# KATHLEEN SUCIPTO

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#### **SELECTED WORK EXPERIENCE**

# PathAl, Inc. Boston, MA

# Machine Learning Engineer (formerly titled Biomedical Engineer)

Feb 2021 - Present

- Collaborated closely with pathologists, product managers, and biomedical data scientists to develop models for analyzing pathology images, including but not limited to:
  - A masked-attention mask transformer-based model, leveraging our foundation model as the backbone, to segment multiclass cell nuclei that achieved F1 scores on par with pathologists' performance
  - A multi-task graph neural network that uses tissue and cell predictions to generate graphs for classifying multiple disease severity grades at the slide level
- Obtained internal code readability reviewer certification that demonstrates one's understanding of the company's coding best practices
- Joined the codebase stewardship team, responsible for implementing, reviewing, refactoring, and optimizing the end-to-end graph neural network pipeline
- Led cross-departmental efforts to optimize the generation of human-interpretable features from tissue and cell predictions, reducing the latency by approximately 7x from several days to just a few hours
- Mentored a summer intern in designing a novel graph generation method, which was subsequently integrated and platformized into the codebase

### Zitnik Lab, Harvard Medical School

Boston, MA

## Capstone Project: denoising biological networks with graph neural networks

Sept 2020 - Dec 2020

- Implemented PyTorch-based biased dropout on a weighted graph that can be added on top of any graph neural network model to alleviate the graph reliance on noisy edges

# Huttenhower Lab, Harvard T.H. Chan School of Public Health Research Intern

Boston, MA

May 2020 - Aug 2020

- Developed <u>HAIIA</u>, a Python-based software that identifies significant associations between features in paired high-dimensional multi-omics datasets using a hierarchical clustering approach
- Ensured unit tests and documentation were included

# Imsight Medical Technology Company Limited Software Engineer

Hong Kong

Nov 2017 - Sept 2018

- Developed end-to-end cancer detection web applications, enabling users to upload whole-slide pathology images, run deep learning models, and visualize predicted cancer regions directly on the images
- Built and maintained a scalable Python Flask and JavaScript-based labeling platform using AWS EC2 and S3 storing more than 4,000 whole slide images at the time
- Assisted the product managers in designing the software requirements

#### **EDUCATION**

Harvard Medical School March 2021

Master of Biomedical Informatics, cumulative GPA: 3.984/4.000

### Hong Kong University of Science and Technology (HKUST)

Nov 2016

BEng in Computer Science, CGA: 3.959/4.300

Honors: First Class Honors Degree, Academic Achievement Medal Awardee

### **SKILLS**

**Programming**: Python (NumPy, scikit-learn, PyTorch, pandas), R, JavaScript, HTML, CSS **Language**: English (Proficient), Mandarin (Intermediate), Bahasa Indonesia (Native)