# **Sidney Le**

### **Data Scientist**





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## CAREER OBJECTIVE

Data scientist with experience problem-solving in many research domains, from sociology to housing to health. Strong background in statistics and skilled at communicating data and concepts. Hoping to make the world a better place.

# PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

## Research Associate

Dascena, Oakland, CA / Jan 2019 - Present

- Plan and implement experiments utilizing machine- and deep-learning in **Python**, utilizing large-scale clinical EHR data including unstructured text, to drive novel health research
- Write and publish technical papers to demonstrate novelty and significance of experimental results; develop technical aspects of grants to fund large scientific and engineering projects
- Manage and process large-scale clinical EHR data for use in analysis using the **AWS** cloud computing platform, MongoDB, and PostgreSQL
- Work across teams, including engineering and sales, in order to communicate data needs and uses
- ML/DL techniques applied include: transfer and semi-supervised learning, RNNs and CNNs (implemented in Keras), NLP, XGBoost

### **Research Associate**

GoodlyLabs, Berkeley, CA / Feb 2018 – Jan 2019

- Worked with teams of sociologists and students to develop research and social good products
- Lead project development and determined technical goals and timeline
- Developed machine-learning pipeline utilizing clustering and NLP to extract sociological insight from usergenerated data in R
- Managed and iterated user platform for generating data

### TECHNICAL SKILLS + SOFTWARE

- Python (fluent): scikit-learn, keras, tensorflow, numpy, pandas
- R (fluent): keras, ggplot2, plotly, shiny
- NLP: NTLK, gensim

# **EDUCATION**

University of California-Berkeley Berkeley, CA

B.A. Statistics (Dec 2018)

# SELECTED PUBLICATIONS

Le, Sidney, et al. "24: EFFECTS OF MONOCYTE DISTRIBUTION WIDTH AND WHITE BLOOD CELL COUNT ON A SEPSIS PREDICTION ALGORITHM." Critical Care Medicine 48.1 (2020): 12. doi: 10.1097/01.ccm.0000618596.05438.08. Recipient of the SCCM Star Research Achievement Award.

Le, Sidney, et al. "Pediatric Severe Sepsis Prediction Using Machine Learning." Frontiers in pediatrics 7 (2019): 413. doi: 10.3389/fped.2019.00413.

Barton, Christopher, et al. "Evaluation of a machine learning algorithm for up to 48-hour advance prediction of sepsis using six vital signs." Computers in biology and medicine 109 (2019): 79-84. doi: 10.1016/j.compbiomed.2019.04.027.