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EDUCATION

CORNELL UNIVERSITY

BA IN COMPUTER SCIENCE

BA IN MATHEMATICS

Expected May 2020 | Ithaca, NY

COURSEWORK

(*) are in progress.

GRADUATE/PHD

CS6110: Programming Languages

CS6113: Language Based Security

CS6120: Advanced Compilers (*)

CS6820: Advanced Algorithms (*)

CS6840: Algorithmic Game Theory

ORIE6741: Bayesian ML

UNDERGRADUATE

CS4780: Machine Learning

CS4775: Computational Genomics

CS4410: Operating Systems

CS4120: Compilers + Practicum

MATH2230/2240: Honors Linear Algebra

& Multivariable Calculus

MATH4130: Honors Analysis

ONLINE

Stanford CS231n

Coursera: Machine Learning

SKILLS

LANGUAGES

Python • Typescript • OCaml • C++ •

Rust • Javascript • Java • Elixir • SQL •

LaTeX • Flow

TECHNOLOGIES

PyTorch • Tensorflow • GraphQL • React

• VSCode API • Node.js • PostgreSQL •

Menhir

DEVELOPMENT TOOLS

Visual Studio Code • Vim/Neovim • Git •

Mercurial

SPECIALTIES

Software Architecture • Deep Learning •

Programming Languages / Compilers

EXPERIENCE

FACEBOOK | PYTORCH INTERN

June 2019 – August 2019 | Menlo Park, CA

- Worked on the Torchscript/JIT team, for bringing PyTorch to production.
- Designed and implemented custom class binding into Torchscript ala Pybind11.
- Worked on FAIR SysML group on learning to schedule Halide pipelines for high performance image processing and deep learning. Contributed key improvements that lowered eval error from 70% to 16%.
- Improved compilation times for Torchscript models by 40%.

GOOGLE | SOFTWARE ENGINEERING INTERN

June 2018 – August 2018 | Mountain View, CA

- Rewrote entire SQLx compiler (which compiles to GoogleSQL), to comply with standard compiler design and allow for greater extensibility. Used daily by entire team in production.

FACEBOOK | SOFTWARE ENGINEERING INTERN

June 2017 – August 2017 | Menlo Park, CA

- Created third party project metadata database with dependency analysis, allowing for easy analysis of third party projects for CVE's and dead code.
- Found and implemented an algorithm from research paper for estimating transitive closures, achieving >20x speedup.
- Started project for remote editing in VSCode (now a full project at Facebook).

VSCODEVIM | CORE MAINTAINER/DEVELOPER

March 2017 – Current | Github

- VsCodeVim is the most popular vim emulation plugin for VSCode, with over 8M downloads and 6000+ stars on Github.
- Fixed/added hundreds of issues/features

CU VISION AND LEARNING | FOUNDER/CO-PRESIDENT

2018 - Current

- Founded club to promote undergraduate research in machine learning and vision. In collaboration with Facebook Artificial Intelligence.

AWARDS

2019 International ICPC World Finalist

2019 1st ICPC Greater New York Region Winner

2019 National CRA Outstanding Undergraduate Research Honorable Mention

PUBLICATIONS

- [1] D. Geisler, I. Yoon, H. He, and A. Sampson. Geometry types for graphics programming. Programming Language Design and Implementation (Under Review), 2019.
- [2] H. He. State of machine learning frameworks in 2019. The Gradient, Oct 2019.
- [3] H. He*, Q. Huang*, Z. Gu*, I. Katsman*, S. J. Belongie, and S.-N. Lim. Intermediate level adversarial attack for enhanced transferability. International Conference of Computer Vision, 2019.
- [4] H. He, A. Lou, Q. Jiang, I. Katsman, P. Pawakapan, S. Belongie, and S.-N. Lim. Adversarial example decomposition. International Conference on Machine Learning, Workshop on Security and Privacy in Machine Learning 2019, 2018.

(*) equal contribution