

RONALD KWAN

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Main Tools Python, JavaScript, R, SQL, L^AT_EX

EDUCATION

UC Berkeley (Berkeley, CA) *Graduated: 05/2016*
B.A. Computer Science, Mathematics, and Statistics *GPA: 3.66 (cumulative), 3.91 (CS)*
Select Technical Coursework *1xx: upper division, 2xx: graduate.*
CS Core Data Structures & Algorithms (CS 61B/170/270), Operating Systems (CS 162), Databases (CS 186)
AI & ML Artificial Intelligence (CS 188), Machine Learning (CS 189, Stat C241A), Optimization (EE 127)
Statistics Statistical Computing (Stat 133), Probability & Statistics (Stat 134/135), Linear Models (Stat 151A)

WORK EXPERIENCE

PrepScholar (Cambridge, MA) **Full Stack Engineer** *09/2016 – present*
Feature development and maintenance for Django and Backbone apps backed by MySQL. *Python, JS, SQL*
Qualcomm Inc. (Boulder, CO) **Engineering Intern** *06/2013 – 08/2013*
Furthered adoption of OS libraries by replacing hardcoded settings with configuration files. *C*
Sandia National Labs (Livermore, CA) **Technical Intern** *06/2012 – 08/2012*
Ensured data integrity and authenticity by adding digital signatures to simulation software. *Java*

BERKELEY MATH TOURNAMENT

Berkeley Math Tournament (BMT) **Technology Consultant** *09/2012 – present*
Lead software developer for biannual K-12 math contests attracting 350-500+ students/year.

Projects

Atomic Grader <http://atomicgrader.com> *12/2015 – present*
Parallelizes exam grading by splitting scanned exams into “atomic” problem answers. *Python, JS (React)*
BMT Web App Suite <http://bmt.berkeley.edu> *09/2012 – present*
Tools for math contests: registration (public) and problem writing/grading (staff). *Python (Django)*

DATA JOURNALISM

The Daily Californian (DC) **Projects Developer** *09/2015 – 05/2016*
Data analysis/visualization and web development for the UC Berkeley student newspaper.

Projects

Grade Distributions (DC) <http://projects.dailycal.org/grades> *09/2015 – 11/2015*
Data visualization for comparing average grades between departments and disciplines. *Python, JS*
Admissions Trends (Blog) <http://rkwan.me/blog/ucb-eeecs-lscs-admissions> *07/2015*
Investigation of admissions trends for EECS and CS freshman applicants to UC Berkeley. *Python, R*

ACADEMIC RESEARCH

UC Berkeley (Berkeley, CA) *Supervisor: Tom Griffiths* *01/2015 – 12/2015*
Models & simulations of optimistic/pessimistic AI agents in Markov decision processes. *Python (NumPy)*
Carnegie Mellon University (Pittsburgh, PA) *Supervisor: Cosma Shalizi* *05/2015 – 07/2015*
Detecting activity clusters in fMRI brain images with machine learning & network analysis. *Python (NumPy)*
Georgia State University (Atlanta, GA) *Supervisor: Robert Harrison* *05/2014 – 07/2014*
Development of an ensemble classification algorithm with multiobjective optimization. *Python (NumPy)*