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#### **University of Wisconsin - Madison**

September 2019 - August 2022

Bachelor of Science in Computer Science, Statistics, and Applied Math

GPA: 3.94/4.00 (Dean's List for consecutive four semesters)

College of Letters & Science Honors Program (offered to UW-Madison's most talented and engaged undergraduates and requires 24-credit Honors coursework from humanities to social and natural sciences)

## **Charlotte Catholic High School**

August 2016 - May 2019

GPA: 4.5/4.8 (First Honors for consecutive six semesters)

#### **EXPERIENCE**

### Connected and Automated Vehicles Systems Group | Undergraduate Research Assistant

Supervisor: Dr. Bin Ran

September 2020 - February 2021

- The project focused on mandatory lane change behaviors of CAVs from a dedicated lane, which prioritizes lane changing decisions near the diverging zone and optimizes total system travel time
- Conducted literature reviews for CAVH related algorithms, contributed to group's <u>publication</u> by conducting literature reviews for 20+ CAVH papers, giving multiple presentations, and implementing and testing CAVH systems of manual and automated vehicles including car following models, lane changing decisions, cost functions, platooning models, and other simulations

#### **Xunxiang Organization | Technology Team Director**

May 2020 - Present

Online, a non-profit organization providing information and mentorship for international students

- ➤ Lead the tech team of three people to develop and implement solutions that empower the operation and growth of the organization, resulting in 1000% increase in web traffic within two months and 20% increase in net promoter score
- Plan and execute monthly sprints based on organizational priorities and following Agile-Scrum framework; Mentored two junior developers in the technology team by supporting their personal growth
- Collaborated with designers and product managers to develop full-stack web applications that enable users to exchange and share information; Explored and developed some plugins for internal use by Node.js, Express.js, and MongoDB. Developing a knowledge base website using Vue.js and SpringBoot

### PointNinetyNine | https://point99.app/

**December 2020 - Present** 

- ➤ Led the team of four engineers to produce the current MVP version of the full-stack application
- Focused on and implemented user registration and user profile portions of the app; Integrated and customized Ant Design in React.js to accomplish designed graphics and user flow; Implemented GraphQL with Django through Graphene-Django and designed GraphQL queries and mutations to optimize CRUD operations
- Personalized user experiences based on their identity, interested industry/topics, and followed users
- > Optimized code base regularly through organizing code refactor, code review, and pair programming

# Xunxiang Official Website | <a href="https://xunxiang.org/">https://xunxiang.org/</a>

September 2020 - January 2021

- > Developed the official website for Xunxiang using HTML/CSS/JS, Bootstrap, and Material UI.
- Measured website loading time from locations worldwide and conducted statistical experiments to test significant factors that affect it; optimized website loading speed accordingly by using CDN, minimizing HTTP requests, implementing asynchronous loading, and testing different deployment methods
- > Implemented website analytical services using Google Analytics; Visualized and monitored metrics including

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# INTERNSHIP

#### **Dell Technologies | Software Engineering Intern**

\*May 2022 - August 2022

Incoming intern at Dell Technologies in its headquarters in Round Rock, TX

### China Construction Bank Corporation-Three Gorges Branch | Intern

June 2018 - July 2018

- > Guided about more than 500 customers to handle banking businesses including opening accounts, transferring and depositing money, corporate banking service, loan application, and living expenses payments
- > Demonstrated and taught clients who are from various age groups and have different physical abilities to navigate e-banking software and systems; reflected from such user experiences and provided helpful suggestions regarding accessibility for the bank as a software developer; learned about big data management

#### EXTRACURRICULAR ACTIVITIES

# **Google CS Research Mentorship Program | Mentee**

# September 2021 – December 2021

- > Discussed research idea/topics/problems, industry practices, and personal growth of researchers in the fields of software engineering (SE) and human-computer interaction (HCI) at Google
- Learned about the research process including defining a problem, conducting experiments, and publishing papers in SE and HCI by communicated with the Google mentor, researchers, and peer students in related fields through pod sessions, workshops, and 1-on-1 meetings

### McBurney Disability Resource Center | Note-taker

September 2019 – December 2020

Worked as a note-taker for the disability resource center

Provide comprehensive and well-organized notes of lectures, discussions, and labs for the center to help those who need accommodations with the mind of accessibility as a software developer

#### University Housing Dining & Culinary Services | Team Member

September 2019 - November 2019

Worked at Liz's Market which is an on-campus dining hall

Provided excellent dining and culinary services such as preparing and serving food, cleaning, and operating cash registers and POS systems; helped other new members to fit into the team

# Web Development Club, Undergraduate Statistics Club

September 2019

## SELECTED HONORS AND AWARDS

UW-Madison Undergraduate Scholarship for Summer Study	May 2020/2021
National AP Scholar & AP Scholar with Distinction	May 2019
Academic Achievement Award: Class of 2019, from the Department of Physics at CCHS	May 2019
National Honor Society	April 2018
American Mathematics Competition 2018: Highest score holder at CCHS	December 2018
Mu Alpha Theta (National Math Honor Society)	April 2018

### **SKILLS**

Programming Language: proficient in Java, R, HTML/CSS, JavaScript, TypeScript, Python, C, SQL

Framework: React.js, Vue.js | GraphQL, Node.js, Express.js | Django, MongoDB

Tool: Ant Design, Bootstrap, Material UI, | Git, Visual Studio, IntelliJ, Vim, LaTeX | Heroku, DigitalOcean

Coursera: JavaScript Bootcamp, Web Development Bootcamp, Neural Networks and Deep Learning

Hobby: Chinese Calligraphy, drum kit

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