# Zequn Yu

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#### **EDUCATION**

- JAN.19 MSc Computer Science, University of Southern California (USC) ♥ Los Angeles
- Present Expected to graduate in December 2020
- JUN.14 BSc Computer Science, University of Nottingham (UoN) ♥ Ningbo-Nottingham
- SEPT.18 First Class Honours GPA: 3.93/4 Advanced courses: Haskell, Machine Learning

#### TECHNICAL SKILLS

PROGRAMMING Python, JavaScript (React), HTML/CSS, Java, C++, Haskell, MongoDB, MySQL

OTHERS LaTeX, Markdown, Prezi, Pixelmator

### PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

- MAY.19 | Student Worker, USC Robotic Embedded Systems Lab ♥ Los Angeles
- Present | garage: a framework for reproducible reinforcement learning (RL) research

Refactoring and maintaining the open-sourced RL toolkit project *garage* • Participating in coverage test and peer code review • Experiencing state-of-art RL algorithms

- JUN.18 Software engineer, WorthNote Co., Ltd. 

  Shanghai
- Nov.18 Data Mining of Chinese Student Applying for Foreign University

Collected and performed 400,000+ graduate application data records using Python Scrapy, Pandas and MongoDB • Developed GUI analysis tool using PyQt5 • Experienced hosting back-end server (REST API) using Flask, Gunicorn and Nginx

- AUG.17 Software intern, Chinese Academy of Sciences ♥ Beijing
- OCT.17 | Snowball: Facial Action Unit (AU) Detection

Worked at Key Lab of Intelligent Information Processing with *Prof. Shiguang Shan* • Implemented end-to-end framework for AU detection with Large-scale unlabelled data in semi-supervised learning • Experimented *Caffe* framework in C++ and Python

## **PROJECTS**

- Oct.17 Research intern, UoN Mixed Reality Lab ♥ Nottingham
- MAY.18 | Workload and Facial Expression Linkage Analysis | Advisor: Dr. Max Wilson

Undergraduate dissertation: analysed facial Action Units under different levels of mental workload • Used fNIRS brain scanner to evaluate workload • Built PyQt5 software for HCI experience • Analysed the result using multiple Machine Learning models

- SEPT.16 Software developer, UoN & Atos UK Limited ♥ Nottingham
- MAY.17 | Travel Dashboard | Advisor: Prof. Natasa Milic-Frayling

  Built user management dashboard and Excel analysis tool for Atos Developed desk

Built user management dashboard and Excel analysis tool for *Atos* • Developed desktop GUI software using JavaFx and MySQL • Won 'The Best Software Quality' of the year in CS school