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Cornell University

BS, Computer Science BS, Operations Research and Information Engineering

Graduating May 2019

GPA: 3.9

Texas Academy of Mathematics and Science

Dual Enrollment Program University of North Texas

Graduated May 2016

President's List

WORK EXPERIENCE

(YC W16)

Summer 2015

Function of Beauty Full-Stack Developer Intern

- Created platform for iPad kiosk integration, used at Y-Combinator's Demo Day.
- Developed and maintained a LAMP stack, focusing on authentication and MySQL database management.
- Worked directly with the CEO to maximize conversion rates and minimize the duration of placing an order.

UNT School of **Engineering**

Summer 2015

Research Intern

- Published two papers on the quantitative relationship between toughness and brittleness of polymers.
- Wrote Java program to analyze sliding wear simulation, resulting in a 100x speed improvement over existing analysis methods.
- Conducted molecular dynamics simulation on high-density polyethylene using C++ software.

The Argan Tree

Summer 2014

Data Analyst & Developer Intern

- Analyzed consumer data to compile a risk management report assessing business expansion to other areas of Morocco.
- Converted entire website to automatically detect and optimize displays for mobile phones.
- Aggregated survey findings to evaluate the impact of cooperatives on social and institutional trust.

RESEARCH

Google Quantum AI Lab (Summer 2016)

- Researched under Dr. Pedram Roushan of the UCSB Martinis Group to develop an algorithm for calculating the evolution of random quantum states.
- Used MATLAB to run computational simulations of Hamiltonian spectroscopy and Fourier transform.

PROJECTS

MediBot

Voice-controlled delivery bot for use in clinics and hospitals. Winner of PennApps 2016 Embedded Hacks.

Encore.ai

Generate new lyrics from your favorite oldschool artists. Best Machine Learning Hack at HackMIT 2016.

Leave No Trace

Data-driven iOS app that tracks energy conservation. Winner of Verizon App Challenge.

FreezeRay

iOS offline wallet solution for bitcoin. Winner of BitHacks 2015.

SKILLS

Java, Node.js, React/Redux, Unity, AWS, LAMP, Swift, MATLAB

AWARDS

HackMIT Best Machine Learning Hack (2016) PennApps Best Embedded Hack (2016) Verizon Innovative App Challenge (2014) BitHack Winner (2015) MIT Zero Robotics (2014)