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EXPERIENCE

Cornell Campus Ambassador

Sequoia Capital

May 2018 - Present

- One of 13 nationwide ambassadors for the venture capital firm
- Scouted campus startups for Seed and Series A funding rounds

Product and Business Development Intern Carbon

May 2019 - August 2019

New York, NY

- Developed internal tools using Javascript and React; designed custom set of LaTeX documents & wireframed the Capital Markets website
- Increased capital markets revenue by 250%; pitched to stakeholders

Executive Co-Director

BigRed//Hacks

Movember 2018 - Present

◊ Ithaca, NY

- Managed 40 organizers across 7 subteams to plan Cornell's \$50,000 largest student-run hackathon with 500+ attendees
- Doubled & retained team size; pioneered initiatives with new organization website, internal tools, and complete documentation

Autopilot Software Developer, Pilot In Training Cornell University Unmanned Air Systems (CUAir)

♀ Ithaca, NY

- Current Projects: ground station redesign, unmanned ground vehicle (UGV), vertical takeoff & landing, batch waypoint editor, debugging
- Autonomous Rolling Takeoff & Landing: Reconfigured/tuned the autopilot to switch from launch-by-catapult to launch-by-rolling
- **Ground Coverage**: Implemented visualization on the custom ground control station using Python, Javascript, React.js, and Leaflet
- Awards: 1st place fixed-wing autonomous aerial system (UAV) among 40+ teams at the 2018 International AUVSI SUAS Competition

Co-Founder, Executive Director of Operations SecondGen LLC

March 2015 - August 2016

♥ Dallas, TX

- Bootstrapped **teen entrepreneurship organization** with 1000+ members in 5 continents to host events & collaborative projects
- Founding organizer for **IncubateX**, a hackathon organization that held hackathons in 17 cities during summer 2016

PROJECTS - HTTPS://YKATIELI.COM

BigRedNotes

BigRed//Hacks Fall 2017

E September 2017

♀ Ithaca, NY

- Web app that uses Python, Keras, PHP, Microsoft/Twilio/YouTube APIs, and NLTK to parse notes and text users relevant video links
- Awards: Top 10 Project, Most Innovative Project, Best Technical Feat

EDUCATION

B.S. Operations Research (ORIE) Cornell University, College of Engineering

8/2017 - 5/2021

◊ Ithaca, NY

- Minor: Computer Science (CS)
- ORIE Coursework: Optimization I & II, Stochastic Processes, Entrepreneurship, Statistics & Probability I & II, Financial & Managerial Accounting, Practical Tools for Data Science & Machine Learning
- CS Coursework: Data-Driven Web Applications, Databases, Embedded Systems, Digital Logic & Computer Organization, Discrete Structures, Data Structures & Object-Oriented Programming, UNIX Tools & Scripting, Networks I & II, Computing in Python
- MBA Coursework: Digital Marketing

SKILLS

- Product Management: Agile, Notion, Trello, Airtable, Gantt, Slack, Figma, FramerX, Sublime, UX/UI, data analytics
- Programming: Python, SQL, HTML/CSS, R, Javascript, AMPL, Java, C++, C, Assembly, Verilog, Visual Basic
- Frameworks, Technologies, Libraries: Git, LaTeX, React.js, Leaflet, Bootstrap, Docker, GIS, Excel, Word, MacOS, Windows, Linux

LANGUAGES

English Chinese Spanish



ACHIEVEMENTS

- Joan and Irwin Jacobs Scholar Cornell Engineering grant that recognizes 30 students who exemplify potential in leadership academics
- Rewriting the Code Fellow National program for undergraduate women pursuing tech careers (2018-Present)
- 3rd place in the 2019 **Deloitte Cornell Undergraduate Case Competition**

HOBBIES

• Bullet journaling (IG: @katiedocuments), flying drones, minimalism, ice skating