# Matthew J. Kang

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#### **EDUCATION**

# **University of California San Diego**

2017 - 2021

#### B.S. Machine Learning, minor in Data Science

- Eleanor Roosevelt Honors Program, Provost Honors, Design Club, Triton Barbell
- Coursework: Data Structures and Algorithms; Machine Learning Algorithms; Data Modeling and Analysis;
  Data Science in Practice

#### **EXPERIENCE & PROJECTS**

Coding Instructor 2021 - Present

Hackingtons | Pleasant Hill, CA

- Introduce students to programming via Scratch, a programming language developed by MIT.
- Teach web development (HTML/CSS/JavaScript) using project-based learning.
- Show students how to build web applications with Python, Django, and Flask.

ETL Pipeline Sept 2021

Voltaiq | Berkeley, CA

• Designed an ETL pipeline that intakes obfuscated CSV or XYZ files, and outputs a clean text file with metadata extracted and null values removed. Completed as contract work for a battery intelligence start up.

### **Machine Learning Algorithms Performance Testing**

Dec 2020

UC San Diego | Supervised Machine Learning Algorithms

- Calculated performance analytics of K-NN, SVM, and Logistic Regression on various datasets.
- Optimized configuration for K-fold cross validation using hyperparameter tuning.

#### Big Data Analysis, Chicago Taxicab Dataset

Mar 2020

UC San Diego | Data Science in Practice

- Performed statistical analysis on 25 million entries of the Chicago Taxicab data set using python.
- Computed taxi trip duration as the greatest factor affecting taxi tip by using hypothesis testing.

Bookstore Clerk 2019 - 2020

UC San Diego | La Jolla, CA

- Sold necessities such as textbooks, stationary, and foodstuffs, handling nearly one hundred transactions daily.
- Performed these duties as an essential worker during the covid-19 pandemic.

#### **TECHNICAL SKILLS**

- Python, Pandas, Matplotlib, NumPy, Scikit-Learn, Django, Flask
- HTML, CSS, JavaScript, Scratch, SQL
- Jupyter, GitHub, Visual Studio Code, Figma, Adobe Lightroom, Photoshop, Excel

# **INTERESTS & MEDIA**

- Weightlifting, Golden State Warriors, exploring bay area restaurants, farmers markets, festivals, and parades.
- Intermediate fluency in French and Korean.
- GitHub: https://github.com/matthewjkang
- Personal website: https://mattkang.com