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CAREER Improving human knowledge through academic teaching and in-depth research

OBJECTIVE RESEARCH

Algorithm, mostly on natural language processing

Interests

EXPERIENCE

Work

Singapore University of Technology and Design (SUTD), Singapore

Research Assistant

Jul '15 - Present

• Explored semantic representation through word embedding algorithms

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 Advisor: Prof. Lu Wei

# Knorex Pte. Ltd., Singapore

Research Engineer

Jul '13 - Jun '15

- Designed and performed experiments for text classification on news articles
- Implemented and extended existing method on concept extraction for key terms extraction
- Redesigned and optimized a system for efficient distributed computing
- Developed and maintained in-house tools for natural language processing

### EDUCATION

## National University of Singapore, Singapore

Jul '09 - Jul '13

Undergraduate, School of Computing

- Bachelor of Computing (Computer Science, First Class Honours)
- Recipient of Lijen Industrial Development Award (Second top student)
- Majoring in Computer Science with focus area on Computer Networks
- Taking the course under Turing (research) Program
- Minoring in mathematics

## SMAK 1 BPK PENABUR, Bandung, West Java, Indonesia

Jul '06 - Jun '09

Senior high school education

#### Past Research

### School of Computing, National University of Singapore, Singapore

Final Year Project (Honours Project)

May '12 - Apr '13

- Evaluated an existing algorithm for domain specific Word Sense Disambiguation through comparison with other algorithms
- Advisor: Prof. Ng Hwee Tou

Undergraduate Research Opportunity Program (UROP)

May '11 - Apr '12

- Implemented and evaluated existing algorithm on extracting data from the Web under different domain through extensive experiment
- Advisor: A/P Stéphane Bressan

Undergraduate Student Researcher (USR)

May '10 - Dec '10

- Analyzed the quality of translation from English to Malay and English to Bahasa Indonesia
- Adapted existing Malay word stemming program into Bahasa Indonesia
- Studied the language differences between Malay and Bahasa Indonesia
- $\bullet\,$  Advisor: Prof. Ng Hwee Tou

## ACADEMIC EXPERIENCE

# School of Computing, National University of Singapore, Singapore

Web Project Developer for TEAMMATES

May '12 - Jun '12

- Evaluated existing code and improve testing time to 5 times faster by refactoring and recoding the whole testing phase in 6 weeks
- Migrated the application from a client-based Javascript website into server-based JSP website

### Teaching Assistant (TA)

Class tutor for CS1231: Discrete Structures

Laboratory TA for CS1020: Programming Methodology 2

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Laboratory TA for IT1006: MATLAB Programming

Aug '12 - Nov '12

Aug '12 - Apr '12

Aug '11 - Apr '11

Jan '11 - Apr '11

- Performed beyond the call of duty by conducting a mock exam to help students understand the topic
- Delivered presentations in class of around 14 to 22 students every week

## CO-CURRICULAR ACTIVITIES

NUSSU commIT (formerly known as NUSSU CBLC until Jun '11)

Head of Technical Cell Assistant Head of Technical Cell Member of Technical Cell Jul '12 - Jun '13 Jul '10 - Jun '12

Aug '09 - Jun '10

- Maintained 100+ computers in the computer clusters in NUS through general cleanup, backup, and automated updates
- Developed public and internal website of NUSSU commIT for intensive daily usage

## Technical Head of NUSSU CBLC IT Flair 2010

Feb '10 - Apr '10

- IT Flair is a combination between IT Fair and Flea market
- Developed website as publication media for the event and for selling second-hand items

### Vice Project Director of NUSSU CBLC Cyberia Camp 2010

Oct '10 - Dec '10

- Cyberia Camp is a 3-day camp for certified Adobe Photoshop and Illustrator Training
- Led a team of 14 people to successfully organized the camp and received overwhelming response and positive feedback

#### AWARDS

### Lijen Industrial Development Award

Jul '13

• Represents the second top student in the batch

Dean's List Recipient for 4 (four) semesters

Jul '09 - Dec '11

• Represents top 5% of the cohort in Jul '09, Jan '10, Jan '11, Jul '11

Scholarship from Indonesian Government to pursue tertiary education

Bronze medal, International Mathematical Olympiad in Bremen, Germany

Bronze medal, International Mathematical Olympiad in Madrid, Spain

Absolute winner, National Mathematical Olympiad in Surabaya, Indonesia

Bronze medal, National Mathematical Olympiad in Semarang, Indonesia

Sep '06

**Bronze medal**, National Mathematical Olympiad in Semarang, Indonesia **Gold medal**, National Mathematical Olympiad in Jakarta, Indonesia NUS ISCF (Indonesian Students' Christian Fellowship)

Sep '05

# **Executive Committee**

Jul '11 - May '13

• Managed a weekly group meeting of around 40 students

## Projects

## YunReading, final project for software engineering module

Aug '11 - Dec '11

- An online e-book reader based on Javascript framework JQueryMobile which is customized for display in mobile devices
- Developed the back-end to handle database and data input

#### Chatbox, personal project on LATEX chatting client

Apr '11 - Jun '11

- A Java based software to communicate LATEX messages via instant messaging
- Designed and developed the whole project

# Sapta Samudra, final project for software engineering module

Jan '11 - May '11

- A strategy turn-based game built using Java
- Designed most of the project design and developed most of the game mechanics and animation

## HOBBY AND INTEREST SKILLS

Music (playing piano), reading books, and literature

 ${\bf Computer\ Programming:}$ 

• Java, Python, JavaScript, Perl, C++

Software Engineering:

• Designed and developed web and desktop applications

Information/Internet Technology:

• Maintained small to moderate size computer networks

Mathematics:

• Combinatorics, especially graph theory

#### LANGUAGES

Bahasa Indonesia (mother tongue), English