP & ON CAMPUS EMPLOYMENT

Hydsoft Technology Co. Ltd., Product Operation Intern

Shanghai, China | May 2023 - Jun 2023

- Designed AI customer service to improve plane ticket booking system based on Baidu UNIT and natural language processing
- Designed front-end poster layout and user interface in a 10-member team for China Mobile Smart Card Production Platform
- Received the PaddlePaddle AI Technical Engineer Certificate as Intelligent Customer Service Engineer by Baidu AI Cloud

Brown Computer Vision, Undergraduate Teaching Assistant; Head Teaching Assistant Providence, RI | Jan 2024 - Dec 2024

- Work as one of the 24 undergraduate teaching and later one of the two head TAs for the class CSCI 1430 Computer Vision
- Helped design and develop course material, improved its webpage on a biannual basis, managed organization Github repository, upgraded Gradescope autograders, maintained and managed assignment code management
- Graded and attended TA Hours and ED Hours for projects on image filtering, feature matching, camera geometry, scene classification, convolutional neural network, and a computer vision final project

RESEARCH & PROJECTS

Pinhole Camera Models, Student Researcher in Brown Visual Computing

Providence, RI | June 2023 - Aug 2023

- Employed front-end and back-end development with Three.js, Javascript, HTML, and CSS to create an online website tutorial on camera projection and perspective projection for the class Computer Vision for Dr. James Tompkin
- Improved upon two existing online tutorials on affine transformations and the fundamental matrix for course development

Vibration Haptics, Research Assistant at Brown Interactive 3D Vision & Learning Lab Providence, RI | Jan 2024 - now(ongoing)

- Designed portable wrist hardware device containing with Inertial Measurement Unit (IMU), using which to collect hand object contact sensor and visual data
- Preprocessed RGB camera data with MANO fitting pipeline to obtain pose estimation results and contact heatmap, built a neural network to improve hand-object contact detection and localization
- Integrated IMU sensor and its data visualization into Brown Interaction Capture System (BRICS), participated in the hardware assembling and software calibration for the room-sized capture studio with professor Dr. Srinath Sridhar

Shape-Based Skill Transfer, Research Assistant at Intelligent Robotics Lab

Providence, RI | Aug 2023 - Aug 2024

- Learned latent representations of object parts for mugs and spatulas to carry out pouring and scooping tasks, and tried to learn a robust skill for all shapes of the same object category, with advisor Dr. George Konidaris
- Worked on ROS and reinforcement learning, Boston Dynamics Spot robots, and KUKA robotic arms with radar cameras

Restaurant Recommendation WebApp with Blog Posting Functionality

Providence, RI | Mar 2023 – May 2023

- Built React WebApp that recommends restaurants based on labels input by the user using Figma and Python as backend
- Mocked data in the backend including user and post id, restaurant labels, and user reviews using Firebase
- Designed and implemented front-end functionalities to allow users to post blogs about their experience and recommendation

SKILLS & INTERESTS

Technical Skills: (fluent) Python, HTML, CSS; (experience) Java, C++, C, Typescript, Javascript, WebGL, OpenGL, Go Lang, React **Language:** Trilingual proficiency in English, Spanish (Awarded C1 by El Instituto Cervantes), Chinese

Interests: Semi-professional Chinese traditional dance, piano, taekwondo, novel writing, painting, drums, guitar, and tennis

ACTIVITIES & LEADERSHIP EXPERIENCE

Brown IgniteCS, Member

Providence, RI | Sept 2023 - May 2024

- Designed and developed a series of courses related to AI and taught as guest lecturer at Nathanael Greene Middle School
- Designed and developed the coding club on HTML, CSS at the Sophia Academy coding club for 1.5 hours per week

Brown Moli East Asian Dance Company, Co-Secretary Chair; Co-Director Providence, RI | May 2022 – now(ongoing)

• Prepare for annual spring show, teach Chinese dances, organize rehearsals logistics, communicate with financial supervisors