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U.S. Citizen

EDUCATION

- **University of Georgia** Athens, GA
B.Sc. in Computer Science; Institution GPA: 3.64 Expected Dec 2018
Certificate in Applied Data Science, Artificial Intelligence Pathway

EXPERIENCE

- **MailChimp** Atlanta, GA
Data Science Intern May 2018 – Aug 2018
 - **Email Marketing Analytics:** Python and Elasticsearch machine learning pipeline to facilitate higher click-through rates for the platform's 1 billion outgoing emails per day.
- **Quinn Research Group** Athens, GA
Machine Learning Researcher Nov 2017 – Present
 - **Deep Portfolio Asset Management:** Time-series forecasting using Machine Learning algorithms on cryptocurrency exchange prices.

OTHER EXPERIENCE

- **UGAHacks 3** University of Georgia
Hackathon Participant Spring 2018
 - **Google Assistant Challenge Winner:** Voice activated book recommender for the Google Home the using Google Cloud Services, Dialogflow, and GoodReads.com data.
 - **Aspirent - Uber Data Analytics Challenge Winner:** Anomaly detection using Uber ride data modeled as a Barabási-Albert mechanism. Optimized ride request times given an individual's source and destination. Constructed a random walks matrix that outputs the probability of a destination given the source location.
- **Advanced Technology Development Center** Georgia Institute of Technology
Jr. Entrepreneur Spring 2018
 - **Startup Accelerator:** Worked alongside entrepreneurs and mentors at Georgia Tech's Advanced Technology Development Center. Gained insight into the business canvas model and customer archetype through customer discovery.

PROJECTS

- **NFL Predictions:** Retrieved and processed all player game logs, combine, and injury data for every player. Our XGBoost ensembling beat out some paid online predictors on unseen data.
- **Bitcoin Volatility:** Explained Bitcoin's price volatility using a combination of economic features. Our KNN Regression was able to interpolate the unseen data points with a 5-fold cross-validation score of 0.95.
- **Graphical GPA:** iOS Application programmed in Swift 2 and Objective-C that uses a UITableViewController to display user's computed semester and overall GPA. Implements iOS Charts framework to display this data in a scatter plot.

LEADERSHIP EXPERIENCE

- **Deep Learning @ UGA** Athens, GA
General Officer Spring 2018 – Fall 2018
- **University of Georgia Rugby Club** Athens, GA
Officer of the Club Spring 2017 – Fall 2017
 - **Social Chair:** Event planning and overseeing all social gatherings instrumental to team bonding, motivation, and success. Raising capital for events from our sizable alumni association. Coordinating with opposing collegiate teams for post-match socials.

PROGRAMMING SKILLS

Languages: Java (6 years), Python (3 years), C++, C, SQL, R, UNIX, iOS/Swift, L^AT_EX

Frameworks: Scikit-Learn, Pandas, Numpy, Tensorflow, Jupyter Notebooks