# **VIVIEN CHOW**

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#### **EDUCATION**

École de Technologie Supérieure | BS Software Engineering (GPA: 3.54)

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#### **EXPERIENCE**

## Computer Vision and Machine Learning Intern

09/2019 - 12/2019

Genetec | Montreal, Canada

- Succeeded in optimizing the existing people detector and a vehicle classifier that resulted with improved frames per second and mean accuracy precision.
- Researched and applied image processing techniques, metalearning, computer vision algorithms and new machine learning frameworks within proof of concept.
- Set benchmark system to compare results of different experiments on CPU using OpenVino.

#### Software Developer Intern

09/2018 - 12/2018

Caisse de dépôt et placement du Québec | Montreal, Canada

- Programmed in C# and other languages in the Application Solutions for Private Equity Funds team.
- Implemented automated tests with Azure DevOps according to the strategy prepared by the software designer assigned to the team.
- Integrated Single Sign-On for Automation of CA Workload Automation.

#### **PROJECTS**

# SafeTrained Android App | Bachelor of Science in Computer Science

- Being aware of the ongoing staffing and time constraints during the Covid19 pandemic, I collaborated with McGill health students to develop an Android app which would enhance learning for assistants of the orderlies and new hires of long-term care facilities.
- Programmed in Kotlin with Android Studio, following best practices allowing data persistence and easy updates.
- Multiple functionalities are included such as bilingual option, quiz, checklist, glossary and information modules.

#### Cloud Punch! (ImplementAI Hackathon)

- Developed an app which applies Open Pose to simultaneously track the movements of two players, from two separate video feeds who can physically interact in a virtual space and play a boxing game, even if they are in separate locations.
- Local clients use Flask to broadcast each player's video feeds on the local area network via a multi-threaded video capture class. Pose estimation server hosted on Google Colab estimating joint landmark vector for each player via a modified OpenPose model.

#### Social Network Website

• Full stack social network application deployed on Heroku using Node.js, Express, React, Redux and MongoDB along with ES6+. Also include Express Stateless JWT authentication React Hooks and tested with Redux Chrome extension. Allows users to sign up, create profile, comment, like and post

## Dr Plant Android App

• Developed Android app using Android Studio and Java which allows a user to upload an image from camera or gallery and detect the plant disease. Used Microsoft Azure CustomVIsion to train convolutional neural network.

# **SKILLS**

Programming Languages: C#, C++, Java, JavaScript, Kotlin, Python, SQL

**Utilities**: Git, Docker, Kuberneetes, Android Studio **Web**: React, NodeJs, MongoDB, Redux, Angular, Flask

AI/ML: Pytorch, Tensorflow, Matlab, OpenCV, Hadoop, Spark

# EXTRACURRICULAR ACTIVITES

#### Délégation des compétitions en informatique de l'ÉTS

Member of the university's competitive delegation and participated in multiple hackathons such as CSGames, CoveoBlitz, ImplementAI, JDIS, HackFest, LHGames (2nd Place)

## **INTERESTS**

Hackathons | Beach Volleyball | Rock Climbing | Baking | Piano | Video Games