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EDUCATION

Carnegie Mellon University Silicon Valley

Master of Science in Electrical and Computer Engineering

Courses: Foundations of Computer Systems, Engineering Safe Software Systems, Foundations of Privacy

The University of Hong Kong (Major GPA: 3.6/4.3)

Master of Science in Computer Science

Courses: Data Mining, Visualization & Visual Analytics, Smart Phone Apps Development

Nankai University (Major GPA 3.8/4.0)Tianjin, ChinaBachelor of Engineering in Software Engineering09/2012 - 06/2016

Courses: Data Structure and Algorithm Design, Object-oriented Software Methodology, Operating System

WORK EXPERIENCE

Online UW Tester

Home Credit Consumer Finance China

Tianjin, China 11/2016 - 07/2017

• Collaborated with IT teams to test and deploy 10+ auto-evaluation modules for online loan applying systems.

- Monitored daily loan default rate based on personal data and credit records obtained from Oracle SQL.
- Upgraded risk prediction model by adding new strategies, achieved 10% accuracy improvement with Python.

ChinaSoft International Ltd

Tianjin, China

06/2014 - 09/2014

Java Software Engineer Intern

- Worked on a team of 4 to build a social networking website & Android app helping people find sports partners.
- Completed 12,000 + lines of Java code to perform 40+ functions including add friends, chat online, search info.
- Modeled a database schema, established the database with MySQL, applied JDBC to connect MySQL.
- Implemented front-end in HTML5, CSS, JSP and back-end server using Spring MVC framework in J2EE.

SELECTED PROJECTS

Model Extraction Attacks Against Machine Learning Models

Mountain View, CA 09/2019 - Present

Carnegie Mellon Silicon Valley

- Worked on a team of 2 to construct a simulated Machine Learning-as-a-Service platform in Python.
- Utilized 4 datasets to train SVM and Convolutional Neural Network classifiers with PyTorch.
- Performed attacks on classifiers by extracting model parameters and hyper-parameters.
- Evaluated the attacks based on monetary value, time value, and explored responding countermeasures.

Investment Recommendation System

Hong Kong, China

Graduate Dissertation, The University of Hong Kong

09/2018 - 05/2019

- Implemented a futures recommendation system with Scikit-Learn library and SVM algorithm in Python.
- Extracted futures Twitter keywords with TF-IDF algorithm, built a Twitter sentiment analyzer using NLTK.
- Increased system profitability by 36% based on 10-year daily price data and 56,000 tweets.

Data Visualizations for Food Culture

Hong Kong, China

The University of Hong Kong

02/2018 - 05/2018

- Led a team of 3 to develop a data visualization web exploring U.S. food culture based on Yelp & USDA datasets.
- Applied Tableau and D3.js to interpret textual, temporal, geospatial, multivariate and hierarchical data.
- Got A+ (Top 2% of the class). Web link: http://adinazhu.com/websites/Food-Culture-Website/index.html.

Business Intelligence System

Tianjin, China

Undergraduate Dissertation, Nankai University

12/2015 - 05/2016

- Created a web-based BI system to extract association rules from FoodMart dataset in Java.
- Built a multidimensional data visualization tool using D3.js, JSON, designed a data warehouse supporting OLAP.
- Developed front-end in HTML, JSP, and back-end with SQL Server, J2EE, Spring MVC framework.

SKILLS

Frameworks & Tools: Docker, Linux, Git; Scikit-Learn, PyTorch; Tableau, D3.js; Spring MVC, MySQL Programming Language: (Proficient) Python, Java; (Familiar) C++, C, JavaScript, HTML, CSS