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## Work Experience

### Energy-Smart Manufacturing Research Assistant - Virginia Tech, Blacksburg, VA

09/2016 -present

- Developed a Spring-based RESTful application in Java, with an embedded Tomcat server.
- Created a mobile application in C# for a handheld RFID scanner, able to process the scanner's input, and communicate with the server side by sending HTTP requests.
- Created a database using MySQL to store scanned RFID data regarding orders, customers, materials and design.
- Integrated these tools with the goal of minimizing energy consumption and improving real-time flexibility of a large additive manufacturing network, while still meeting quality, productivity and reliability requirements.

## Projects

### Northrop Grumman: Airport Analysis using Machine Learning - [github.com/tejadaR/AREA](https://github.com/tejadaR/AREA)

09/2016 -present

- Developed a supervised learning-based prediction tool using Apache Spark's Scala API, able to predict the runway exit that an arriving aircraft will take, trained and tested on thousands of flight records.
- Performed pre-processing, feature engineering, hyper-parameter tuning and trained a random forest classification model.
- Developed a GUI using ScalaFX to view analysis results for different airports.

### 2016 SIMIO International Simulation Competition: 1<sup>st</sup> Place (250 teams, 14 countries)

09/2016 – 12/2016

- Developed a simulation model for a warehouse distribution problem using SIMIO, an object-oriented modeling framework.
- Implemented verification and validation techniques, including tracking and testing independent modules.
- Optimized parameters and analyzed the resulting data, achieving an impact of \$38 million in potential savings compared to using the economic order quantity formula.

Contest Overview: [simio.com/academics/StudentCompetition/December2016/contest-overview.php](http://simio.com/academics/StudentCompetition/December2016/contest-overview.php)

### Inventory Policy Solver

- Developed a tool that calculates the optimal re-order policy, based on a Probabilistic Operations Research project
- Modeled the demand probabilities using a discrete-time Markov Chain, written in Java.
- Added parameter flexibility through a JSON file to test different scenarios by adjusting costs, revenue and capacities.

## Technical Skills

### Software Development Proficiency

Clean and well documented APIs using object oriented, aspect oriented, and functional programming, MVC, RESTful web services, version control (Git), Scrum, build tools & dependency management (CMake, sbt, Gradle, Maven), unit testing (JUnit, ScalaTest).

### Languages and Frameworks/Engines

Scala, Java, Python, C#, C++, SQL, Javascript  
Apache Spark, ScalaFX, Spring, Pandas

### Applications

Eclipse, Unix shells, Vim, Minitab, SIMIO, LabVIEW, Android Studio, Microsoft Visual Studio, Pycharm, Putty, Adobe Suite.

### Relevant Expertise

Machine Learning, Operations Research, Discrete-Event Simulation, Statistical Process Control (SPC), Production Planning and Inventory Control, Data Management, Manufacturing Processes, Facilities and Logistics, UI/UX, Lean.

## Education

Virginia Polytechnic Institute and State University (Virginia Tech) — Blacksburg, VA  
**B.S. Industrial & Systems Engineering** — expected 5/2017