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SKILLS

Tools and technologies

Python, SQL, C, MATLAB, Assembly Language, Bash Scripting, Linux, Docker, Power BI, Seaborn, R Programming Language, scikit-learn, Numpy, Pandas, Scipy, TensorFlow, Keras, PyTorch, Matplotlib, Selenium, Git, LaTeX Typesetting, AutoCAD, SolidWorks, ANSYS, OriginLab, Database, Data Mining, Distributed Network Operating Systems, SQL, XML, Bootstrap, Hibernate, NoSQL, MongoDB, JSON, Content Delivery Network (CDN), Apache Web Server, Amazon Web Services (AWS), Microsoft Azure, RIPE Atlas, Google Cloud, Cloudflare, Amazon CloudFront, Microsoft SQL server, Flask, Django, Spark, FastAPI, Azure DevOps, CI/CD, Folium, ArcGIS, Spring Framework, Kafka

Industry Knowledge

Machine Learning, Artificial Intelligence (AI), Data Science, Deep Learning, Big Data, Statistics, Cybersecurity, Network Security, Data Analysis, Computer Networking, Cloud Computing, REST API, GraphQL, API design, Agile, Scrum, Test automation

EXPERIENCE

Data Scientist Dec 2022 — Current

Expatiate Communications

Pasadena, CA

- · Streamlined data management operations by devising automation programs for data downloading, cleaning, processing, and prediction
- Pioneered a school matching program to empower parents in making informed school selections
- Innovated an IEP compliance projection program, enabling educators to effectively track and enhance student progress
- Engineered a student service projection program, bolstering service providers' ability to monitor delivery outcomes
- Addressed a critical operational challenge by devising a program to track missing students in the roster
- · Leveraged data mining technologies for automated data extraction from diverse sources, enhancing data availability and accuracy
- · Seamlessly assumed responsibilities of the outgoing data scientist, ensuring continuity and timely project delivery
- Optimized data prediction models and rectified PowerBI dashboards using advanced machine learning techniques, improving data visualization and insight generation
- Fostered a supportive work environment through the provision of technical support and training to a new team member, facilitating their quick integration
- Demonstrated adaptability by successfully taking on diverse roles and responsibilities within the organization

Teaching Assistant/Lecturer

Sep 2016 — Dec 2022

University of Delaware, ECE and CS Department

Newark, DE

Research Assistant/Project Leader

Sep 2015 — Dec 2022

University of Delaware

Newark, DE

Project Leader: Detect and Analyze Vulnerable Transparent Proxies

Jul 2020 — Dec 2022

University of Delaware, Collaborate with ODU and Virginia Tech

Newark, DE

- Develop a new method to identify steady transparent proxies
- Characterize of transparent proxies from various aspects
- Identify security problems among transparent proxies including cache poisoning and CPDoS attacks
- Tools: Python, Bash, API, HTTP, ProxyRack

90% accuracy in detecting anycast prefixes

Project Leader: Understanding Open Proxy Ecosystem

Jan 2019 — Jul 2020

University of Delaware, Collaborate with ODU and Virginia Tech

Newark, DE

- Conduct the largest-scale study on over 436,000 identified proxies, including 104,000 responsive proxies in 9 months
- Identify that 7.17% of responsive proxies modify the page content, and 76.42% of those content modifying proxies perform malicious actions
- Perform the first analysis two particular groups of open proxies—cloud-based proxies and long-term proxies
- Tools: Python, Bash, Web crawler, API, HTML, Ping, TraceRoute, Curl

Project Leader: Passive Analysis of Anycast in Global Routing: Unintended Impact of Remote Peering

Jul 2017 — Jan 2019

Newark, DE

- University of Delaware, Collaborate with UCSD CAIDA Invent an alternative approach to characterize anycast based on previously collected global BGP routing information and achieved
- Prove that anycast routing has been entangled with the increased adoption of remote peering and observed that at least 19.2% of anycast prefixes have been potentially impacted
- Tools: Python, Bash, BGP, RIPE Atlas, RouteViews, BGPStream, machine learning, routing, TraceRoute, Ping

Project Leader: Revisiting the Cloud Network Management on Amazon EC2

Sep 2015 — Dec 2015 University of Delaware Newark, DE

Study on Amazon AWS EC2 to explore how the instances communicate within EC2 and with the internet outside the EC2

- Confirm that Amazon EC2 enhanced security management including hiding routing information, isolating DNS servers and set VPC as default configurations
- Tools: Python, AWS, Bash, Nmap, Zmap, Ping, TraceRoute, Microsoft Office

Software Engineer Intern

June 2021 — Sep 2021

EPS Online INC

Newark, DE

- Build an Inventory Management Software by Python and MySQL
- Enhance the efficiency and security of software and deploy this Software in AWS
- Tools: Python, AWS, Bash, MySQL

Project Leader: Ultralong Focal Length Microlens array Fabricated Based on SU-8 Photoresist University of Science and Technology of China

Sep 2012 — Jun 2015 Hefei, Anhui, China

- Propose a novel method to fabricate ultralong focal length microlens arrays based on SU-8 photoresist
- · Study and Validate the formation mechanism by simulation based on the Finite Element Method
- Publish a patent and paper
- Tools: Matlab, C, ANSYS, Surface Evolver, Finite element Method, Photolithography, OriginLab

Project: Reconstruction of Limited-angle and Few-view Nano-CT Image via TV Iterative Reconstruction University of Science and Technology of China

Sep 2011 — Sep 2013 Hefei, Anhui, China

· Acquire nano-CT images with high quality by using conventional Fourier reconstruction methods based on limited-angle or few-view projections and utilize the total variation (TV) iterative reconstruction to carry out numerical images and nano-CT image reconstruction with limited-angle and few-view data

• Tools: Matlab, C, OriginLab, Image Processing, Microsoft Office

Project Leader: Research of CT reconstruction FBP Algorithm based on Compressive Sensing University of Science and Technology of China

Sep 2011 — Sep 2012 Hefei, Anhui, China

- Utilize Compressing Sensing technology to enhance CT reconstruction Filtered Back-Projection (FBP) Algorithm
- · Tools: Matlab, C, OriginLab, Image Processing, Compressive sensing, Microsoft Office

Intern

Jul 2011 — Sep 2011

Institute of Optics, Fine Mechanics and Physics, Chinese Academy of Sciences

Changchun, Jilin, China

PUBLICATIONS

- 1. Bian, R. et al. Silent Observers Make a Difference: A Large-scale Analysis of Transparent Middlebox in the Internet. Under review.
- Bian, R. et al. Shining a light on dark places: A comprehensive analysis of open proxy ecosystem. Computer Networks (2022).
- Bian, R. et al. Towards passive analysis of anycast in global routing: Unintended impact of remote peering. ACM SIGCOMM CCR (2019).
- 4. Bian, R. et al. Ultralong focal length microlens array fabricated based on SU-8 photoresist. Applied optics, 5088–5093 (2015).
- Liu, G. et al. Manufacturing method of micro lens CN104,614,936 A. 2015.
- Liang, Z. et al. Reconstruction of limited-angle and few-view nano-CT image via total variation iterative reconstruction in X-Ray Nanoimaging: Instruments and Methods (2013), 885113.

EDUCATION

Ph.D. in Computer System and Networking, Department of Electrical and Computer Engineering

University of Delaware, Advisors: Dr. Haining Wang and Dr. Chase Cotton

Sep 2015 — Dec 2022

M.S. in Techniques and Applications of Synchrotron Radiation, National Synchrotron Radiation Laboratory University of Science and Technology of China (USTC), Advisors: Dr. Yangchao Tian and Dr. Gang Liu

Sep 2012 — Jun 2015

B.E. in Mechanical Engineering and Automation, Department of Precise Machinery and Precise and Instrumentation University of Science and Technology of China (USTC)

Sep 2008 — Jun 2012

AWARDS AND OTHER EXPERIENCES

Teaching Assistant of U.S. Cyber Challenge(USCC) Delaware Summer Can	np
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SANS CyberStart 2017 Scholarship, Ranking of 44 out of 3,935 people 2017

2016 Graduate student group leader of University Of Delaware Chinese Christian Fellowship

Teaching Assistant of Hezhan elementary school of Ulanhot 2014

Outstanding Student Scholarship of University of Science and Technology of China 2010

2009 Minister of Interview Division in Student Journalists Association

2008 Outstanding Freshman Scholarship of University of Science and Technology of China

The top scorer(1/10000+) in National University Entrance Examinations in The Hinggan Area 2008