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NICOLE LIN:

Seeking to leverage technology for social impact with a focus on collaboration, communication, and creativity. Interests in open water swimming, traveling, and reading about start-ups and their journey.

Education

Columbia University in the City of New York

Bachelor of Science, Computer Science, Sep 2020 – May 2024

GPA: 4.11, School of Engineering and Applied Science

Activities: Engineers without Borders, SWE, Girls Who Code, Red Cross

Employment

Columbia University Medical Center, NYC, NY

09/2020 – Present

Data Analyst

- Identify genetic factors involved in various forms of hereditary diseases, including neurodevelopmental disorders, hearing loss, and skeletal disorders
- Track molecular causes by integrating various technologies, including genomics, transcriptomics, and epigenomics
- Developed database objects, including tables, views and materialized views using SQL.
- Technologies: Python, R, JupyterNotebook, Conifer, Galaxy, Docker, Git, Bash

Georgia Tech Research Institute, Atlanta, GA

05/2019 – 08/2019

Paid Research Intern

- Developed, prototyped and tested quality, performance and compliance of different components and systems.
- Synthesized lead selenide quantum dots and aerosol jet-printed infrared displays
- *Publication*: A Robust Cation-Exchange Route to Stable Infrared-Emitting Chemical-Composition-Gradient Quantum Dots, Nanoscale

Northern Illinois University, DeKalb, IL

01/2019 – 08/2019

Research Intern

- Performed anodization of titanium leading to TiO₂ for biomedical applications not limited to bone regeneration
- Learned the deposition of iron on the surface of TiO₂ nanotubes
- *Publication*: Surface Treatment of Titanium by Anodization and Iron Deposition; Mechanical and Biological Properties, Journal of Materials Research

myGenomics, Atlanta, GA

08/2018 – 05/2019

Bioinformatics Software Intern

- Analyzed the hereditary risk for the development of cancers and diseases such as Parkinson's, Alzheimer's, and Hypocholesterolemia through manipulating and managing data with R, Python, and UNIX tools
- Maintained database of patient information through MySQL (database management software), constructed entity relationship diagrams (ER Diagrams), and queried relational databases
- Detected mutations through DNA sequencing and fragment analysis with illumina
- Manage large dataset collections including analytical results and data quality
- Interpreted results of routine tests of DNA extraction

Rutgers University, Newark, NJ

08/2018 – 01/2019

Research Intern

- Researched the 3D topography, mechanical properties, adhesion, chemical informations by functionalizing probe tip, electrical conductivity, thermal conductivity, electrostatic forces, and magnetic forces of different materials
- Performed Atomic Force Microscopy measurements on a soft Polydimethylsiloxane (PDMS) sample and a PDMS-epoxy sample to acquire their nanomechanical properties
- *Publication*: Rapid Broadband Discrete Nanomechanical Mapping of Soft Samples on Atomic Force Microscope, Nanotechnology

Coursework

ENGI1006 Python for Engineers
MATH1554 Linear Algebra
MATH2551 Multivariable Calculus
COMS3134 Data Structures in Java
COMS3157 Advanced Programming

Skills

Python
Java
R
JavaScript
HTML/CSS
mySQL
NumPy
R
Conifer
Galaxy
UNIX
illumina
AFM

Select Projects

ML Wine Classifier:

a machine learning classifier that can predict whether a Portuguese (Vinho Verde) wine is red or white from the chemical measurements

Shortest Path Visualizer:

an easy-to-use visualizer implementing Dijkstra's algorithm to find shortest paths and Euclidean distances between pairs of major cities in the US and Canada on a map.

Profit Calculators:

profit calculators for major eCommerce sites such as Amazon, eBay, and Poshmark

Personal Website:

a personal portfolio website with demos/code of my other projects

Where to Eat?:

a data-intensive web application and multimodal ML pipeline that identifies locations of closest restaurants/fast food joints based on a group's preference