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EDUCATION

The University of Texas at Austin Bachelor of Science, Mechanical Engineering Honors

May 2022

Minors: Computer Science, Business

Overall GPA: 3.892

WORK EXPERIENCE

Quality Lifecycle Engineering Intern, Hewlett-Packard Enterprise

Summer 2020 – Present

- Conducted over 300 technical case reviews with a group of hardware engineers and a quality program manager
- Provided feedback to case owners and coordinated action items across multiple teams to find the root cause and solution to product issues and failure trends
- Gathered customer focused data and presented updates to upper management and neighboring teams in monthly meetings and weekly executive reviews
- Adjusted SQL queries and pulled data from the company's database using Microsoft SQL Server Management Studio

PROJECTS

Covid-19 Blogs Summer 2020

• Built a Convolutional Neural Network with an accuracy and validation accuracy of over 95% that users can upload an image to and check if they are wearing a facemask

- Integrated a REST API with a dynamic, user friendly frontend to build a web application that allows authenticated users to read, write, and search for blogs relating to Covid-19
- Tools: Django, Unittest, React.js, Webpack, Bootstrap, Keras, Numpy, Tensorflow, Sklearn, Pandas, PostgreSQL

Titanic Predictor Summer 2020

- Constructed a machine learning model by using the Titanic data set from Kaggle to build a Neural Network that can
 predict if someone would have survived the sinking of the Titanic with an accuracy of approximately 80% and
 implemented it in a REST API
- Designed a frontend that takes in users input, posts them to the REST API, and returns the results
- Tools: Django, React.js, Materialize, Heroku, Keras, Tensorflow, Sklearn, Numpy, Pandas, MySQL

Task Planner Summer 2020

- Created a web application that allows authenticated users to record tasks they need to do and visualize the number
 of tasks they have done per day for the past month through a graphical representation
- Tools: Django, Bootstrap, Matplotlib, Heroku, PostgreSQL

LEADERSHIP EXPERIENCE AND ACTIVITIES

Longhorn Entrepreneurship Agency – *Logistic Co-lead (Fall 2020-Present)*

Fall 2019 - Present

• Connected students to Austin's startup scene by hosting and promoting entrepreneurship events

Texas Aerial Robotics – *Hardware Team*

Spring 2019 – Present

- Soldered electrical components together, such as motors wires to the ESC (Electronic Speed Controller), to allow flexibility in the design of the team's drone
- Designed components, such as sonar mounts, using 3D design software, SolidWorks

Lambda Chi Alpha Fraternity - Alumni Committee

Fall 2018 - Present

HONORS

Cockrell School of Engineering Honors Scholarship (4 Semesters)

Fall 2018 - Spring 2020

University Honors (4 semesters)

Fall 2018 - Spring 2020

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

Computer Skills: Python, Javascript, HTML, CSS, SolidWorks, Matlab, Microsoft Excel, Word, PowerPoint

Languages: English (Native Language), Mandarin (Fluent in speech)

Interests: Karaoke, Weightlifting, Chess, Football, Basketball, Soccer, Juggling

Work Eligibility: Eligible to work in the U.S. with no restrictions