Peter Zhang

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Education

University of California, Berkeley, CA

Class of 2024

Computer Science & EEP BA; 4.00 GPA

- Coursework: CS 61A, EECS 16A, L&S W1

Montgomery Blair High School Silver Spring, MD

Class of 2020

Science, Mathematics and Computer Science Magnet Program; 3.95 GPA

- Activities: Debate Team, DECA, Computer Team, Chamber Choir

Professional

Assistant Debate Coach Aug 2020–Present

The Bronx High School of Science; Bronx, NY; Timothy Huth, Director

- Teach Lincoln-Douglas debate to a leading team of 30+ students
- Oversee practices twice a week and drill with students one-on-one
- Advise students on strategy at national tournaments monthly

Product Manager

Dec 2018-Present

Premier Debate America, Los Angeles, CA; Bob Overing, Director

- Lead publication of 300+ pages of topic research monthly for thousands of debaters
- Design and maintain Wordpress webpages at premierdebate.com

Economics Intern May 2020–Aug 2020

National Institute of Standards and Technology; Dr. Jennifer Helgeson, Supervisor

- Review and annotate 50+ cost-benefit analyses of resiliency projects
- Wrote case study for valuing the co-benefits of wildfire-resistant infrastructure

Data Visualization Intern

Jul 2019-Apr 2020

National Cancer Institute; Dr. Yingdong Zhao, Project Lead

- Scraped and reformatted database of 1 billion+ gene expression datapoints
- Wrote R Shiny software for interactive plotting and analysis

Natural Language Processing Intern

Jun 2019-Aug 2019

National Institute of Standards and Technology; Dr. TN Bhat, Mentor

- Automated the download of scientific articles and preprocessing of sentences
- Designed a rule-based algorithm to construct subject-predicate-object triplets
- Improved topic modeling and document clustering with root-and-rule terms

Skills

Interpersonal

- Writing, Public Speaking, Time Management, Adaptability
- Languages: Chinese (Proficient), Spanish (Limited)

Technical

- Programming: Python/Jupyter, R w/ Shiny, Java, LATEX
- Tools/Frameworks: Git, Eclipse/IntelliJ/VS Code, Maven, WordPress

Awards

The Leadership Award	Jul 2020
National Speech and Debate Tournament; LD Debate 6th Speaker	Jun 2020
USA Computing Olympiad; Platinum Division	Apr 2020
American Regions Mathematics League; Division A, 8th Place	Jun 2019
International Mathematics Modeling Challenge; Finalist	Apr 2019
Blue Ocean Entreprenuership Competition; Semi-finalist	Mar 2019