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EDUCATION

Northwestern University <i>Ph.D., Computer Science</i> Advisor: <i>Matthew Kay</i>	Evanston, IL 2020 - Present
Oberlin College <i>B.A., Mathematics, Computer Science</i>	Oberlin, OH 2016 - 2020
Budapest Semesters in Mathematics <i>Study abroad</i>	Budapest, HU 2019 - 2019

PUBLICATIONS

- Adaptive Assessment of Visualization Literacy.** [Yuan Cui](#), Lily W. Ge, Yiren Ding, Fumeng Yang, Lane Harrison, Matthew Kay. *IEEE VIS* 2023.
- CALVI: Critical Thinking Assessment for Literacy in Visualizations.** Lily W. Ge, [Yuan Cui](#), Matthew Kay. *ACM CHI* 2023. (Best Paper Honorable Mention)
- Can an Algorithm be My Healthcare Proxy?.** Duncan McElfresh, Samuel Dooley, [Yuan Cui](#), Kendra Griesman, Weiqin Wang, Tyler Will, Neil Sehgal, and John Dickerson. *Explainable AI in Healthcare and Medicine* 2021.

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

RegLab @ Stanford Law School <i>Graduate Fellow</i> Developing racial disparity estimation methods.	Stanford, CA 06/2023 - 08/2023
Carnegie Mellow University & Data Science for Social Good Foundation <i>Data Science Fellow</i> Built a machine learning system to improve the routing of the 988 Suicide & Crisis Lifeline which serves 2,000,000+ callers per year. Obtained preliminary results that could help ~20, 000 more callers per year upon validation.	Pittsburgh, PA 05/2022 - 08/2022
University of Chicago Consortium on School Research <i>Research Intern</i> Conducted clustering analysis on Chicago Public Schools data to aid the prediction of students' college graduation rate.	Remote 03/2022 - 05/2022
HomeRiser, Inc <i>Co-founder, Head of Data Science</i> Co-founded a real estate technology start-up that uses a novel business model powered by data science to provide more flexible and affordable ways to finance people's home ownership. Developed a financial model in Python that simulated cash flow and generated a detailed profit and losses statement.	Remote 01/2021 - 10/2021

PRESENTATIONS, WORKSHOPS, TUTORIALS

Conference Presentations

IEEE VIS. “*Adaptive Assessment of Visualization Literacy.*” Oct 2023, Melbourne, Australia.

Data for Good. “*Improving the 988 Suicide & Crisis Lifeline’s Service Through Better Call Routing.*” Sept 2022, Seattle, WA. Joint with Irene Tang.

Tutorials

ACM FAccT. “*Data Externalities.*” Mar 2021, Remote. Joint with Rediet Abebe, Mihaela Curmei, Andreas Haupt, and Yixin Wang.

HONORS AND AWARDS

HCI + Design Cluster Fellowship, Northwestern University 2022

Phi Beta Kappa, Oberlin College 2020

Elbridge P. Vance Scholar of Mathematics, Oberlin College 2016 - 2020

PROFESSIONAL SERVICE

Mechanism Design for Social Good	Remote
Co-Organizer of MD4SG	2022 - present
Co-Organizer of MD4SG Data Economies Working Group	2021
Membership Manager of MD4SG	2021

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

Teaching Assistant

Northwestern University	Evanston, IL
Computer Science Department	2021-2022
<i>Design & Analysis of Algorithms, Mathematical Foundations of Computer Science</i>	

Oberlin College	Oberlin, OH
Mathematics Department	2017-2020

Linear Algebra (2x), Discrete Mathematics (2x), Calculus II, Calculus I

Computer Science Department	2017
<i>Introduction to Computer Science</i>	

TECHNICAL

Programming

R, Python, PostgreSQL, \LaTeX

Organization

Github, Trello

Research Software and Skills

Qualtrics, Prolific