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## EDUCATION

**Tufts University • Medford, MA**

**Graduation May 2024**

*BS in Computer Science & BA in Music*

GPA: 4.0, Dean's List

Relevant Coursework: Programming Languages, Virtual Machines and Language Translation, Compilers, Algorithms, Computation Theory, Machine Structure and Programming, Data Structures, Discrete Math, Cybersecurity

## WORK EXPERIENCE

**Northeastern University, MIND Lab**

**Spring 2019 - Fall 2022**

**Research Assistant**

- Lead regular interactive sessions on script-writing and best software practice.
- Automate multiple-month analysis pipeline with parallelism. Wrote all code for a long-term research project on music and cognitive decline.
- Presented our ongoing work at IAMM and CNS in 2020
- Co-author on ongoing study on music's ability to slow cognitive decline.

**Queen Mary University of London**

**Fall 2022**

**Research Assistant**

- Built Python tooling to answer research question "Has pop music become more or less predictable since 1940?"
- Presented my work, along with documentation and testing, to research committee
- Co-author on ongoing study on music predictability

**MathWorks**

**Summer 2023**

**Software Engineering Intern**

- Designed, engineered, and tested Full-Stack Cloud App in Go, Vue.js, and AWS Technologies.
- Directly communicated with and implemented features requested by company admin
- Built a comprehensive testing and deployment suite for future developers

**BastionZero**

**Summer 2022**

**Software Engineering Intern**

- Built from scratch, tested, and deployed a logging microservice for the company's bastion in Go/Golang.
- Transitioned company logging to MongoDB using Kubernetes pods.
- Lead successful effort to rethink log capture method to mitigate vulnerabilities.

**Tufts University, Computer Science Department**

**Fall 2021 - Present**

**Teaching Fellow in Programming Languages, Teaching Assistant in Data Structures**

## PROJECTS

**Write-Up of Brain Analysis Tools for Northeastern's HPC Documentation-** Personal Project

- Updated and optimized old FMRI software and practices on a lab-wide level, and wrote a detailed write-up on changes and use of new software, now in use on Northeastern HPC website.

**Security Tool Suite-** Personal Project

- Created a suite of tools used for web and application security, including fuzzers, static analysis tools, and port scan alarms. Uses Python, Shell, C++.

**Scheme Compiler in Standard ML, Virtual Machine for Custom Compiler Backend in C**

**Compiler for Affine-Typed, Compile-time-garbage-collected functional language in OCaml**

**Translator from Python to MATLAB -** Personal Project

**Image Compressor (JPEG Emulation) Built in C**

**SAT Solver using CPS**

**Multiple Type Checkers for Scheme**

**Q.U.A.C.K. (Personal Project) -** Custom TODO-list application written in Bash. Lots of fun.

**Leadership**

**Tech Lead, JumboCode**

**Fall 2023**

**Primary Student Instructor, CS-4: Teaching Computer Science (TA training course)**

**Spring 2023-Present**