# TAIRAN SONG

## **EDUCATION**

#### University of Virginia, Charlottesville, VA

Aug. 2019 - Current

Master of Computer Science 2020

Relevant Coursework

Design and Analysis of Algorithms, Machine Learning, Mobile and IoT Security

#### University of California Irvine, CA

July 2015 - June 2019

Bachelor in Computer Science, June 2019

Relevant Coursework

Proj Data&Web Apps, Des&Analys of Algor, Data Src Impl&Anls, Discret Math for CS, Princp in Sys Desgn, Formal Lang & Autm, Informtion Retrieval, Intro to Data Mgmt, Computational Ggeo, Computer Networks, Embedded Software, Digital Logic Design.

### **SKILLS**

 $\textbf{PROGRAMMING LANGUAGES:} \ \texttt{C++} \ (\textbf{proficient}), \ \texttt{MySQL} \ , \ \texttt{C} \ , \ \texttt{JAVA}, \ \texttt{Python}, \ \texttt{Linux} \ , \\ \texttt{HTML}, \ \texttt{CSS}, \ \texttt{Javascript}$ 

### **PROJECTS**

Fablix Jan. 2019 - Mar. 2019

-A Full Stack website deployed on AWS and Google Cloud in which users are able to browse/search for movie information and buy movies.

- -Used HTML/CSS/Javascript on front end. Requests from users are contained in URL and sent using HTTPS to backend.
- -Implemented JAVA Servlet to receive requests and talk to the database using JDBC implemented with MYSQL to fetch and send data.
- -Used SESSIONS to keep users logged in and persists across more than one connections.
- -Scaled Fabflix with a cluster of MySQL/Tomcat and a frontend load balancer.

Spell Checker Mar. 2018 - Mar. 2018

- -Given a correctly-spelled word set and an input text, reports all of the misspellings and suggests similar words appearing in the word set.
- -Implemented AVL Tree with C++ to store word set in which words in the left subtree are always smaller than the keys in right subtree.
- -Implemented Hash Table with C++ to store word set with separate chaining, implemented as a dynamically-allocated array of linked lists.

Othello Game and AI Mar. 2017 - Mar. 2017

- -Implemented the game in Python with an algorithm that is able to take users' inputs and make changes to the board.
- -Used GUI to visualize the board and allow interaction between user and the program.
- -Wrote an AI (Min-Max) with C++ that is capable of choosing moves in the Othello game. Performs depth-first search on the game tree.
- -Used Heuristic Search to reduce memory usage and only predict four moves. Prioritize positions near the border to improve win rate.
- -Top 20 in Class Tournament with 85% win rate.

# Rock and Roll stops the Traffic

Mar. 2016 - Mar. 2016

- -Given a map of streets and freeways, use C++ to finding the shortest distance or fastest route to get from one location on the map to another.
- -Built the graph with Adjacency List technique.
- -Used Dijkstra's Algorithm to find the shortest path from all start vertex to all the other vertices in a graph and store the result in memory.

## **VOLUNTEERING**

CodeOn, *Tutor*Newport Coast, California

Apr. 2018 - July 2018

- -Offer computer science education to underfunded K-8 schools and underprivileged students.
- -Engage students in an algorithm-rich environment.
- -Design curriculum for every class.