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EDUCATION

M.S.E. Computer Science **Princeton University** Fall 2015 – Present

Expected completion: May 2017

B.S. Computer and Information Science **University of Oregon** Fall 2011 - June 2015

Cum Laude Honors; GPA: 3.85; Minor: Biology

EMPLOYMENT

Teaching Assistant Princeton University Fall 2015 - Present

Computer Science Department

Holding office hours and grading tests and assignments for Operating Systems course.

Software Engineering Intern

Amazon.com, Inc

Summer 2015

Amazon Web Services

- · Designed and implemented a distributed caching layer atop a Node.js backend using Javascript, the AWS SDK, and Elasticsearch. This caching mechanism decreased customer latency by up to 90% and enabled efficient searching for customers' AWS resources.
- Implemented an easy way to simulate the performance effects of the largest AWS customers (Netflix, Dropbox, etc.) on my team's back and frontend services.

Bioinformatics Intern Affymetrix, Inc Summer 2014

· Developed Affymetrix Probe Set Search (github.com/mleef/PSS), a software tool for assessing the designspecific probe coverage of mRNA sequences, created using a combination of Node.js, C++, and Python.

TECHNICAL EXPERIENCE / PROJECTS

- ML-Server (2015 qithub.com/mleef/ML-Server): RESTful API for constructing and querying machine learning models. Supports Perceptron, Naïve Bayes, and Decision Tree classifiers as well as user authentication, token generation, and an account management system. Written in Java using MySQL for the backend.
- Markovian (2015 github.com/mleef/Markovian): Lightweight Markov Network library written in Java. Supports brute force and variable elimination partitioning as well as loopy belief propagation.
- SamParse (2013 github.com/mleef/SamParse): Calculation and visualization of RNA sequencer coverage using a sliding window algorithm written in Python and R.
- Word Diver (2012 github.com/mleef/Word-Diver): Simple iOS game combining elements of Tetris and Scrabble written in Lua. Released on Apple App Store September 4th, 2012.

Additional Experience and Awards

- · President, Club Tennis University of Oregon (2014-2015): Managed budget, arranged practices/matches.
- Residential Assistant, University of Oregon (2012-2013): RA for freshmen in on-campus dormitory.
- Dean's List, University of Oregon (2011-2015): Awarded for GPA greater than 3.75.
- Semi Finalist, Siemens Competition in MST (2011): Behavioral biology of drosophila flies.

Languages and Technologies

Java, JavaScript, C++, Python, MySQL, Elasticsearch, Node.js, AngularJS, jQuery, Git, SVN, Eclipse, IntelliJ