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Education

University of California, Los Angeles (UCLA) Fall 2018 - Spring 2022

B.S. Computer Science Major, Statistics Minor

- **GPA:** 3.86
- Societies: Tau Beta Pi Vice President-Elect, Upsilon Pi Epsilon
- Relevant Courses: Machine Learning, Data Science Fundamentals, Algorithms and Complexity, Operating Systems, Mathematical Statistics, Data Structures

Experience

Python Programmer Intern May 2019 – Nov 2019

UCLA Center of Health Policy Research

- Improved CalSIM, a <u>micro-simulation</u> used by the California government that predicts how individual and business insurance plans affect medical costs
- Utilized **bash** scripting and **Sphinx** to auto-generate documentation from docstrings and rebuilt the entire documentation website, <u>calsim.bitbucket.io</u>
- Analyzed performance bottlenecks using Python, Pandas, and Numpy, identifying one function that consumed over 50% of runtime, researched dask to parallelize the program
- Refactored the entire codebase from Python 2 to Python 3

Data Journalism Software Engineer October 2018 - Present

The Daily Bruin

- Collected and analyzed over 1.6 million data points using **Beautiful Soup**, **Selenium**, and **R** to observe how quickly classes fill up during enrollment time, reaching over 2,000 readers in 1 week
- Designed and implemented a responsive game with interactive data visualizations examining UCLA's waste breakdown, using **React**, **d3.js**, and **Flask**
- Created dynamic charts using d3.js to analyze the Daily Bruin's recruitment trends

Webmaster June 2019 – Present

Tau Beta Pi

- Managed a MySQL database using Django and Docker of hundreds of members
- Migrated the database to include photos of officers
- Inserted new candidates and officers into the email database quarterly

Projects

Flux Jan 2019 – June 2019

UCLA Creative Labs

- Created a social media website, <u>flux.rip</u>, that taught over 100 people good UX practices
- Implemented posting and notification interactions using Firebase and React
- Collaborated with a design team through Figma

Skills

- Languages: C++, Python, Java, HTML/CSS
- Frameworks: d3.js, React.js, Django
- Technologies: git, bash, Unix, Beautiful Soup, Selenium, Firebase, Docker, MySQL