# Marvin Zhang

#### **Education**

University of California, Berkeley / Computer Science Major & Music Minor / 2012 - 2016 (expected) / GPA: 4.0

#### Selected Coursework (Completed / In Progress):

Operating Systems and System Programming (CS 162) Efficient Algorithms and Intractable Problems (CS 170) Introduction to Artificial Intelligence (CS 188) Advanced Robotics (CS 287) Programming Languages and Compilers (CS 164) Probability and Random Processes (EE 126) Introduction to Machine Learning (CS 189) Deep Reinforcement Learning (CS 294-112)

#### Skills

**Libraries & Frameworks:** SciPy, Django, ZMQ, Google Cloud Platform **Tools & IDEs:** Git, Vim, Eclipse, PyCharm **Languages** (Proficient *I Familiar*): Python, Java, Matlab, *LaTeX*, *SQL*, *HTML/CSS/JS* **OSs:** OS X, Unix, Linux

### Research Experience

#### Research Apprentice, UC Berkeley Robot Learning Lab

Working primarily with Professor Pieter Abbeel and post-doctoral researcher Sergey Levine. Currently involved with several projects focusing on guided policy search and recurrent neural networks.

#### **Publications:**

Marvin Zhang, Zoe McCarthy, Chelsea Finn, Sergey Levine, Pieter Abbeel. **Learning Deep Neural Network Policies with Continuous Memory States**. *arXiv* 1507.01273. 2015.

# Work Experience

#### CS 188 Undergraduate Student Instructor, UC Berkeley (August 2015 - present)

Currently a Teaching Assistant for CS 188, Introduction to Artificial Intelligence. Duties include teaching sections, holding office hours, and writing and developing course materials.

#### CS 61A Undergraduate Student Instructor, UC Berkeley (January 2014 - May 2015)

Formerly a Teaching Assistant for CS 61A, Structure and Interpretation of Computer Programs, for three semesters. CS 61A is the introductory computer science course at UC Berkeley.

#### Engineering Intern, Prism Skylabs (June - August 2013)

Interned at Prism Skylabs, an SF-based startup working on computer vision and video imagery analysis. Primary project was complete overhaul (backend and frontend) of one of their web apps, the iDashboard.

# Projects

#### parRL (github.com/zhangmarvin/parRL)

Framework for parallelizing reinforcement learning algorithms. Developed with PhD student John Schulman and Professor Pieter Abbeel in the UC Berkeley RLL.

#### **Yelp Maps** (cs61a.org/proj/maps)

Project written for CS 61A to introduce students to introductory topics in machine learning. Developed with fellow Teaching Assistant Brian Hou and Instructor John DeNero.

# Leadership, Awards, & Honors

Undergraduate Research Apprentice Program Summer Stipend Award Upsilon Pi Epsilon, Computer Science Honor Society UC Berkeley Letters and Science Dean's Honor List President, The Music Connection at UC Berkeley

May 2015 - August 2015 December 2013 - present December 2012 - present May 2014 - May 2015