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Education

University of Pennsylvania, Philadelphia, PA

Sep 2020 - May 2024 B.S.E. in Computer Science (NETS program)

GPA: 3.98

Notable Coursework: Discrete Mathematics (A+), Program Design (A+), Computational Linear Algebra (A+), Data Structures and Algorithms, Advanced Algorithms (A+, 2nd in class), Scalable and Cloud Computing, DevOps (A+), Artificial Intelligence (G) (A+), Graph Neural Networks (G), Algorithmic Game Theory (A+, 2nd in class). *G = Graduate Level

Technical Skills

Languages: Python, Java, JavaScript, SQL, Go LATEX

Technologies/Frameworks: Git, Django, Flask, ML Python stack, Kubernetes, Docker General: Backend Development, DevOps/MLOps, Data Engineering, Mathematical Modeling

Experience

May 2022 - Present Stripe, Seattle, WA

Software Engineering Intern

• ML Features team within the Infrastructure engineering organisation

NeuroFlow, Philadelphia, PA

June 2021 - Apr 2022

Data Science/Engineering Associate

- Develop an end-to-end NLP and ML labeling, training and prediction pipeline (spaCy, scikit-learn, Flask, FastAPI) to classify patients' risk for severe anxiety/depression using journal entries
- Lead transition of data stack to follow modern MLOps/DevOps (Docker, K8s, Redis) practices, with cache/model load optimisation using Redis, multiple replicas with load balancing, and automated retraining.
- Use ML (spaCy, TextBlob, and GBDTs) to detect a variety of wellbeing metrics from journal entries; productionize all data products using an internal and client-facing API for prediction (FastAPI).

Penn Labs, Philadelphia, PA

Oct 2020 - Present

Co-Director/Team Lead/Backend Engineer

- Lead organisation of 30+ engineers, designers, and business developers to improve product & user experience, scope tasks as well as interface with stakeholders (Penn Admin, Office of Student Affairs, Club Council)
- Develop the backend API, write unit tests, and optimize database queries (Django/REST Framework) for Penn's official club repository. (Link: Penn Clubs).
- Integrate with third-party services (Zoom, Calendar, Stripe) and offer analytics to enable clubs to organise and ticket events and streamline applications through a central platform.

Wharton Analytics Fellows, Philadelphia, PA

Feb 2021 - Dec 2021

Data Analyst

- Analyse and extract data-based solutions from large company datasets using statistical tools in Python (Pandas, Numpy, Keras).
- Interface with company executives to perform targeted analysis of key business metrics (revenue, brand health, customer satisfaction).
- Clients: McDonald's (Spring '21), Lidl (Fall '21)

Projects

Nov 2021

- Develop a fully model and parameter agnostic Machine Learning infrastructure system (Docker, Kubernetes, **PyTorch**) to deploy and scale ML models with minimal overhead
- Offer a plug-and-play system with inputs as model class and hyparameters at runtime, continuous training using CronJobs, and automated logging to AWS S3 enabling DevOps-adherent ML engineering.
- Integrate support for distributed training workloads using Kubernetes custom resource PyTorchJob (by Google) integrated with CronJobs.

Computational Neuroscience Research | neurogenesis-research

June 2021 - Aug 2021

- Work with Prof. Vijay Balasubramanian and David Kersen (MD/PhD student) to study adult neurogenesis in the olfactory bulb and its impact on odor perception.
- Develop computational models in MATLAB and Python to simulate the integration of new neurons into existing neural network topologies.
- Investigate multiple modes of neuron placement using metrics in **Graph Theory** and **Biostatistics**, and validate through mutual information and decorrelation between odors.