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Education

B.S., The George Washington University, 2018-Present.

Major in Computer Science, Major in Mathematics, 3.77 GPA

Competed at the Division 1 level for GW Men's Rowing, achieving highest national ranking (7th) in program history.

Accepted admission offer for M.S. in Computer Science with expected graduation May 2023.

Research Experience

Statistical Election Audits (2020-Present)

Worked with Professor Poorvi Vora and Professor Filip Zagorski on post-election Risk-Limiting Audits (RLAs). An RLA uses a random sample of paper ballots to guarantee with known probability that election outcomes incorrectly announced by ballot tallying machines will be detected and corrected. I have developed novel mathematical methods for ballot-polling RLAs and stratified RLAs, and I have written a significant portion of the open-source audit software library `r2b2`.

Hotel Recognition (2021-Present)

With Professor Robert Pless and three peers, I am working on a search utility that uses image key points to improve on existing hotel recognition methods, especially for query images with high occlusion. An existing search utility is used by the National Center for Missing and Exploited Children for sex trafficking investigations.

Imprecise Scheduling (2021-Present)

Working with Professor Bhagi Narahari to develop novel scheduling algorithm for neural network tasks using an imprecise computation model. Progress is partially reflected in software repository.

Teaching Experience

Undergraduate Teaching Assistant (2021-Present)

Taught weekly discussion section, assisted in lectures, hosted office hours, with consistent, positive feedback from students and high attendance to office hours.

Foundations of Computing, Spring 2022

Discrete Structures II, Fall 2021

Learning Assistant (2020-2021)

Assisted in lectures and discussions, recorded supplemental lectures, hosted office hours.

Foundations of Computing, Spring 2021

Discrete Structures II, Fall 2020

Discrete Structures I, Spring 2020

Tutor (2016-Present)

Tutored dozens of high school and college students for hundreds of hours, one-on-one and in groups, mainly in mathematics, physics, and computer science.

Tungsten Prep (2018-Present)

GW Athletics Department (2018-2020)

High school peer tutoring program at Berwick Academy (2016-2018)

Honors and Awards

Academic

2022, Member, Pi Mu Epsilon Mathematics Honorary Society

2021, Dean's List (Spring 2021, Fall 2020, Spring 2020, Fall 2019)

2021, Summer Undergraduate Program in Engineering Research (SUPER)

2020, Summer Undergraduate Program in Engineering Research (SUPER)

Athletic

2021, Intercollegiate Rowing Coaches Association Scholar-Athlete Award

2021, Intercollegiate Rowing Association Men's Heavyweight All-Academic Team

Publications

Accepted

1. Oliver Broadrick, Sarah Morin, Grant McClearn, Neal McBurnett, Poorvi L. Vora and Filip Zagòrski, "Simulations of Ballot Polling Risk-Limiting Audits". Seventh Workshop on Advances in Secure Electronic Voting, in association with Financial Cryptography 2022.

In Preparation

1. (With Poorvi L. Vora and Filip Zagòrski) "*Providence*: a flexible round-by-round audit". In preparation.