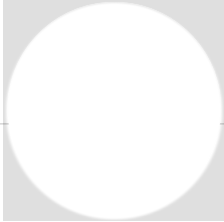


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444 位聯絡人

Specialties: Machine Learning, Simulation Development, Bayesian Statistics, Operations Research, Systems Analysis Current Technical Skills: C++, Python, Scala + Spark Past Technical Skills: Java, Matlab, Perl

## 工作經歷



### Lead Data Scientist

Vectra Networks, Inc.

2017 年 5 月 — 目前 • 1 年 5 個月

Manage the Data Science team at Vectra Networks headquarters in San Jose. Lead efforts in applying sophisticated **artificial intelligence** techniques in the cybersecurity space.



### Sr. Data Scientist

Vectra Networks, Inc.

2014 年 9 月 — 2017 年 5 月 • 2 年 9 個月

Innovate and develop new approaches for algorithms for detecting cybersecurity threats.

Develop new approaches for detecting malicious attacker behavior within customer networks using both **anomaly detection** and **supervised machine learning**. Approaches range from **Bayesian modeling**, various **clustering** techniques, **ensemble tree** methods, to **recurrent neural networks (deep learning)**.

Implement these new algorithms and enhancements to the platform using **C++** and **Python**.

Lead university recruiting effort for new interns or full time hires for positions across the entire engineering organization.

Lead the development of projects for data science interns and mentorship of new hires

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VP, Engineering at Vectra Networks, Inc.

Gregory Lebovitz

Product innovator, strategist, executive

John Burrescia

Assistant Professor Of Military Science at US Army

and interns.

Maintain and support infrastructure and tools utilized by the data science team: code build and test environments, product test environments, aws/cluster support, mongo database backend, s3/ec2 instances. Includes implementing data gathering pipelines (from customers) and analysis solutions in **AWS** and **Databricks/Spark**, the development of debian packaging support for algorithm enhancements, and standing up nodes for deep learning.



### Data Scientist

Vectra Networks, Inc.

2013 年 12 月 — 2014 年 9 月 • 10 個月

Primary task is to innovate and develop new approaches and algorithms for detecting cybersecurity threats.

Research and development of new ideas is performed in **Scala/Spark** operating on top of **Hadoop** using large datasets in **HDFS**.

Implementation of new features and enhancements to the product platform in C++ and Python.



### Research Engineer

Lawrence Livermore National Laboratory

2009 年 6 月 — 2013 年 12 月 • 4 年 7 個月

Developed methods for improving cybersecurity.

Developed simulations for extracting features and inferring potentially illegal activity from vehicle video surveillance. Incorporated a traffic modeling mechanism to develop realistic vehicle movements. Also applied machine learning techniques to studying vehicle turn radius information to discern the difference between a passenger vehicle and a truck.

Developed methods for improving radiation detection algorithms using statistical and machine learning methods. Implemented multiple detection algorithms based upon one or more characteristics of input radiation spectra. Combined radiation detection algorithms using machine learning.

Developed an urban scene simulation environment to test radiation detection algorithms. Simulation environment included radiation transport, variable scene parameters, realistic background radiation features.

Developed method for incorporating ambiguous qualitative data into a decision analysis framework. This method focused on utilizing event trees with prior probabilities combined with a Bayesian updating mechanism to include ambiguous data related to the likelihood of the occurrence of the event.

Validated point-architecture model for threat detection. Connected with local law enforcement officials to collect and verify behavior of sea-borne law enforcement patrols. Modified existing point-architecture model to incorporate new behaviors.



### Teaching Assistant

UCLA

2008 年 3 月 — 2008 年 6 月 • 4 個月

Supervised students in the development of an integrated system. Students were challenged to develop a system that incorporated detection and interpretation of audio and visual cues into an algorithm for two machines playing a physical game of tag.

Prepared the software and testing environment for the challenge.

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教育背景



美國加州大學洛杉磯分校  
PhD, Electrical Engineering  
2004 年 – 2008 年



美國加州大學洛杉磯分校  
MS, Electrical Engineering  
2004 年 – 2005 年



美國加州大學洛杉磯分校  
BS, Electrical Engineering  
2000 年 – 2004 年  
活動和社團： Eta Kappa Nu (Undergraduate Electrical Engineering Honor Society)  
Secretary and VP

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