Veronica Thach

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EDUCATION

George Mason University, Fairfax, VA

B.S. Computer Science, GPA: 3.91; Dean's List 2022-2024 **Relevant Coursework:** Data Structures/Algorithms, Computer Systems, Data Mining, Database Concepts, OOP

TECHNICAL SKILLS & CERTIFICATES

Programming Languages: Java, Python, C, HTML, CSS, R, JavaScript, SQL

EXPERIENCE

George Mason University Department of Computer Science, Fairfax VA Undergraduate Teaching Assistant

- Peer mentored through assisting students with projects, resulting in higher scores on projects by conducting code reviews, debugging, and forming algorithms.
- Participated in a team of fellow teaching assistants to develop ways to help students learn essential programming skills.

Commonwealth Cyber Initiative, Fairfax, VA

CCI Scholar, Undergrad Research Assistant @ George Mason University

- Conducting research on a generative approach to side channel analysis-based anomaly detection of electromagnetic signals from embedded devices.
- Assisting with the experimentation of various models such as Generative Artificial Networks (GANs), State Space Models, ResGans, etc in efforts to find a more accurate model for generating synthetic electromagnetic signals.

HeadStarter Al, Remote

Software Engineer Fellow

 Worked on an AI customer support chatbot by using JS and Python's PyTorch library. Implemented basic NLP practices and data training.

PROJECTS

Grade Calculator Website

Designed and implemented a full stack website with a team under Agile workflow using JavaScript, SQL, PHP, HTML/CSS that allows users to calculate their grades.

Customer Review Predictor

Created a model that predicts if a customer review is positive or negative by training and using logistic regression models on representations of the text data. Implemented Python libraries such as Pandas, scikit-learn, and NLTK.

Tetris Game

 Designed and implemented a version of the game Tetris using various data structures focusing on time and space efficiency in Java.

EXTRACURRICULAR ACTIVITIES

Break Through Tech, Remote

Committee Member

 Collaborated with fellow members to find ways to help under-represented demographics enter the tech industry.

Sep 2024 – Present

Jul 2024 – Sep 2024

Sep 2024

Jun 2024

Jan 2024

Sep 2022 – Present

Aug 2023 – Present

Expected Graduation: Dec 2025