Scott Lee

Data Scientist / Software Engineer

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Education

University of California, Berkeley — B.A. Computer Science 2020* — GPA: 3.85 / 4 (*B.A. CS 2019 + M.S. CS 2020 or B.A. CS + B.A. Statistics 2020, pending acceptance to M.S. program) Selected Coursework: Algorithms, Data Structures, Machine Learning, Artificial Intelligence, Database Systems, Computer Architecture, Discrete Math, Probability & Random Processes, Statistical Theory, Linear Modeling

Experience

Software Engineering Intern

Rubrik — Palo Alto, CA

May 2018 - Aug 2018

- Designed and implemented a robust database system with efficient random reads and sequential scanning, used to store email metadata in the cloud.
- Added universal compatibility with various cloud providers (AWS, Azure, Google Cloud) and further augmented it with Zstd compression and file deduplication.

Research Assistant

RISELab — Berkeley, CA

Feb 2018 - Present

- Applied convolutional neural networks to detect and classify arrhythmias from electrocardiogram readings.
- Also built a hierarchical classifier that parses and analyzes data from doctors' notes.

Head Teaching Assistant (UGSI) Data 100 — Berkeley, CA

Aug 2017 - Present

- Prepared materials, taught lab section, held office hours, and developed assignments.
- Facilitated class logistics, including managing staff, organizing exams, and overseeing enrollment for a class of 1400 students.

Data Science & Education Intern Brilliant — San Francisco, CA

May 2017 - Aug 2017

- Conducted analysis using SQL and Python on 1+ million emails to evaluate email algorithm effectiveness and created a proposal that increased clickthrough rate by 30%.
- Designed and produced curricula for "Math for Computer Science" and "Intro to Data Science" courses.

Technical Skills

Python (+ Pandas, Scikitlearn, TensorFlow, Apache Spark), SQL, R, Java, Go, C HTML, CSS/LESS, Javascript, jQuery, Bootstrap

Projects (More on my website; links to live project are boxed.)

BerkeleyTime

- BerkeleyTime is an augmented course catalog that provides data on courses, enrollment trends, grade distributions, and more. I serve as the Product Manager and Data Scientist for Berkeley Time, and was previously Lead Engineer.
- We just wrapped up a course scheduler, and are currently working on a data-centered initiative with student course data (such as course recommendations, automatic course plan generation, and intelligence course classification).

Neural Net Applications — Python

- Implemented a neural net from scratch (graph class, implementing matrix operations, backpropagation, etc).
- Applied neural nets to solve various problems, such as digit classification, language classification, and function approximation.

Song Classifier — Python, Tensorflow

- Created a deep learning classifier that categorizes songs as either country or hip-hop based on lyrics frequencies.
- Achieved an accuracy rate of 89% and was selected as one of 10 winners of a 200-member Kaggle contest.

Jesture (Cal Hacks 3.0) — HTML, CSS, JS, jQuery, Bootstrap, JSON, Python

- Built a utility application that detects different gestures and triggers varying options (e.g. pause music on Spotify).
- Implemented API for Spotify, Slack, Facebook, and more, then linked to a sleek web UI.