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SKILLS

PROGRAMMING: (Proficient) Python, C++, bash, SQL

(Basic) Javascript

SOFTWARE/TOOLS: (Proficient) Linux/Unix, PyTorch, Detectron2, git, CI, pandas, scikit-learn, numpy, scipy

(Basic) Tensorflow, jekyll, flask, gunicorn, nginx, ROOT, LATEX

OTHER: Computer vision, NLP, machine learning/AI, hypothesis testing, statistics,

regression analysis, experimental design, web scraping, blockchain, physics

LANGUAGES: Fluent in English and Italian

EXPERIENCE

APR. 2019 -Present

Senior AI Research Engineer - Augustus Intelligence, New York City, NY

- \bullet Researcher in fine-grain, few-shot computer vision models. Developed classifiers that could learn novel categories with 1 to 5 examples. Workshop paper accepted at CVPR 2020.
- Used PyTorch to develop, train, and test object detection and segmentation models to label retail products and people.
- Built and maintained GPU deep learning workstations for the AI team.

Aug. 2018 -Apr. 2019

Co-Founder & Tech Lead @ Endjinn - ConsenSys, Brooklyn, NY

• Led the development of back-office role automation agents at Endjinn, the AI group within the Ethereum venture studio Consensys. Created a medical insurance claims agent that automatically read forms with OCR, processed the text, caught errors, and adjusted claims.

Jan. 2017 -Jan. 2018

Data Acquisition Operations Coordinator - CERN, Geneva, Switzerland

- Led a team of five physicists in the on-line monitoring and repair of the TRT, a particle tracker and electron identification subdetector in the ATLAS detector.
- Migrated the codebase to git and CMake and implemented CI in GitLab for automatic testing and deployment. Developed a documentation system for the subdetector on the web with Jekyll.
- Developed a C++ program to access an SQL database of weekly detector threshold readings and automatically detect and fix the threshold errors due to radiation damage.

Aug. 2013 -Nov. 2018

Graduate Research Assistant - University of Pennsylvania, Philadelphia, PA

- Helped develop a C++/Python end-to-end framework (30k+ lines) for cleaning, transforming, analyzing, and visualizing terabytes of data and Monte Carlo simulations using distributed HPC.
- Formulated and optimized a filter in C++ to reduce the stream of data from the Large Hadron Collider by 99.97% while still saving 99.5% of the desired signal for the analysis.
- Implemented maximum likelihood methods with hundreds of systematic uncertainties to measure how often a Higgs boson was produced in the LHC, published in Physics Review Letters.

PROJECTS/OTHER

Jan. 2018 -May 2018 1517 fellow ($ar\chi ain$): Co-founded and developed an open-access, decentralized scientific journal on the Ethereum blockchain to disrupt the scientific publishing industry. Won **Best Blockchain Hack** and **Most Promising Hack** at *PennApps XVII* Hackathon in Philadelphia. Used the Ethereum blockchain as the ledger and IPFS as the distributed server. www.devpost.com/software/arxain

EDUCATION

Aug. 2013 -	Ph.D in Elementary Particle Physics, (M.S. in 2015)

Nov. 2018 University of Pennsylvania, Philadelphia, PA

SEP. 2008 - B.S. in Physics (Intensive),

May 2012 Yale University, New Haven, CT