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EDUCATION

Michigan State University

East Lansing, MI

Master of Science, Computer Science

May 2019

Bachelor of Science, Computer Science - GPA 3.68/4.00

Dec 2017

EXPERIENCE

Michigan State Department of Media and Information

East Lansing, MI

Data Science Research Assistant

Aug 2018 - Present

- Prototyping a tool to aid non-technical individuals in understanding online privacy and data collection

Blue Medora

Grand Rapids, MI

Software Engineering Intern

May 2018 - Aug 2018

- Worked on a team to manage backend cloud architecture environment for an enterprise monitoring tool
- Utilized machine learning techniques to identify and group similar resource types for monitoring

Michigan State Computer Science and Engineering

East Lansing, MI

Teaching Assistant for CSE 422, Computer Networks

Jan 2018 - May 2018

- Wrote and implemented socket programming hangman game for students to learn TCP/UDP programming

Teaching Assistant for CSE 231, Intro to Programming (Python)

Aug 2016 - Dec 2017

- Facilitated weekly lab sessions for students focusing on learning basic programming concepts

Humana

Louisville, KY

Applications Engineering Intern

May 2017 - Oct 2017

- Created a predictive model with PySpark to classify members based on use of Humana's digital resources
- Built and published a Nuget package in .NET to aggregate multiple data visualizations into a cohesive view

Michigan State University

East Lansing, MI

Resident Assistant (RA)

Jan 2015 - May 2016

- Served as a resource for residents and provided necessary information for their success as students
- Engaged with a team of RAs to ensure a safe and inclusive community for all residents

PROJECTS

Yelp Review Prediction

Built and tested models to predict the star value of a given Yelp review. Set up Jupyter Notebook server using AWS for most effective collaboration with teammates. Built with Python and sci-kit learn.

Dash Pictures

Hacked Amazon Dash Button to use as a remote shutter button for an iPhone camera. Built with Python and a jailbroken iPhone.

TechSmith Director (Senior Design)

Web application with a user friendly interface for creating video projects using voice input. Built with .NET Core MVC and leveraged Microsoft Cognitive Services for voice input and natural language processing.