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## **EDUCATION**

# Tufts University, Medford MA

May 2017

B.S. in Computer Science & Mathematics

Summa Cum Laude - GPA: 3.88 / 4.00

Relavant courses: Statistical Pattern Recognition, Computer Vision, Numerical Linear Algebra, Data Structures, Algorithms, Graphics, Visualization, Web Programming, Text Mining, Computation Theory, Abstract Algebra

## **HONORS**

## **Tufts University**

· Class of 1942 Prize Scholarship - 2017

#### **EXPERIENCE**

## Research Assistant at Tufts University

June 2017 - present

Computational biology

· Worked on applying machine learning on computational biology problems regarding genetic interactions

# Teaching Fellow at Tufts University

Spring 2017

Computation Theory

- · Lead and managed 25 teaching assistants for a class of 160 students taught by Prof. Ben Hescott
- · Managed grading for all homework submissions

Microsoft June - September 2016 (12 weeks)

Software Development Intern, Enterprise Cloud Group, Engineering Systems

Redmond, WA

· Implemented a service, backed by Azure DocumentDB, that allows users to launch and monitor the customization of Virtual Machines on an internal cloud service, in C#.

# Teaching Assistant at Tufts University

January - May 2016

Machine Structure & Assembly Language Programming (Fall 2015), Computation Theory (Spring 2016 to Fall 2017)

- $\cdot$  Led and assisted lab sessions, and held office-hours weekly, helping students with Machine Structure problems in C in the fall of 2015.
- · Held regular office-hours to help students understand questions about NP-completeness, graph-theory and proof writing in the spring of 2016.

#### Ab Initio Software

June - August 2015 (11 weeks)

Software Development Intern

Boston, MA

- · Wrote Java code that currently ships on Ab Initio's process management and monitoring client
- · Shipped, built and helped design feature that allows administrators to customize the clients dashboard
- · Refactored a collection of anonymous data-structures into a type-safe and easily extensible class hierarchy
- · Shipped a Package for Support feature that collected and packaged information about a monitored process.

Microsoft

June - July 2013 (5 weeks)

Marketing Intern, Consumer Channels Group, Xbox Team

Hong Kong, China

- · Evaluated and categorized over two-thirds Xbox One retailer stores in Hong Kong
- · Presented and participated at an Asia Pacific Region CCG Train-the-Trainer event for Xbox and Surface Teams.

# **PROJECTS**

#### Towards Deep Genetic Interaction Prediction

June 2017 - present

Deep learning project in PyTorch

· Developing learning algorithms to classify genetic interactions using biological network topologies

## Lung Cancer detection using Deep Multi-Instance networks

Spring 2017

Deep learning project in PyTorch

- · Investigated and adapted Deep Multi-Instance techniques for Lung Cancer detection for the 2017 Kaggle Data Science Bowl
- · Implemented efficient RGB to Grayscale conversion of popular pretrained networks (AlexNet, VGG etc.)

# Ray Traced Constructive Solid Geometry Renderer

Spring 2016

Computer graphics project written in C++ using OpenGL

- · Devised and implemented a method to express complex boolean and set operations applied to 3D shapes
- · Implemented a ray tracer that rendered photorealistic reflections, soft shadows and used recursive programming language constructs to render complex scenes.

## Force Directed Edge Bundling Methods, Models, and Implementations

Fall 2015

A visualization technique implemented in Java and the 'Processing' Framework/Library

- · Improved and implemented a physics based, iterative method of grouping edges to simplify complex graphs.
- · Collaborated with 2 other team members leading the implementation and improvement of the mathematical model that powered our solution.

## Visualizing the Urbanization of the World with Wikipedia data

Spring 2015

Text Mining project developed using Python, JavaScript and D3

· Parsed 60GB of Wikipedia markup to create a web application to explore when and where settlements around the world were established.

#### Stealth Shrooms Game - Boston Game Jam 2015

Spring 2015

· Built a hallucination simulation game using Unity and C# with a team of 2 artists and 4 programers in 2 days.

## **SKILLS**

Languages C/C++, Python, JavaScript, C#, LaTex, (Worked with: Java, HTML)

Frameworks PyTorch, Node.js, MongoDB, ASP.NET Core (Worked with: SQL, OpenGL, D3)

Tools Vim, Unix, Git & Github, Perforce, IntelliJ, Visual Studio, Powershell

Other Languages Mandarin and Cantonese, proficient in spoken spanish