LAWRENCE TSAI

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HIGHLIGHTS OF QUALIFICATION

- · Lighthearted problem solver with full stack industry/extracurricular experience and proficiency in Python, Java, MATLAB, and Django
- · Eager learner that is working towards mastery of C, C++, and Machine Learning along with advanced studies in Math and Physics
- Well-rounded involved student at the University of Toronto with additional interests in Chemistry, Human Biology, and Philosophy

EDUCATION

University of Toronto - Trinity College

September 2020 - Present

Honours Bachelors of Science Candidate- Mathematics (Specialist-with Physics Applications), Computer Science (Minor), Chemistry (Minor) Toronto, ON, Canada

· Relevant Coursework:

Computer Science: Software Tools & Systems Programming, Software Design, Computation Theory, Computer Organization Physics: Computational Physics, Dark Matter & Energy, Electricity & Magnetism, Classical & Quantum Mechanics Math: Real Analysis, Groups & Symmetry, Complex Variables, ODEs & PDEs, Linear Algebra, Abstract Mathematics Chemistry: Graduate Level Bioinorganic Chemistry, Analytical/Physical(Thermo & Quantum)/Inorganic Chemistry

Council Rock High School North

 $Diploma\ with\ Distinguished\ Honours\ in\ Gifted\ Program\ GPA:\ 4.283/4.0\ SAT:\ 1580/1600\ ACT:\ 35/36$

August 2016 - June 2020 Newtown, PA, USA

RELEVANT EXPERIENCE

Promise Robotics

May 2022 - Present

Software Engineer

 $Edmonton,\ AB,\ Canada$

- · 4 month internship in software (Python, Django, Docker, API Dev, Databases, Robotics, CAD); https://promiserobotics.com/
- $\cdot \text{ Top intern contributor in creating algorithms for robotic preprocessing/sequencing with applied Physics and } \textbf{ML} \text{ for automated construction}$
- · Developed security features, full-stack integrations with databases, and 3-D Geometric manipulation (Quaternions, Open CASCADE, Ifc)

Blue Sky Solar Racing

Senior Strategy Engineer

May 2021 - Present

Toronto, ON, Canada

- · Optimized the construction and performance of our solar car for the American and World Solar Competition along with fabrication
- · Conducted research on implementation of bifacial solar cells and for creating simulations of cell output from weather and geographic data
- · Created a parallel computed simulation (MATLAB, Python, Ansys, CAD) in a StratApp for future gens; http://blueskysolar.utoronto.ca/

University of Toronto Aerospace Team

Space Systems Optics Team Member

May 2022 - Present Toronto, ON, Canada

- · Development of a hyperspectral imaging CubeSat to measure anthropogenic gas emissions across Ontario, Canada. Set to launch in 2024.
- · Numerical analysis (Python) and R&D for optical components (grisms and holographic gratings); Github: https://github.com/spacesys-finch
- · Designing test plans for optical bench prototype (imaging, components, MTF) for next generation satellite; https://www.utat.ca/space-systems

PROJECTS

Quick Ocular Movements Detection

July-August 2022

- · A webcam screening tool to detect strabismus(eye misalignment) for Jeremy Moreau and Dr. Etienne Benard-Seguin (University of Calgary)
- Used Python, OpenCV, MediaPipe, React, Node.js, CSS, HTML, Figma to give results at 4 mm tolerance at 95% confidence
- · Conducted medical research and pitched to Neurotech professionals; Github: https://github.com/lt77777/Quick-Ocular-Movements-Detection

Amigos Friend Making Webapp

Chief Executive Officer and Founder

September-December 2021

- $\cdot \text{ A we bapp built using } \textbf{Java}, \textbf{Spring Framework, Javascript, CSS, HTML, Figma} \text{ to find matches in a database of potential friends}$
- $\cdot \text{ Implemented a weighted matching algorithm using user metadata to be used through \textbf{Thymeleaf} generated webpages deployed on \textbf{Azure}$
- · Designed the entire software model and frontend design to achieve an A in the course; Github: https://github.com/lt77777/Amigos-App

OTHER EXPERIENCE

L & S Landscaping

March 2019 - Present

Lower Bucks County, PA, USA

Started a company in high school with 25+ Employees catering 100+ customers in a 35 kilometer radius while responsible for financials, quoting, and marketing. Grossed \$10,000s in revenue; https://ls-landscaping.business.site/

University of Toronto-Trinity College

Academic Advisor

September 2021 - Present Toronto, ON, Canada

Coordinated academic events and mentored students in Physical Sciences within a college of 1800+ students

SKILLS AND INTERESTS

Software Skills Python, Java, MATLAB, Django, Docker, Figma, C, C++, Open CASCADE, OpenCV, NumPy

Certifications Self Driving Cars 4-Course Specialization by the University of Toronto (in progress)

Languages English, Mandarin, Taiwanese, French (3 Years), Latin (Elementary), Spanish (Elementary)