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## **Education**

## The University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill

08/2019-05/2022

B.S. in Computer Science, Statistics and Analytics & Minor in Mathematics

Chapel Hill, NC

- **Cumulative GPA:** 3.94/4.0
- **Related Coursework:** Algorithms, Data Structures, OOP and Design Patterns, Statistical Machine Learning, Computer Organization, Data Analysis, Linear Algebra, Discrete Math, Numerical Analysis, Probability, Differential Equations

## Huazhong University of Science and Technology (HUST, 7th in China by 2019ARWU)

09/2017-07/2019

Mechatronics (transferred out)

Wuhan, China

- Cumulative GPA: 93/100 (3.98/4.00), Ranking: 2/242
- Honors: National Scholarship in China (2018), Straight-A Student at HUST (2018)

#### Skills

**Technical Skills:** Java, Python, R, MySQL, C/C++, JavaScript, HTML, CSS, MATLAB, Django, XML, Linux, Git, Markdown **Languages**: Chinese, English

#### **Projects**

# Simple Social Site | Personal Project

01/2020-02/2020

Developed a social web app that enables users the ability to interact with others using Django, Bootstrap, CSS, and JavaScript
Keep My Professor Dry | COMP 401 Hackathon

Best Hack for Water Gun Racing Game

- Used Java Swing to create a challenging water gun racing-like game by randomization and punishment for shooting mistakes
- Collaborated with 2 teammates using **Git** for version control

#### Simple Instagram Android Application | Personal Project

11/2019

- Developed an Instagram-like app in Java that supports user login, viewing and posting with photos using Parse
- Utilized Fragments and Bottom Navigation View to achieve navigation between posts, capture, and profile tabs

# Simple Twitter Android Application | Personal Project

10/2019-11/2019

- Developed a Twitter-like app in Java that supports user login, viewing and posting tweets features using RESTful API
- Utilized Room for persisting tweets and users
- Used SwipeRefreshLayout and customized RecyclerViewScrollListenter to enable pulling down to refresh, infinite pagination

# **Experience**

#### **Peer Tutor at UNC Learning Center**

01/2020-05/2020

Provided one-on-one help to drop-in students in OOP and Design Pattern, Discrete Math, and Introductory Statistics

# Research on Properties of Carbon Nanotube | Research Assistant | Advisor: Prof. Li Li & Ming Xu 03/2018-02/2019

- Proposed a method for quantifying dispersion of CNTs and improved its running time from O(n!) to O(n^3) in MATLAB
- Fabricated 100+ carbon nanotube/epoxy composites and tested their mechanical properties by SEM, DMA
- Researched production and mechanical performance of novel materials (e.g. carbon nanotubes)
- Simulated the impact properties of novel composite materials (CNT@Ni foam) in Abaqus

#### Leadership

# Social Survey of Low-income Families | Team Leader | Xiaogan, China

06/2018-08/2018

- Used matplotlib library in Python to visualize and analyze the health insurance data of low-income families in Xiaogan City
- Contacted government officials, submitted relevant materials, wrote reports about families with mentally ill patients
- Received reporting from four local media and won 1450+ hits on our official account's passages
- Won Excellent Social Practice Team of HUST (2018), Excellent Social Practice Individual of HUST (2018)