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Highlights: (This CV has Two pages)

- (GPA 4.00) MS Computer Science, CSU, Dominguez Hills
- 5 years as a Software Engineer, Data Science Intern, AI Intern
- Data Analyst Nanodegree from Udacity.com
- Mastering Data Science Applied Lab, TheDevMasters
- Experience in Internet Startup projects

Experience

Artificial Intelligence Intern at Data Application LabFeb 2018 – Present

- Create NLP class content with AI Bootcamp teacher
- Create a Chatbot using TensorFlow with word2vec
- Assist to setup a MongoDB server

Data Science Applied Lab at theDevMasters Oct 2017 – Present

- Project Based Learning
 - Recommendation Systems
 - *Natural Language Processing and Sentiment Analysis*
 - Wrote algorithm, utilized Twitter API, search an topic
 - From scratch, analyzed tweets content into positive and negative sentiment
 - Big Data with Spark and Splunk
 - Deep Learning and Time Series
 - *Computer Vision with OpenCV*
 - Used webcam to create a real-time facial&object recognition program
 - Created a web scraper on a Django platform.
 - Blockchain Technology, Artificial Neural Nets

Data Science Intern at Yanset Career Success Platform (<http://yanset.com/>)Oct 2017 - Present

- Selenium + PyUnit End-to-end testing.
 - Using Python Unittest frameworks and Selenium API
 - Coding test cases to simulate user's actions on the company's website
- Web Scraping(Beautiful Soup) and Data Analysis

Graduate Research at California State University-Dominguez HillsAug 2017 - Present

- *Project: Big Data Analytics and Visualization of California Transportation*
 - Presented in HENAAC '17 Conference
 - Built a model to predict road accident trend given economic data
 - Built Apache Spark and Hadoop cluster from scratch in Chameleon Cloud
 - Learned: I. How to find valuable insights into large datasets, in this case, a correlation
 - II. How to use Spark to perform big data analysis

Software Engineer at Meron English Edu. Science & Technology Co., Ltd.Jun 2012 - Nov 2016

- Project1: School Database Software System Development - Financial and Administrative System
 - VBA, Microsoft Access Database, SQL (3000 + lines of code, 100+ features)
 - Provide data science insight to assist advertising and recurring billing cycles
 - The software system handles 500 enrolled students per semester, 5000 overall.
- Project2: Virtual Reality iOS AppNov 2015 - Mar 2016
 - Immersive English Learning Experience using Panoramic Video
 - Software: Unity3D + Google Cardboard SDK + Cardboard goggles. Hardware: Ricoh Panoramic Camera

Skill Sets

- Data Science – Pandas, Numpy, Matplotlib, Tableau, Seaborn, Machine Learning, Deep Learning, Selenium, PyUnit
- Machine Learning – Natural Language Processing, Recommendation System, Image Classification
- Big Data Analytics – Spark Deployment, Hadoop cluster Deployment, Distributed Computing, MapReduce Algorithm
- Artificial Intelligence – Deep Learning, Convolutional Neural Network, TensorFlow, Softmax Regression, Machine Learning
- Programming Languages – Python, Java, SQL, VBA, C++, Linux, CSS, HTML, JavaScript, Scheme, Prolog, R
- Misc. – AWS Cloud Deployment, Chameleon Cloud, Jupyter Notebook, Microsoft Access Database, MongoDB
- Virtual Reality – C#, Unity3D, Google Cardboard VR video player development

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Projects

Loan Status Prediction	Jan 2018
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Used given bank customer info on loans to predict if a new customer is likely to fully pay the loan.• Used multiple machine learning algorithms	
Titanic Passenger Survival Prediction	Jan 2018
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Kaggle Competition Leaderboard Top 5%• Machine Learning: Gradient Boost Classifier, 887 features,	
House Price Prediction in King County	Jan 2018
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Machine Learning – Linear Regression,• Feature Engineering	
FBI Gun Purchase Background Check Data Analysis	Dec 2017
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Found a seasonal pattern for gun shopping• Found the most related variable of US census data to FBI Gun data	
Image Classification - MNIST Handwritten Digits	Nov 2017 - Present
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• (Accuracy 99.2%) Built A Convolutional Neural Networks in TensorFlow.	
Hadoop Cluster in Chameleon Cloud	Mar 2017 - Jun 2017
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• MapReduce algorithm to compute and analyze a multi-year H1B visa petitions dataset.• Visualization in Jupyter Notebook by Python Pandas and Matplotlib• Learned: I. How to set up a Hadoop cluster in a Cloud environment from scratch. II. MapReduce algorithm, Visualization	

Education

MS Computer Science, California State University-Dominguez Hills	GPA 4.0/4.0 Expect Grad. Dec 2018
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Courses: Artificial Intelligence, Cloud Computing, Software Engineering, Data Structure, Algorithm, Object-oriented Design, etc.	
Udacity Data Analyst Nanodegree	Nov 2016 - Present
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Courses: Descriptive/Inferential Statistics, Explorative Data Analysis, Data Wrangling, Visualization, Machine Learning	
BA English, Anhui University - China	Sep 2003 - Jun 2007
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• President, Spoken English Association	

Volunteer

Data Library Website Evaluator for LA County – LA Counts (http://www.lacounts.org/)	Aug 2017
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Website Beta Evaluation and Testing• Commented on Data Source quality, Search Scenarios, Data Visualization, Overall Experience, etc.	

Other Activities and Awards

• Research Poster Competition in HENAAC 17 conference	Oct 2017
• A member of ACM and CAHSI (Computing Alliance of Hispanic-Serving Institutions)	Since Sep 2017
• Municipal Coding Champion – Elementary School	1996
• Work Experience in Sudan for two years as an Interpreter & Business Manager	2008-2009
• President of the Spoken English Association, Awarded "Excellent Student Organization Leader"	2004