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+ summary

I have a PhD in Applied Mathematics and also won a prestigious EPSRC doctoral prize. I have strong knowledge of Linear Algebra, Multi-variate Calculus, Advanced Statistics and Deep Learning. I'm always learning and expanding my expertise. More than this, however, and owing to my 8 years experience as a Senior Python Developer, I also bring the ability to write scalable, well-tested, production-ready and clean Pythonic code. Plus battle-tested expertise across the Python ecosystem and its various libraries and frameworks. I'm very familiar with Tensorflow, PyTorch, NumPy, Pandas, Scikit-Learn, Django, Flask, Scrapy, REST APIs and more. I've worked on apps with tens of thousands of users as the lead developer, and am comfortable with cloud technologies such as

+ employment

Marcel For Art

Remote 2018 to 2022

Developed from zero the backend API for a mobile-first marketplace growing to over 70k users. Marcel allows artists to get discovered and sell their art Tech stack: Python, Django REST API, AWS, Lambdas, Memcached, Sentry Monitoring, SSO, unit testing and circleCI, Elasticsearch, Postgres, ML feed via AWS Personalize

Northshore Automation 2019 to 2020

Backend development of middleware, custom programming, and scripting for a Media Asset Management system. Using Celery, Python, Flask,

Mongodb, Docker, Tickerface 2018 to 2019

Developed the DRF API for a mobile social-shopping application, and helped showcase it in Lisbon WebSummit 2018.

Fynnricing Remote, UK 2015 to 2018

Developed a Django UI that allowed visual training of "smart" scraping bots, email alerting, scheduling. Large scale parallel scraping and cleaning/wrangling of huge datasets, along with ban avoidance techniques

Tech: Django, Extensive use and heavy customisation of Scrapy, SQL, Celery, Redis, Selenium, MySQL

Clandestine Brewing Remote, US 2014 to 2015

Developed a Django based website for a Californian microbrewery



Universitas 21

Funding for month-long visit to the University of British Columbia

2013 FPSRC · Doctoral Prize The EPSRC Doctoral Prize is a prestigious scheme aimed at developing the very best (top 15%) EPSRC funded students beyond the end of their PhD

University of Manchester - Platt Prize

Awarded for outstanding achievement in a Master's degree

publications

- Static detectors and circular-geodesic detectors on the Schwarzschild black hole Physical Review D · May 1, 2014
- Unruh-DeWitt detector response along static and circular-geodesic trajectories for Schwarzschild-anti-de Sitter black holes Physical Review D Mar 9, 2014
- Unruh-DeWitt detector on the BTZ black hole Relativity and Gravitation Jan 1, 2014
- Static, stationary, and inertial Unruh-DeWitt detectors on the BTZ black hole Physical Review D · Sep 18, 2012
- How often does the Unruh-DeWitt detector click beyond four dimensions? Journal of mathematical physics · Jun 8, 2012
- Reinstating theno-lose'theorem for NMSSM Higgs discovery at the LHC Journal of High Energy Physics

See more here

https://scholar.google.com/citations?hl=en&user=OyS2UFYAAAAJ

+ education

University of Nottingham PhD Annlied Mathematics 2013 Sept. 2009 to June 2013

Sent 2003 to July 2007

University of Manchester MPhys Physics 2007

2021 to 2021

MIT edX Fundamentals of Statistics 2021

Coursera

Tensorflow developer professional certificate

Deep learning specialization

Machine learning

Ildacity

Nanodegree Data Scientist

Nanodegree AI For Trading

Nanodegree Kotlin Android Developer



Exploring the use of Long-short term memory (LSTM) neural networks in predicting the price of the cryptocurrency Bitcoin and a frontend Django app to display in a dashboard

Collaborative Filtering IRM Watson Articles

This project was part of the Data Science Nano-Degree from Udacity. The purpose of this project is to showcase an example of a recommender engine that utilizes different approaches (e.g. Knowledge Based, Content Based, and Collaborative Filtering Based) for recommendations.

The approach utilized in the Collaborative Filtering approach here uses the Singular Value

Decomposition (SVD) approach on simplified user-item interaction data

Starbucks Advert Targeting

Train Logistic Regression and XGBoost models to make predictions about if a user would likely respond to a promotion.

Worldbank Flask App

This app uses Bootstrap, Jquery, Flask and Plotly to display some data from the Worldbank It was completed as part of the Udacity Data-science Nanodegree

Applying Data Science technique to explore COVID-19 data. The data will be obtained from Our World In Data, a scientific online publication whose research team is based at the University of Oxford and focuses on large global problems.

SOFTWARE

Car Detection with YOLO

Part of the Coursera Deep Learning Specialization

Jazz Improvisation with LSTMs

Part of the Coursera Deep Learning Specialization

skills

LEARNING	DEVELOPMEN
Tensorflow	Python
PyTorch	Django
CNNs LSTMs	Django Rest Framework
NLP	Scrapy Postgres
Hypothesis Testing	MongoDB
Bayesian	ORMs
Inference	REST APIs
PCA	PyTest
NumPy	Unit Testing
Web scraping	Git
Data wrangling	Kotlin
ETL Pipelines	iQuery
NumPy	HTML
Scikit-Learn	CSS
Decision Trees	Node.js
Random Forests	(++
Funk SVD	MySQL
Collaborative	Redis
Filtering	
XGBoost	Celery

CLOUD AND DEVOPS AWS RDS AWS Elasticsearch Elasticbeanstalk Heroku

AWS S3 AWS Lambdas Cloudfront AWS Personalize EC2 Linux Docker

Ansible