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EDUCATION

Emory University	Master of Science, Computer Science	Atlanta 2023.09 – 2025.06
GPA: 3.67/4.0	Merit-based Scholarship, 2023-2025	
Related courses: System Programming, Natural Language Processing, Machine Learning.		
Renmin University of China	Bachelor of Science, Statistics	Beijing 2019.09 – 2023.06
GPA: 3.7/4.0	Scholarship of Academic Excellence, 2019-2021	Scholarship for International Program, 2022
Related courses: Data Structure, Algorithms, Data Science, Databases, Probability, Regression, Optimization.		
University of Edinburgh	Visiting Student	Edinburgh 2022.01 – 2022.05

PROJECT EXPERIENCE

IOS App Development Neword ([link](#))

- Created Neword, an interactive tool with memory card and spelling features for vocabulary memorization.
- Designed the user interface and constructed data structure for word list and dictionary.
- Used SwiftUI framework to implement feature functions, conducted product testing and uploaded to App Store.

System Archiving Program

- Constructed archiving program from scratch to manage file libraries in Unix and Unix-like operating system.
- Implemented system calls to implement key features including archive creation, listing, modification, and file extraction by interacting with directory and system data structures.

Kaggle Multimodal Single-Cell Integration Competition Silver Medal Team (5%)

- Built models to predict gene expression given chromatin accessibility and predict protein levels given gene expression based on high dimensional chromatin data from selective patients.
- Used truncated SVD to conduct dimension reduction on the chromatin accessibility data, trained the DNN model with Optuna for tuning, trained the LightGBM model and ensembled results.

Hidden Markov Model for part-of-speech tagging

- Used labelled sentences in Brown corpus to approximate the frequency distribution for words and POS tags.
 - Constructed Emission and Transition models for word-to-word and word-to-POS probability distribution.
- Used the Viterbi algorithm to predict the word class annotation given the sentence.

RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

Predicting Economic Development Using Deep Learning

Beijing | 2021.10 – 2022.01

Computer Vision Group at Renmin University/Research Assistant

- Participated in constructing VGG model for extracting high-dimensional feature vectors from remote sensing images, providing cluster information for economic development.
- Participated in constructing ResNet18 model for predicting economic development level through remote sensing images.

SKILLS

- **Language:** Chinese(native), English(fluent).
- **Programming and Software:** Python, C#, C++, Swift, SQL, R, MATLAB.