TRAM (JESSICA) NGUYEN

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EDUCATION

Boston University

Boston, MA

Bachelor of Arts, Computer Science

May 2026

• Relevant Coursework: AI/ML Principles, Data Structures & Algorithms, Computer Networks & Systems, Web Development, Database Management, Probability, Linear Algebra, Discrete Maths.

EXPERIENCE

BITLab, Boston University

Boston, MA

Research Assistant

Jun 2025 – Present

- Reproducing and implementing core methods from cutting-edge research on **LLM reasoning vs memorization**, aligned with recent findings in LLM evaluation and robustness.
- Developing modular evaluation pipelines using **Python**, **PyTorch**, and **Hugging Face Transformers** to analyze reasoning behavior in large-scale language models.

Boston University Department of Computer Science

Boston, MA

Teaching Assistant, CS237 (Probability in Computing)

Sep 2023 - Present

- Facilitate weekly discussion sections and office hours to support 100+ students in applying probabilistic methods to computer science problems.
- Collaborate with professor and faculty team to design and improve course materials covering discrete math, stochastic processes, and probabilistic algorithms.

FPT Software Ho Chi Minh

Ho Chi Minh City, Vietnam

Jun 2024 - Aug 2024

Software Engineer Intern

- Developed a full-stack employee evaluation web app using **React.js**, **Django**, and **RESTful APIs** in an **Agile** development environment with biweekly sprints and team standups.
- Containerized backend services using **Docker** to streamline local development and ensure consistent deployment across staging and production.
- Built and tested scalable backend APIs with **Django REST Framework**; leveraged Postman and unit tests to ensure >90% test coverage and reliability.

GMD Protocol

Ho Chi Minh City, Vietnam

Jun 2023 - Aug 2023

Software Engineer Intern

- Constructed an automated hourly news updates **Telegram chatbot** with Python and API integration.
- Collaborated in developing and deploying **Solidity** smart contracts for secure and efficient token exchanges, enabling seamless blockchain transactions.

PROJECTS

Language Detection with BERT | Github: https://github.com/juzieeheyhey/language-detection.git

Jun 2025

- Fine-tuned a pre-trained **BERT** multilingual model for language identification across **70**+ languages using the Language Identification Dataset (PapLuca HF dataset).
- Built an end-to-end web application with a **FastAPI** backend and **React** frontend to allow users to detect language of any input text.

Personal Website | *Live: https://jessica-nguyen-personal-website.vercel.app/*

May 2025

Designed and developed a responsive personal website using React.js, Tailwind CSS, and Vite, featuring interactive UI elements and animated hero sections.

Alzheimer's Diagnosis Prediction | *Github: https://github.com/juzieeheyhey/alzheimers classification.git*

Jan 2025

- Built a classification model to predict Alzheimer's diagnosis using Logistic Regression, achieving 70% accuracy, and analyzed performance using a confusion matrix and classification report.
- Utilized Python libraries (pandas, scikit-learn, matplotlib, seaborn) for data analysis, visualization, and modeling.

FoodByte Web App | Github: https://github.com/juzieeheyhey/FoodByte.git

Apr 2024 - May 2024

• Developed a web app with ReactJS and Firebase, integrating Google Maps API and a Food API to provide personalized, location-based suggestions based on user preferences and nearby grocery stores.

SKILLS

- Programming: Python | Java | JavaScript | TypeScript | C/C++ | SQL | OCaml
- Frameworks/Libraries: PyTorch | Hugging Face Transformers | scikit-learn | React.js | FastAPI | Django | Express.js | Pandas | NumPy.
- Tools/ Platforms: Vite | Docker | Git | Postman | Firebase | Jupyter | Vercel.
- Languages: Vietnamese (Native), English (Fluent), Mandarin (Intermediate)