

# MEREDITH HOO

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## EDUCATION:

### Lehigh University B.S. Computer Science & Cognitive Science

Class of 2019

Relevant Coursework: Artificial Intelligence, Algorithms, Software Engineering, Cognitive Neuroscience

GPA: 3.2

## WORK EXPERIENCE:

### Lehigh University Data Scientist Research Assistant

Sept 2018- Current

Bethlehem, PA

- Predicting disease and invasive species spread in Northeast tree population with paleoclimatology data
- Tech stack: R, scikit-learn and pandas (Python Data Analysis Library)

### Microsoft Software Engineering Intern

Spring 2018-Current

Redmond, WA

- Creating an intelligent poetry assistant for Microsoft Word using JavaScript, and Agave
- Lunch-N-learn with Microsoft AI and HCI researchers (Daniel McDuff, Mary Czerwinski, Sean Andrist)

### Microsoft Engineering Explorer Intern

Summer 2017

Redmond, WA

- Implemented a semantic pen/touch gesture to edit text in Word documents using C++
- Co-served as Project Manager and Software Engineer
- Attended the several Microsoft AI Faculty Summit panels on interactive and social agents

### Bloomberg Software Engineer Intern

Summer 2016

New York, NY

- Developed full stack administrative application to configure product permissions
- Application uses JavaScript, SQL, Python, internal middleware services

### Lehigh University Technology, Research & Communications Fellow

Sept 2016 – Dec 2017

Bethlehem, PA

- Hold responsibility for 20+ student's writing maturation within a given course
- Respond with written feedback to student drafts, hold individual and group draft conferences
- Act as a resource for students conducting research and using instructional technologies

### Bloomberg Software Engineer Intern

Summer 2015

New York, NY

- Made OCR business card reader for mobile web app, using jQuery, JavaScript, & Backbone.js
- Maintained liaison between developers & sales representatives (users) to create ideal product

## PROJECTS:

### TensorFlow Tutorials & Microsoft Research Series

Feb 2018-Current

- Working through the online TensorFlow tutorials, attending Microsoft Research's Neural Network Series

### Full Stack Message Board

April 2018

- Developing a place on my website to anonymously post secrets, with troll and spam filtering
- Frontend: Typescript, jQuery, HTML/CSS, Backend: Java Spark, Maven, Postgres, Heroku, SQL

### Experimenting with Python Data Libraries

May 2017

- Differentiated temperature, humidity, and gas data in room of sensors via regressions and clustering
- Implemented with Jupyter notebooks, NumPy, scikit-learn, and pandas (Python Data Analysis Library)

### Social Media Analytics, MLH Hack Against Harassment Award @ HackRice

October 2016

- Gave social media users analytics on their positive and negative relationships

### Natural Language Processing Article Analyzer, IBM Award @Lehigh Hacks

April 2016

- Chrome extension that analyzes article bodies with IBM'sAlchemy, News & Tone Analysis APIs

## COMPUTER SKILLS:

### Languages

Highly Proficient: Python, Java, JavaScript/jQuery, HTML/CSS; Familiar: C/C++, React.js

### Technologies

Git, UNIX/Linux/OS X/Windows, VI/VIM, Visual Studio, Jupyter Notebooks, Terminal

## INTERESTS:

### Research

Natural Speech Processing/Production, Social and Emotional Agents, Integrative AI

### Languages

English: Native proficiency, French: A2 BLI Certified