## **SKILLS**

**LANGUAGES** | Python, Golang, Java, C/C++, Bash, R, JavaScript

ML & CLOUD | Tensoflow + TPU, PyTorch, scikit-learn, MS Azure, Google Cloud Computing, Conda, HPCC cluster OS (Slurm)

FULL STACK | React.js, Django, HTML/Bootstrap, SQL, iOS, Git, MongoDB, Android, Unix/Linux

**CREATIVE** | CAD, Adobe Suite, Microsoft Office

# **AWARDS**

**1st Place + Axelrad Award** for Best Computer Science Research | 2018

Princess Margaret Cancer Research Studentship for top undergraduate research | 2018

Silver Medal + Top 20 @ Canada Wide Science Fair | 2017

**1st Place Honours** @ Sanofi Biogenius Challenge | 2017

**Top 15%** National Mathematics Contest @UWaterloo | 2017

# EDUCATION

#### **UNIVERSITY OF TORONTO**

COMPUTER SCIENCE 2021 && STATISTICS ComSci GPA: && MATH (MINOR) 3.91/4.0

CS Core | Machine Learning, Probability, Linear Algebra, Algs + Data Structures, Software Design, OOP, Computational Theory Life Science (2017-18) | Evolution, Biology, Chemistry, Genetics

### EXPERIENCE

**Vector Institute** | Deep Learning Research Intern

Fall 2019 - Present

CO-ADVISORS: JIMMY BA (VECTOR INSTITUTE) + SHANE GU (GOOGLE BRAIN)

- Model-based reinforcement learning, architecture search, meta-learning & robot manipulation
- Developing custom research frameworks and environments in Tensorflow, Pytorch, & numpy

#### **Google | Software Engineering Intern**

Summer 2019

GOOGLE CLOUD BUILD INFRASTRUCTURE

- Designed, tested, and released 4 new binaries + Skylark container rules on Google Cloud Registry, providing backwards compatibility to the rules-docker open source repository
- · Migrated Python backend to Go & incorporated Bazel to build hermetic Docker containers
- Implemented specifications for legacy & new V2.2/multi-OS Docker Image Schemas
- 10% Project (Google Serve): Kitchener-Waterloo Art Gallery touchscreen display software

#### **aUToronto** | Software Engineer (Perception)

Summer 2019-Present

U OF T AUTONOMOUS VEHICLE DESIGN TEAM

- Designing level-4 autonomous computer vision systems for pedestrian/vehicle detection
- Adapted state-of-the-art research techniques including SqueezeDet & PointPillars
- Worked **collaboratively** to deploy software for **SAE Autodrive Challenge** (**1st place** in '18 & '19)

#### HiRide Inc. | Full Stack Developer

Winter 2019

NLP + CHATBOT

- Student carpooling app built with React.js that replaces ride share events on social media
- Used **Dialogflow** to build interactive **chat bot** to **save 90%** of manual rider-driver coordination

### RESEARCH

#### **FOR.ai** | Machine Learning Researcher

Summer 2019 - Present

ADVISOR: AIDAN GOMEZ

- Improving **neural network training** and **data efficiency** with novel **progressive growth** networks built in **Keras & Tensorflow 2.0** with **TPU** deep learning acceleration + **Tensorboard** integration
- Benchmarking curiosity-driven reinforcement learning algorithms in sparse rewards settings
- Build & maintain custom deep learning codebase for modular + extensible experimentation

#### **Princess Margaret ML Cancer Research | Research Intern**

Summer 2018

ADVISOR: MICHAEL HOFFMAN

- Developed epigenetic annotation pipelines & adapted unsupervised ML (Segway + sci-kit Learn) techniques to quantify and predict key cancer-linked proteins from 20+ high-res next generation sequencing datasets, validating 2 new ChIP-seq technologies
- Visualized generated insights on data resolution utility with R, Seaborn (Python), & Bash

## PROJECTS

#### DOC: Digital On-Call-Healthcare Consultant

BCGxGoogle GE Week 2019

- Built a javascript powered front-end interfaced with mixed-Gaussian statistical model in
   Python that mapped health data to symptom diagnosis via real time NLP of speech transcript
- Won 1st Place Award out of select top 40 teams across all Canadian universities

#### **Innovape: The Health Aware Vape**

Top Prize - Hack the North 2019

• Reverse-engineered a **Juul**, remodelled architecture w/ **Arduino**, and added a personalized nicotine reduction algorithm via **Gaussian modelling** to dynamically reduce nicotine output

SocialBIT HackMIT 2018

- Real-time 'social Fitbit' that tracks social interactions at the micro-scale and then visualizes
  the frequency of encounters with location tracking using D3.js & Firebase
- Implemented facial recognition algorithm with OpenCV/dlib + YOLOv3 that detects select acquaintances in live video from a glasses-mounted Raspberry Pi camera