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EDUCATION

B. Sc., Computer Engineering

Sep. 2014 - Jun. 2019 (Expected)

University of Alberta, Edmonton, Canada

- GPA:3.8/4.0
- Relevant modules: Operation System Concept, Tangible Computing, File and Database management,
 Machine Learning, Parallel Distribution Program, Object Oriented Software Design, Embedded System

COMPUTER RELATED SKILLS

- Python, JavaScript, Java, C, C++, SQLite, HTML, CSS, VHDL, Matlab, Assembly Language
- Skilled in web development and Android application development
- Familiar with databases, including MySQL, PostgreSQL, and Vertica

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Researcher & Developer, Shaw Communications

Jan. 2017 - Dec. 2017

Proactive Network Maintenance (PNM)

- Developed a cable field fault detection application based on CableLabs' PNM documentation
- Optimized the signal clustering method using DBSCAN (density-based spatial clustering of applications with noise) algorithm instead of the origin energy comparison method
- Tested the application in the real world and it was proved to detect 35% (previously 8%) cable issues before the users were impacted.
- Conducted hands-on physical experiments to analyze various cable plants' issues
- Wrote technical documentation for PNM application
- Presented the PNM application to the Vice President and directors

Research Student, University of Alberta, ECE Department

Sep. 2016 – Dec. 2016

House Price Analysis and Prediction

- Utilized LASSO linear regression method to analyze the Edmonton's house prices
- Predicted the house prices with precision as high as 90% compared to market data
- Awarded the Dean's Research Award

Research Student, University of Alberta, ECE Department

May. 2016 - Sep. 2016

Hierarchical Approach to Data-Driven Change Detection and Diagnosis

- Conducted literature review about detection and diagnosis algorithms
- Assisted in the development of an industrial fault detection system sponsored by Honeywell Company
- · Tested the novel fault detection methods using data generated by the Tennessee Eastman model
- Utilized Matlab to make simulation models (i.e. tank systems)
- Wrote Python scripts for real-time fault detection algorithms

Software Developer, City of Edmonton

May. 2018 – Dec. 2018

- Developed six various data visualization applications for transportation and land use analysis
- Implemented a QGIS Python plugin tool for splitting an irregular polygon into equal pieces
- Collaborated with HBA consultants to optimize the entire provincial land use simulation process
- Achieved 10X process speed improvement by designing and developing a Flow Clustering Tool web
 application that involved multi-threading method to conduct weighted K-means algorithm on large dataset
- Managed geometry data on PostgreSQL server

Programming Projects

May. 2016 - Sep. 2018

- Led a team of six to develop Blue Flash, an Android application for fast food delivery
- Developed Compare Accessibility Application to allow city planner optimize transportation
- Created Find Your Home Application to help people identify suitable places to live

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- Built a Travel Zone Dashboard showing future land use simulation result of Edmonton
- Demonstrated various machine learning algorithms on Handwritten Digit Recognition, reaching 91% precision
- Developed a client-server chat program utilizing TCP sockets
- Utilized Arduino, LCD, and a joystick to design Threes a math game, and Gomoku a go game

VOLUNTEER EXPERIENCE

DDF Student Service

Aug. 2015 - May. 2017

- Led a large group of volunteers to welcome newcomers for the University of Alberta welcome event
- Presented Efficient Studying for 150 newcomers at the welcome event
- Organized monthly club events

HONORS & AWARDS

- Dean's Research Award, 2016 2017
- The IEEE Northern Canada Section Scholarship, 2016 2017
- International Student Scholarship, 2015 2016
- Talisman Engineering Undergraduate Scholarship, 2015 2016
- University of Alberta Academic Excellence Scholarship, 2014 2015
- Faculty of Engineering Academic Excellence Scholarship, 2014 2015