# Koa Zhao Yuan

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#### EDUCATION

Yale-NUS College

Aug 2019 – Present

 $Bachelor\ of\ Science\ in\ Mathematical,\ Computational\ and\ Statistical\ Sciences$ 

GPA: 4.71

- Recipient of the flagship Yale-NUS Global Leader Scholarship
- Peer Tutor for YSC1212 Introduction to Computer Science

#### EXPERIENCE

### Student Associate (Web Development)

Jan 2021 - Present

Yale-NUS College

Singapore

- Developing a database that stores relevant astrophysical data like molecular line detection
- Using React for front-end for easy querying and submissions of new data
- Using Flask (and SQL) as the back-end for storing of database

**R&D OCR Intern** Dec 2020 – Jan 2021

SmartJen

Singapore

- Implemented OCR engine that processes handwritten mathematical expressions
- Implemented Character Segmentation Algorithm for OCR Engine using OpenCV2
- Trained Convolutional Neural Network of OCR Engine using Tensorflow and Keras
- Used Flask to deploy a proof-of-concept auto-grader that uses OCR Engine

# Research Associate (Molecular Simulation)

Aug. 2020 – Dec. 2020

Yale-NUS College

Singapore

- Worked on modelling molecular interactions between poly-peptides and water molecules using Python
- Used libraries like OpenMM, a Python library for molecular simulation

### Research Assistant (ML-based Solubility prediction)

May 2020 – Aug 2020

Yale-NUS College

Singapore

- Evaluated effectiveness of various existing solubility models and visualized results using matplotlib
- Used machine learning to predict solubility of various substances using pandas and scikit-learn
- More details in my GitHub (https://github.com/virtuoso98/ML\_Liquid)

## Project

Personal Website Mar 2021

https://www.kzhaoyuan.com/

- Built and hosted a personal website using React.js, Material-UI and Amazon Web Services (AWS).
- Included utilities for Search Engine Optimization on website to maximize visibility.

#### Extracurriculars

# Yale-NUS Contract Bridge

Aug 2020 - Present

Treasurer

- Planned and projected the expenditure throughout Academic Year 2020/2021
- Organized welfare events to foster cohesion among teammates

#### TECHNICAL SKILLS

**Languages**: (*Proficient*): Python, OCaml, Javascript (*Familiar*): C++, HTML/CSS, R **Libraries**: Tensorflow, Keras, OpenCV2, OpenMM, pandas, scikit-learn, Matplotlib

Frameworks: React, Flask