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## WORK EXPERIENCE

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Jul – Sept 2018	Undergraduate Researcher in Statistics at IMPERIAL COLLEGE LONDON <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Studied the mathematical theory behind machine learning models</li><li>Engaged in research about the effects of dropout on deep neural networks</li></ul>
Apr 2018 – Present	Technical Advisor at SONODOT LTD <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Analysing routing methods using computer simulation and data modelling</li><li>Assisting in software development and employing for technical roles</li></ul>
Sep 2017 – Apr 2018	Head of Software and Data at SONODOT LTD <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Technical lead of a smart warehouse startup as it entered an accelerator</li><li>Led the development of a web application for real-time data analysis</li><li>Demonstrated the ability to apply my technical knowledge in a business setting</li></ul>
Jul 2014 – Mar 2015	iOS Game Developer at GOOII LTD <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Built and ported iOS apps for a variety of touch devices</li><li>Worked on 2D video games and a news feed style app using the iOS SDK</li></ul>

## EDUCATION

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2016 - PRESENT	<b>Imperial College London, MSCI MATHEMATICS</b> Specialising in statistics and analysis 3 <sup>rd</sup> Year: Expected high first class – cumulative total <b>79%</b> 2 <sup>nd</sup> Year: First class <b>81%</b> , top 15% of the year group 1 <sup>st</sup> Year: First class <b>73%</b>  <b>Module Choices</b> Time Series      Statistical Modelling 2      Markov Processes Stochastic Simulation      Algebraic Combinatorics      Probability Statistical Theory      Measure and Integration
2014 - 2016	<b>The Priory Academy LSST, A-LEVELS</b> Mathematics A*, Further Mathematics A*, Physics A, STEP 3 Grade 1

## AWARDS

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AUGUST 2018	<b>Second Year Project Prize, WINTON CAPITAL MANAGEMENT</b> Awarded to the members of the best second year group project team.
JUNE 2017	<b>Hackathon Innovation in Technology Award, AMAZON ALEXA, BP</b> For the application of image recognition models and voice activated technology to improve safety in high risk environments.
AUGUST 2016	<b>Excellence in Mathematics Trophy, THE PRIORY ACADEMY LSST</b> Awarded to the student that has performed most outstandingly in Mathematics

## TECHNICAL SKILLS

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### Data and Machine Learning

- Strong background in **data modelling** with applications for analysis and prediction
- Implemented and deployed **neural networks** and **genetic algorithms** (**TensorFlow** and **Keras**)
- Produced **data analysis reports** for competitions and third party projects
- Experienced with **Python** along with **Pandas** and **SciPy**

### Software Development

- Experienced web developer using **Node.js**, **React** and **Nginx** as well as **PHP** and **MySQL**
- Used cloud computing services from **AWS** and **Google Cloud**
- Fluent in **Javascript**, **Python**, **C++**, **Java** and **fast at adopting** other languages

### Other

- Fast at understanding and applying mathematically dense academic papers
- Proficient with Adobe Creative Suite, Microsoft Office, Latex, Git and Bash shell

## RECENT PROJECTS

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### Understanding Dropout in Deep Neural Networks

Formally analysed the effects of dropout regularisation in neural networks with the aim of understanding why it works well and how we can make it better. Currently compiling my results into a paper. Supervised by Dr Christopher Hallsworth and Dr David C Stenning from the Statistics department at Imperial.

### Sonodot Dashboard

Led the development of a large-scale web application that processed and stored large volumes of data and delivered real-time insights via a web dashboard. Had to take responsibility for a project that had great impact on Sonodot's users and learnt a lot about managing long-term group projects.

### Undergraduate Colloquium

Gave a lecture on the mathematics behind deep neural networks and some of the research that's currently taking place to understand why they work so well. Learnt a great deal about communicating technical concepts and public speaking.

### Recent Hackathons

**AI Hack** – Performed a time series analysis on road accident data, produced a report and presentation communicating findings.

**IC Hack 18** – Worked with a team to produce a web app that allows the visually impaired to experience photo albums with audio. We came 2nd for Accenture's Hack for Good Award.

**BP Imperial** – Applied CNNs and voice activated technology to improve safety in high risk environments. We won the Innovation in Technology Award.

## PERSONAL INTERESTS

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### Musical Performance and Composition

Trained and performing jazz drummer; playing in Imperial College Big Band and with several smaller bands. Help to run a bi-weekly jam at Imperial/Royal College of Music. Compose and produce music with peers. Attending a part-time Music technology course.

### Maker Communities

Partake in multiple group coding projects with friends and open source communities. Attend coding and data science hackathons regularly.

### Imperial College Live Music Society

Committee member; help to run music and social events; maintain the practice room and recording studio.