

# Darren Ting

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I'm a quick learning and collaborative technical professional who wants to bring more value to customers.

## EDUCATION

### CORNELL UNIVERSITY

MENG IN COMPUTER SCIENCE  
May 2021 | Ithaca, NY  
Cum. GPA: 3.87 / 4.0

### TUFTS UNIVERSITY

BS IN COMPUTER SCIENCE AND  
QUANTITATIVE ECONOMICS  
May 2020 | Medford, MA  
*Cum Laude*, Dean's List all 4 years  
Cum. GPA: 3.62 / 4.0  
Major GPA: 3.73 / 4.0

## SKILLS

### PROGRAMMING

Python • Javascript • C++ • Java • SQL •  
C • Shell/Bash • CSS/SCSS •  $\LaTeX$  • PHP  
HTML • Ruby • Standard ML

### FRAMEWORKS AND TOOLS

Git • Node.js • EJS • Ajax • Bootstrap •  
React • Scrum/Agile • RSpec • OpenAI  
Gym • Kali Linux • Docker • Twilio • AWS  
Cloud 9 • Microsoft Excel • AWS S3

### PLATFORMS/LIBRARIES

Heroku • jQuery • NPM • HuggingFace  
BERT • EJS • Pandas • MongoDB •  
PyTorch • Scikit-learn • NumPy • jQuery  
• Tensorflow • Mongoose • EveryPixel •  
Scapy • NLTK • Spacy • Android SDK •  
Java SDK • Android Studio • Pega  
Infinity Platform • OpenCV • GloVe •  
Python Imaging Library •  
Python-Tesseract • SciPy

## COURSEWORK

### GRADUATE

Advanced Machine Learning Systems  
Natural Language Processing  
Learning with Big Messy Data  
Operating Systems  
Computer Vision  
Big Data Technologies  
Advanced Artificial Intelligence  
Master's of Engineering Project

### UNDERGRADUATE

Intro to Machine Learning • Algorithms •  
Computer Systems and Security •  
Databases Computational Theory •  
Programming Languages • Data  
Structures • Statistics • Multi-variable  
Calculus • Linear Algebra • Probability

## EXPERIENCE

### FUNPICKS | MACHINE LEARNING SOFTWARE DEVELOPER

[www.funpicks.io](#) | December 2019 - Present (Currently Part-Time) | Short Hills, NJ

- Orchestrated sitewide user personalization by developing an automated Photo Keyword Recommendation System
- Launched features in asynchronous environment such as Photo Views, Likes and Follows using Node.js, EJS, MongoDB
- Designed and Implemented Keyword Search for entire site

### PEGASYSTEMS | SOFTWARE ENGINEERING INTERN

May 2018 - August 2019 | Cambridge, MA

- Built framework to enhance platform component performance in Pega App Studio using Javascript, CSS, HTML
- Improved feature commit efficiency by building integration, unit tests in RSpec
- Created React components for Pega Cosmos and wrote scripts for accessibility testing
- Wrote Auto-Documentation Script using Docsify and PropTypes for Cosmos React Components

### LAWYER.COM | SOFTWARE DEVELOPER INTERN

June 2017 - August 2017 | Basking Ridge, NJ

- Improved customer communication by developing both Front and Back End of "Chat Room" using JavaScript, PHP, CSS and HTML
- Developed VoIP connection feature to client-side SIP phones using PHP, JS

## PROJECTS AND CONTRIBUTIONS

<b>Cornell MEng Project</b>	Used BERT to build sentiment, toxicity, bias classifiers with paraphrase recommendations using BERT embeddings.
<b>Data Science</b>	Leveraged Pandas, XGBoost to predict commercial success of songs based on auditory features from Spotify API
<b>Other ML Projects</b>	Credit Card Fraud Anomaly Detection in PyTorch Built Logistic Regression from scratch using NumPy Fake News Classifier using NLTK, Sci-kit Learn
<b>JumboCode</b>	Leveraged React to build mobile version of MA-STEM

### RESEARCH AND TEACHING | TUFTS UNIVERSITY

September 2018 - May 2020 | Medford, MA

- Contributed to Bayesian Variational Autoencoder under Professor Hughes
- Developed Optical Character Recognition preprocessing code for Professor Elizabeth Setren's research
- Implemented multiclass classification pipeline on Time Series Predictor code under Professor Hughes
- Teaching Assistant for: Data Structures (Spring 2020), Intro to Machine Learning (Fall 2019), Introduction to Computer Science (Spring 2017)

### ACHIEVEMENTS AND ACTIVITIES

• **Tennis:** Tufts Club Tennis - President; USTA junior national top 300 • **Photography:** National award winner in YoungArts and Scholastics Art and Writing • **Charity:** Art Exhibition for Sunshine Kids Foundation