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SKILLS

LANGUAGES - Experienced

Python, Javascript, C++,

HTML, CSS

LANGUAGES - Familiar

Java, C, SPARC, PHP,

Bash

UNIX, Vim, Git, **TECHNOLOGIES**

PostgreSQL, AWS,

Heroku, Sketch, Jekyll

Flask, Tornado, Express, **FRAMEWORKS**

React, JQuery,

Foundation, Bootstrap, Scikit-learn, OpenCV,

Phalcon

ORGANIZATIONS

DESIGN.UCSD Web development

March 2015 - Present

chair - organizes meetings, holds workshops and

organized development and built most of Jekyll

site http:// designucsd.org

DS3@UCSD

December 2015 - March 2016

Member - Attended workshops and a Kaggle team member compared deep learning classifiers including ConvNets and M3N on the MNIST and YaleB Face datasets. Implemented KNN, KMeans, and multinomial Bayes' from scratch

EXPERIENCE

Web Development Intern @ Solomid Corporation January 2016 - Present

- Built frontend of http://tsm.gg using React/Redux
- Rebuilt frontend guide creation functionality and launched usability and interface fixes for the revamped http://solomid.net
- Built an async, self-caching League of Legends data tooltip API used on http://probuilds.net and http://champion.gg
- Used ES6+ Javascript, React, JQuery, Foundation, and Phalcon

Instructional Assistant @ UC San Diego September 2016 - Present

- COGS187A: Usability and Information Architecture by David Kirsch
- Teaching introductory web development (HTML,CSS) and design principles to a class of 100+ students

Tech Team Lead - SD Hacks March 2016 - Present

- Coordinated and participated in design and development of SD Hacks site http://sdhacks.io and resume filtering tool for sponsors, built using MEAN stack.
- Crafted flyers for SD Hacks events and prototypes of site.

EDUCATION

University of California, San Diego

October 2014 - Expected June 2018 Major GPA - 3.64 - Provost Honors

B.S. Computer Science, Minor in Cognitive Science

Topics learned: computer organization, systems programming, web design and software development, data structures, algorithms, and machine learning

COGS187B - Practicum in Professional Web Design

CSE100 - Advanced Data Structures

COGS185 - Advanced Machine Learning Methods

CSE101 - Design and Analysis of Algorithms

CSE110 - Software Development

PROJECTS & HACKATHONS

BitMonster - 1st Place Blockchain API @ CalHacks October 2015 - bitmonster.herokuapp.com

- Multiple-alias and anon Bitcoin payment web application
- Worked on Bitcoin wallet authentication, transactions and frontend; used the Blockchain API, Flask, HTML/CSS/JS, ReactJS, JQuery, Heroku, SQLite. Won \$1250 in Bitcoin

Kingmaker @ Money2020 Hackathon, Las Vegas November 2015 - kingmaker.meteor.com

- Zero stop shopping uses **facial recognition** to authenticate and commit seamless checkouts.
- Worked on design, frontend and transaction processing and displaying using OpenCV, NumPy, MeteorJS, ReactJS, JQuery

The Art of Espresso - COGS187B Final Project January - March 2016 - barreraelmer.github.io/aoewebsite

- Website for The Art of Espresso, a coffee cart on the UCSD campus
- Did user research, interviews, sketching, wireframing, prototyping in mobile-first design pattern and implementation