

# Nicholas Osaka

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## Education

### University of North Carolina at Charlotte

BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN COMPUTER SCIENCE, BACHELOR OF ARTS IN PHILOSOPHY

Charlotte, NC

Graduation: May 2022

- Cumulative GPA: 4.0
- Concentration: Artificial Intelligence, Minor: Mathematics

## Skills

**Programming Languages** Python, Java, Kotlin, C++, JavaScript (ES6+), Rust, HTML/CSS

**Frameworks and libraries** Tensorflow, PyTorch, Scikit-learn, React, PyTest, JUnit

**Software Tools and Skills** Git, BASH, Linux, Docker, Agile/Scrum, Continuous Integration, Test Driven Development, LaTeX

## Work Experience

### Teaching Assistant

UNC CHARLOTTE DEPARTMENT OF COMPUTER SCIENCE

Charlotte, NC

January 2019 - Present

- Assist with Software Engineering course of over 80 students, facilitating discussions on course-related content between students.
- Design demonstrative code and interactive learning elements for students to understand Software Engineering.
- Led weekly lab instruction for 40 students in order to facilitate active learning for CS1 course.
- Conducted weekly one-on-one tutoring sessions with students in order to provide an excellent learning environment for CS1 Course

### Motion Graphic Designer

THE LITTLEFIELD COMPANY

Charlotte, NC

April 2018 - May 2020

- Designed motion graphic content for projects requiring displays of complex data.
- Translated clients quantitative needs into creative goals for projects.
- Interacted with clients to deliver final design under anticipated deadlines.
- Designed project asset organizational scheme for use in all company projects with motion graphics.

## Research and Projects

### NSF REU Research Project — Community Oversight for Privacy and Security

UNC CHARLOTTE, CO-OPS PROJECT — DR. HEATHER LIPFORD

Charlotte, NC

May. 2020 - Aug. 2020

- Designed and developed an Android mobile application with research intent.
- Implemented modern Android development practices with MVVM architecture and NoSQL databases.
- Participated in weekly meetings to understand research objectives and create solutions to challenging obstacles.
- Developed experience in Android, Kotlin, Firebase, and Room.

### Undergraduate Research — Augmented Reality and Machine Learning for Medical Use

UNC CHARLOTTE, AUTONOMOUS INTELLIGENT WIRELESS NETWORKED SYSTEMS LABORATORY — DR. PU WANG

Charlotte, NC

Dec. 2019 - May. 2020

- Designed system for use in critical professions such as the medical industry.
- Utilized EPSON MOVERIO smart glasses in conjunction with Tensorflow Lite and other related technologies for user-inspired research in possible solutions for cognitive overload in error-critical professions.

## Honors

**Chancellors List — UNC Charlotte** Awarded for above 3.8 GPA, All Semesters

**Student Marshal — UNC Charlotte** Selected based on academic performance

**Atkins Library UG Research Award** Awarded for contribution to field, depth/breadth of project, and use of library resources

## Relevant Coursework

**Computer Science** Data Structures and Algorithms, Operating Systems & Networking, Software Engineering, Intro to Artificial Intelligence, Mobile Application Development (Graduate Course), Digital Image Processing, Machine Learning, Natural Language Processing, Intro to Computer Architecture

**Mathematics** Calculus I & II, Linear Algebra, Statistics and Probability, Modern Algebra

**Philosophy** Ethical Theory, Aesthetics, Deductive Logic