Justin Sun

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EDUCATION

Carnegie Mellon University

Aug. 2019 - expected May 2023

BS, Double Major: Mathematical Sciences and Computer Science

- Honors Math Program, GPA: 4.0/4.0
- Putnam Top 500 (rank 227)
- Coursework: Math Studies Algebra, Math Studies Analysis, Probability, Great Ideas in Theoretical Computer Science, Functional Programming, Parallel and Sequential Data Structures and Algorithms, Quantum Computation
- Math Club, CMIMC Software Team, Origami Club, Poker Club, Badminton Club

Saratoga High School

Aug. 2015 - Jun. 2019

- GPA: 4.43, Graduated Very High Honors, National Merit Finalist
- USA Computing Olympiad Platinum Division
- AIME 4x Qualifier, High Score of 10; AMC 10/12 Distinguished Honor Roll

EXPERIENCE

Facebook Inc. May 2021 – Aug. 2021

Incoming Software Engineering Intern

Carnegie Mellon Research topics in Discrete Mathematics

May 2020 - Aug. 2020

Research Assistant

- Worked with professor Kaave Hosseini in Theoretical Computer Science and Additive Combinatorics.
- Developed and proved several conjectures on the NP-hardness of various decision problems relating to Cayley Graphs, Boolean satisfiability, sum sets, and integer polynomials.
- Utilized software like C++ and MATLAB to develop various approximation algorithms and solve integer programming problems to gain computational insight.

Ross Mathematics Program

Jun. 2020 – Aug. 2020

Counselor (2019, 2020), Junior Counselor (2018), First-Year Student (2017)

- Mentored group of five high school students through a condensed college level Number Theory course.
- Took advanced courses in Analytic Number Theory, Complex Analysis, Ergodic Theory, and Abstract Algebra.

Toga Junior Math Club

Aug. 2015 – Jun. 2019

Head Liaison

- Led math outreach program to teach mathematics to students from Redwood Middle School.
- Coached Redwood Middle School MathCounts team to 1st place in the state of California.
- Designed team management software in C++ to log key information like volunteer hours and progress reports for coaches and students using their school ID cards.
- Led communications among a network of 300+ coaches, students, and parents through mail merge program.
- Managed an independently raised budget of \$25,000+.
- Founded and directed the first ever South Santa Clara Valley MathCounts chapter competition.

SKILLS AND OTHER INTERESTS

- Skills: Java, C++, Python, Standard Machine Language, LaTeX, Mandarin, Spanish
- Interests: Cardistry; Cycling; Poker; Cinematography; Cooking