

Christan Earl Grant

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Education

PhD, Computer Science -- expected May 2012
University of Florida

Bachelors of Science, Computer Engineering (Software Emphasis) -- May 2008
University of Florida w/ Honors

Languages

Python, Java, C, C++ STL, Javascript, CSS, XPath

Work Experience

Teaching Assistant | University of Florida | August 2010 - December 2010
Led discussion sections for the second part of the Intro to the Major. Developed solutions to projects. Supervised by Peter Dobbins.

Research Intern | IBM Almaden | San Jose, CA | June 2008 - August 2008
Research and prototype development for the Health-e-Assistant. Supervised by Dr. Tyrone Grandison.

Campus Ambassador | SUN Microsystems | Gainesville, FL | September 2007 - May 2009
Evangelized and Presented SUN's Open Source Technologies to Campus.

Software Engineering Intern | Harris Communications RF | Rochester, NY | May 2007 - Aug 2007
Researched the new Jupiter 21 GPS protocol and developed Visual C++ 2008 wrapper application for testing.

Patents

Varun Bhagwan, Tyrone Grandison, Christan Grant, Bryan Hickerson, Kun Liu, Tarun Thakur. Health-e-Assistant: A System for Personalized Chronic Disease Management.

Publications

Christan Grant, Clint P George, Joir-dan Gumbs, Joseph Wilson, Peter Dobbins. "Morpheus: A Deep Web Question Answering System". To appear in the proceedings of 12th International Conference on Information Integration and Web-based Applications and Services (iiWAS2010). Paris, France. November 8-10, 2010.

Christan Grant, Tyrone Grandison, Alfredo Alba. "Enabling the Health Internet - Market-Friendly Information Extraction of Online Healthcare Sources". To appear in the proceedings of the 13th World Congress on Medical and Health Informatics (MEDINFO) 2009. September 12-15, 2010. Cape Town, South Africa.

Tyrone Grandison, **Christan Grant**, Kun Liu. "Leveraging Online Data To Deliver Better Decision Support For Personalized Chronic Disease Management", American Medical Informatics Association (AMIA) 2009 Spring Congress. Orlando, Florida. May 28-30, 2009.

Pete Dobbins, Tiffany Dohzen, **Christan Grant**, Joachim Hammer, Malachi Jones1, Dev Oliver, Mujde Pamuk, Jungmin Shin, Mike Stonebraker, "Morpheus 2.0: A Data Transformation Management System," at the VLDB 2007 Third International Workshop on Database Interoperability.

Honors

NSF Graduate Research Fellowship | (Awarded) 2010

Bridge to the Doctorate Fellowship | August 2008

University of Florida College of Engineering Diversity Award | October 2007

Computing Research Association - National Society of Black Engineers | October 2006

University Scholar | April 2006

Gator Intramural Champion | 2004

Service

Graduate Representative | Graduate Student Advisory Council | Sum 2010 - Present

Conference Planning Committee | SEAGEP Annual Conference | January - May 2010

Mentor and Judge | Alachua County - ACT-SO | October 2009 - Present

Founder | University of Florida Open Source User Group | November 2007 - May 2008

President | Black Men, Inc | April 2006 - May 2007

National Online Image Coordinator | nsbe.org | April 2006 - May 2007

Member Retention Facilitator | Chi Alpha Christian Fellowship | Jan 2006 - August 2006

Vice President of Programs | NSBE | August 2004 - May 2005

Male Model Trainer | FACES Modeling Troupe | May 2004 - May 2005