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INFO

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EDUCATION

Carnegie Mellon University, Pittsburgh, PA

Aug 2013 - Dec 2014

Master of Information Systems Management

GPA: 3.83

GPA: 3.9

• Coursework: Distributed Systems, Cloud Computing, Introduction to Computer System, Introduction to Machine Learning, Data Structure for Application Programmers, Internet Technologies.

Nanjing University, Nanjing, Jiangsu, China (PR)

Sep 2009 - Jul 2013

Bachelor of Management

• Major: Information Management and Information Systems

SKILLS

Back-end Development: Java, Servlet, Jersey, Python, MySQL, Maven Front-end Development: JavaScript, JQuery, HTML, Chrome Extension

Data Analysis: Hadoop, Map-Reduce, HBase, Matlab

Cloud Computing: AWS

Work

Carnegie Mellon Cylab, Pittsburgh, PA

EXPERIENCE Research Assistant

Sep 2014 – Dec 2014

• Explored distributed database solutions considering design trade-offs, usability, data model, and performance to handle terabyte-level data.

RedMorph LLC., Pittsburgh, PA

Java Developer Intern

May 2014 – Aug 2014

- Researched on the solution to protecting the security and privacy of Internet browsing.
- Designed and developed a Chrome extension to filter the URLs, tracking cookies, and profanity contents.

ACADEMIC PROJECTS

API Re-design and Implementation (REST, Jersey)

Sep 2014 - Nov 2014

- Re-designed the RESTful API of the client company to provide well-structured and scalable data endpoints.
- Designed and implemented an OData-like "search" endpoint to support queries with logical operators and comparators.
- Visualized the documentation with Swagger Framework.

Map-Reduce Framework Implementation (Java)

Jul 2014 – Aug 2014

- Designed a map-reduce system to facilitate parallel computing of fixed-size data items.
- Implemented map-reduce system and computational framework from scratch.

Process Migration Framework (Java)

May 2014 – Jun 2014

- Design and Implemented a system to balance the workload among the cluster by manually migrating the process to other nodes.
- Overrode the I/O classes to handle the read/write miss after the migration, and deployed the system upon Andrew File System.

Web Service Performance Competition (AWS, Servlet, Hbase) Feb 2014 – Apr 2014

- Enhanced a RESTful web service with non-blocking IO Servlet, processing 10000+ queries per second(QPS) for plain text responses.
- Benchmarked between MySQL and HBase database. Configured HBase to improve the performance for specific data query demands with 3000+ QPS.
- Deployed the service on AWS EC2 and scatter the traffic with ELB. Scaling up/down according to the workload, which saved 30% of the cost with similar response rate.