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OBJECTIVE

To develop and apply my research skills in industry by creating innovative solutions for business problems with realworld impact.

SKILLS

Applying research to business problems
Develop end-to-end machine learning pipelines
Delivering demos
Front-end and back-end web programming
Communicating complex ideas to diverse audiences

Data science
Machine learning
Text mining
Natural Language Processing
Knowledge Discovery and Data
Mining

I HAVE USED

IBM Cloud (Bluemix)
GitHub, ZenHub
Java, Python, R, MySQL
HTML, JavaScript, JQuery, Flask
Scikit-learn, Tensorflow
LaTeX, Overleaf
CrowdFlower
Docker, Kubernetes

EXPERIENCE

POSTDOCTORAL RESEARCHER • IBM RESEARCH • SINCE 2016

Developed novel research approaches and end-to-end machine learning pipelines for Watson Education business units. Focusing on understanding PDF documents and its text, and deliverability to engineering teams. Publications under review.

DATA SCIENTIST • AUSTRALIAN FEDERAL GOVERNMENT • 2015 - 2016 Worked on sensitive and classified projects.

RESEARCH ASSISTANT • AUSTRALIAN NATIONAL UNIVERSITY • 2011 - 2015

Developed novel methods of detecting abnormal text values in large text databases without external resources. Publication in JDIQ.

Co-founded the ANU Cybercrime Observatory. Research into detecting malicious spam emails. Publication in AusDM.

Developed a Facebook app to collect user data for research into collaborative filtering for recommendation. Publication in WWW.

EDUCATION

PH.D. COMPUTER SCIENCE • 2015 • AUSTRALIAN NATIONAL UNIVERSITY

Developed novel machine learning features and methodologies to detect vandalism across five languages on Wikipedia based on metadata and text data. Publications in TKDE, PAKDD, CIKM, AusDM, and IDIQ.

B. COMPUTER SCIENCE • 2009 • AUSTRALIAN NATIONAL UNIVERSITY

First Class Honours. Taught computer science and data science courses and completed research projects on sensor ontology and data science.

VOLUNTEER EXPERIENCE OR LEADERSHIP

President (2011-2012) and volunteer (2007-2010) for the ANU Computer Science Students' Association.

Delegate for the inaugural Australian Vietnamese Young Leadership Dialogue (2017).