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# Education

## **Brown University** | Concentration GPA: 4.0

Providence, RI | September 2014 - Expected May 2018

Linear Algebra

- Intended Concentration: Bachelor of Science in Computer Science
  - Advanced Intro to Computer Science
    Design and Analysis of Algorithms
    - Software Engineering Probability and Computing
- Intro to Number Theory

Systems Programming

## **EdX Platform - MITx**

August 2013 - May 2014

• 6.00.1x Introduction to Computer Science and Programming, 6.00.2x Introduction to Computational Thinking and Data Science, 6.002x Circuits and Electronics

Projects - https://www.stevenshi.me/projects/

# Pair Project "Maps" || https://www.stevenshi.me/projects/maps/

March 2015 – April 2015

- Implemented in its entirety the multithreaded backend for an interactive map interface with shortest path searching in simulated real-time traffic by writing and assembling the following features:
- A\* search on large data (database of Rhode Island graph) through efficient caching, querying, and using optimal data structures
- Kd-tree construction from graph to search for nearest neighbor to a selected point on the map
- Trie backed suggestions engine, with smart ranking, supporting whitespace edit, prefix matching, and levenshtein edit distances
- Please contact me for this private repo

# Four Person Group Project "Brewer" || https://www.stevenshi.me/projects/brewer/

April 2015 - May 2015

- Scratch inspired visual programming language built as an educational tool for teaching basic Java
  - Helped implement program parsing and type checking
  - Created database communications for program storage and loading
  - Extensively tested network communications and program evaluations through structured test suites

#### Experience

#### Chegg Computer Science Tutor || https://instaedu.com/tutors/online-tutors/Steven-S-435637

March 2015 - August 2015

Enjoying helping others learn computer science and occasionally general mathematics

#### BuiltLean - Marketing and Web Analytics Intern

**New York, NY | May 2015 – August 2015** 

Brand development, optimizing conversion rates through web analytics, forging new products, and testing the merits of paid traffic

# **Grove City Borough - Appointed Junior Council Person**

Grove City, PA | February 2013 – June 2014

Co-organized the local Halloween parade and oversaw its fulfillment

# Dairy Queen - Blizzard Wizard

Grove City, PA | April 2013 – June 2014

Curling cones and creating the sweetest of desserts

#### Distinctions

#### **Brown University - Catalyst 2014**

Providence, RI | August 2014

• 1 of 15 incoming freshman selected for a rigorous pre-orientation STEM mentoring program aiming to foster collaboration

## Center for Student Opportunity – I'm First Scholar || www.imfirst.org/author/steven/ Providence, RI | June 2014 – present

• 1 of 10 selected first generation student ambassadors and bloggers for I'm First organization

# Skills & Interests

**Programming:** Java, C, Python, JavaScript, jQuery, HTML, CSS, Shell, JSON, MatLab, SQL, Apache, Linux, Windows, MacOS **Experience:** Object-Oriented, Functional, Multithreading and Synchronization, Memory and Search, Markov Modeling, Server-Client Communication, Large Data Computing, Automated Testing, Probability Theory, LAMP Server

Languages: Mandarin (working proficiency), Fuzhou Dialect (fluent)

**Interests:** playing music (piano, acoustic guitar), journaling, soccer player for fourteen years, tennis, RTS (Real Time Strategy) games, archery, martial arts, anime and Eastern Asian culture