

Ben Taylor

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Summary

Enthusied software engineer with competencies in web development, machine learning, and cloud technologies. Considered talented leader when guiding teams and coordinating projects and events. Offers 7 years of software development expertise.

Skills

- JavaScript (Node, Express, Vue, React)
- HTML/CSS, Pug/SCSS
- Bulma, Bootstrap, Materialize
- MongoDB, SQLite
- MS Azure, Google Cloud
- Keras, Tensorflow
- LaTeX
- Java, C, C++, Lua, Python

Work

Software Engineering Intern - State Farm, 05/2019 to present

- Built, tested, and deployed scalable and modular software products

Lecturer - Major League Hacking, 02/2019 to present

- Coordinated and led workshops on web development, machine learning, and cloud technology for UNT students to bridge the gap between school and industry

Researcher - University of North Texas, 08/2018 to present

- Used Twitter data and linguistically informed deep learning models to classify pessimism on social media
- Developed transfer-learning based natural language processing models for Meitei, a low resource language in India, using data from Burmese and Hindi

Freelance Web Developer - Fiverr, 08/2018 to present

- Designed, implemented, and monitored web pages and sites for continuous improvement in a fast-paced environment
- Maintained five star rating and consistent positive feedback

Education

Texas Academy of Mathematics and Science, 2020, High School Diploma with emphasis on Computer Science

Awards

- State winner in computer science, mathematics, and science
- AP National Scholar
- Top 50 in North American Computational Linguistics Olympiad (USA & Canada)
- Top 0.04% internationally ranked on CodeSignal
- Top 1% internationally ranked on LeetCode
- Over 20 winning hackathon projects and awards