

# ZIYUAN SHEN

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## EDUCATION

### Duke University

August 2018 - May 2020

Master of Science, Electrical and Computer Engineering

**Overall GPA:** 3.97/4.00

**Data&ML coursework:** Statistical Programming (R); Deep Learning; Machine Learning; Vector Space Methods, etc;

**EE coursework:** Software Design; CMOS VLSI Design; Computer Systems and Engineering;

### Southeast University

September 2014 - June 2018

Bachelor of Engineering, Information Science and Engineering

**Overall GPA:** 3.72/4.00

**Programming coursework:** Fundamentals of Computer Science (C++ Programming); Data Structures;

**EE coursework:** Computer Arch.&Logic Design; Digital Circuits; Analog Circuits; Signal Processing; Automatic Control, etc

## TECHNICAL STRENGTHS

<b>Computer Languages</b>	Python, Java, C++, SQL, R, Shell Scripting, AWK, Markdown, HTML/CSS
<b>Database&amp;Visualization</b>	PostgreSQL, SQLite, MySQL, MongoDB, Pandas, Matplotlib, Seaborn, ggplot
<b>Other Tools</b>	AWS, Scikit-Learn, TensorFlow, Keras, PyTorch, NumPy, Git, Vim, Make

## EXPERIENCE

### Duke Institute for Health Innovation

May 2019 - May 2020

*Data Scientist Intern*

*Durham, NC, United States*

- Development Language: Python, SQL, Shell Scripting (Github)
- Predict patients' deterioration (ICU admission, mortality, etc) in real time and ultimately standardize response protocols.
- Manipulate large-scale (1 TB data & over 200k encounters) hospital data (cleaning, visualization, quality assurance, etc).
- Build model achieving average precision 7 times better than the baseline model, which is currently in use in Duke Hospital.

### National Mobile Communications Research Laboratory

March 2015 - June 2018

*Research Assistant*

*Nanjing, Jiangsu, China*

- Achievements: 7 publications (4 **first-author** publications) and 3 patents. (Development tool: Mathematica)
- Conduct DNA programming research for computing Deep Neural Network, Markov chains and digital logic.

## PROJECTS & PUBLICATIONS

### Recent Research & Projects

Machine Learning, Data Analytics, App Design

#### Medical Outcomes Prediction:

- Predict time-series medication administration (Github) and hospital readmission (Github) using MIMICIII Dataset.
- Classify breast cancer subtypes using Breast Cancer Wisconsin Dataset and achieve AUC of up to 0.993 (Github).
- Utilized: Python, PostgreSQL, SQLite, Keras, LSTM, Scikit-Learn, PCA, T-SNE, Matplotlib

#### Image Analysis and Classification:

- Open Source Contribution: add SPIE-AAPM-NCI breast cancer whole slide image dataset to TensorFlow datasets (Github).
- Implement Squeeze and Excitation network to classify Oxford Pet and Cifar10 datasets (Github).
- Utilized: Python, TensorFlow, CNN

#### Web Scraping & App Design:

- Design web applications that serves as Central News Hub (Github) and NBA Statistic Hub (Github).
- Utilized: R, HTML/CSS, JavaScript, R Shiny, ggplot, GNU Make

### Recent Publications

Machine Learning, Molecular Programming

- S. Skove, H. Shi, **Z. Shen**, M. Gao, M. Cui, and M. Nichols, S. Balu, A. Bedoya, "Development of Machine Learning Model to Predict Risk of Inpatient Deterioration," in *2020 Machine Learning for Healthcare (MLHC)*, Apr 2020.
- C. Zhang, **Z. Shen**, W. Wei, J. Zhao, Z. Zhang, and X. You, "Molecular computing for markov chains," *Natural Computing*, Apr 2019. (**Equal contribution with first author**) <https://doi.org/10.1007/s11047-019-09736-8>
- **Z. Shen**, L. Ge, W. Wei, J. Zhao, Z. Zhang, X. You, and C. Zhang, "Molecular synthesis for probability theory and stochastic process," *Journal of Signal Processing Systems*, vol. 90, no. 10, pp. 1479-1494, Oct 2018. <https://doi.org/10.1007/s11265-017-1318-7>