

# HAOHUI LIU

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## EDUCATION

- Carnegie Mellon University** | B.S. in Computer Science; Concentration in Machine Learning Dec 2024
- Activities: Generative AI TA (Masters, 10623), Machine Learning TA (Masters, 10601), Quant Club, Gym, Soccer
  - Courses: Deep Learning (PhD, 11785), Visual Learning (PhD, 16824), Scalable ML (10405), Distributed Systems (15440)

## INTERNSHIP EXPERIENCE

- Software Engineer Intern, Microsoft** May 2024 –
- Finetuned Meta Llama 3, Phi-3 and Mistral on a custom curated dataset for speech recognition
  - Utilized state-of-the-art instruction tuning techniques on GPT-4o

- Machine Learning Intern, PayPal** May 2023 – Aug 2023; May 2022 – Aug 2022
- Used advanced prompt engineering with Azure OpenAI GPT-4, PaLM, langchain for question answering of BigQuery database
  - Performed statistical analysis, topic modelling with Latent Dirichlet Allocation (LDA) and Named Entity Recognition in Python to uncover trends across imbalanced, longform documents and short transcripts

- Data Science Intern, Amili (Bioinformatics Start-up)** Apr 2021 – Jul 2021
- Performed statistical analysis, data visualization, feature selection, dimensionality reduction (t-SNE, PCA) in R & Python to extract useful insights from multi-dimensional rRNA data containing over 1 million features
  - Published research abstract as 1<sup>st</sup> author in *Gut* (23.1 Impact Factor)

- Deep Learning Intern, National University of Singapore** Jun 2019 – Nov 2020
- Proposed use of and developed conditional GANs & ResNets in Python on 3D MRI scans with PyTorch, Keras, Tensorflow
  - Improved early detection of Alzheimer's Disease by 67%
  - Published paper as 1<sup>st</sup> author in *European Journal of Nuclear Medicine & Molecular Imaging* (9.2 Impact Factor; 15 citations)

- Machine Learning Intern, DSTA Singapore** Oct 2018 – Jan 2019
- Trained 1D CNNs, bidirectional LSTMs & stacked ensembles using Keras & scikit-learn to detect fake news using NLP
  - Increased classification accuracy from 44.3% to 84.9% and improved model generalizability
  - Published paper as 1<sup>st</sup> author in *2019 IEEE Big Data Conference* (18.7% Acceptance Rate; 10 citations)

## HACKATHONS AND COMPETITIONS

- 3<sup>rd</sup> Place at Citadel & Citadel Securities Quantitative Trading Challenge** 2023
- As a market maker, I employed tight spreads, dynamic skewed quotes and effective hedging to unwind risk positions
  - Scored 97% for price making, 91% for providing competitive quote prices and 89% for sell-side risk management

- UChicago Trading Competition – Selected from over 20 teams to represent CMU** 2022
- Coded a SARIMAX algorithm for time series analysis to predict the fair value of lumber prices based on rainfall predictions
  - Built a market making bot to place orders and execute trades, realizing profit of over \$400K in simulation

- Champion at Superposition V** 2021
- Fine-tuned state-of-the-art T5 NLP model on code-natural language pairs using PyTorch & Huggingface
  - Coded VS Code extension in Typescript & Javascript and linked the NLP backend to the extension using axios

## SKILLS

- **Languages:** Python, C++, C, Java, JavaScript, R, SQL, SML, Bash, Mandarin Chinese, German, Spanish, Korean
- **Deep Learning, Machine Learning, AI:** Natural Language Processing, Transformers, Computer Vision, Stable Diffusion, Time Series, PyTorch, Keras, Tensorflow, Langchain, HuggingFace, OpenCV, XGBoost, Sklearn, Numpy, Pandas, Scipy
- **Software Engineering & Full-Stack Web Development:** React, Nodejs, Flask, HTML, CSS, Streamlit, SQL, Firebase, Google Cloud, Heroku, PythonAnywhere, Linux, BigQuery, Docker, Azure

## AWARDS

- 1 of 18 selected to attend Optiver's 2023 Insight Days on Trading and Technology (Chicago office)
- 1 of 34 selected to attend Jane Street's 2023 INSIGHT Trading Track (New York office)
- **Other Hackathons:** Best Application of Data at HackCMU 2021 by Hudson River Trading, Best Use of MongoDB at htsh.hacks()
- **International Science and Engineering Fair (ISEF) 2019:** Fourth Award in Robotics and Intelligent Machines

## SELECTED PUBLICATIONS

1. **H. Liu**, et al. Improved amyloid burden quantification with nonspecific estimates using deep learning. *Eur J Nucl Med Mol Imaging* (2021).
2. **H. Liu**, et al, "Deep Learning-Based Estimation of Non-Specific Uptake in Amyloid- PET Images from Structural MRI for Improved Quantification of Amyloid Load in Alzheimer's Disease," 2020 IEEE 33rd International Symposium on Computer-Based Medical Systems, Rochester, MN, USA.
3. **H. Liu**, "A Location Independent Machine Learning Approach for Early Fake News Detection," 2019 IEEE Big Data, Los Angeles, CA, USA.