

# Georgina Garza

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## EDUCATION

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**The University of Texas at Austin**, Austin, TX

August 2016 - May 2020

*Bachelor of Science and Arts in Computer Science – 3.8 GPA*

*Bachelor of Arts in Theatre and Dance – Dance Concentration*

Relevant Coursework: Software Engineering, Data Mining, iOS Development, Operating Systems, Data Structures, Algorithms

## EXPERIENCE

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**JPMorgan & Chase** – *Software Engineering Intern*

June 2019 – August 2019

- Built a Full-Stack Web Application from scratch to automate the verification of a data schema in an Excel file against an existing Oracle Database, saving developers 2 hours per week of manual database debugging
- Programmatically generated SQL and Avro files automatically for users upon successful verification of data schema
- Developed backend with Java-Springboot, designed frontend using Angular, and deployed application to internal cloud

**CDK Global** – *Software Engineering Intern*

June 2018 - August 2018

- Migrated API database from Oracle to PostgreSQL by creating a communication channel across two API's; Constructed channel by creating JSON file for input, calling API endpoints, and parsing through returning JSON file to collect data
- Improved data pick-up and processing from daily to immediate, providing faster return-time to customers, by developing a pipeline for vehicle sale leads-matching data using Kafka topics, custom-built curator, and data schemas
- Transformed raw data from car dealers to clean and useable data by revising large REST API code base

## PROJECTS

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**Roots** (Web Application) – *In Progress*

- Developing a full-stack webapp to automate a dance audition process including sign-ins, casting, and email notifications
- Improves time efficiency, reliability, and user experience of a manual process currently taking 6+ hours

**To The Beat** (Web Application) – *tothebeat.herokuapp.com*

- Built a webapp to automatically curate a Spotify playlist in a user's account based on an inputted tempo
- Collected user account information and data by calling Spotify's API with authentication through OAuth 2.0
- Implemented the backend with Python/Flask, and assembled playlist with logic through Javascript
- Designed frontend with Bootstrap, FontAwesome, custom CSS styling, and Spotify's playlist embedding

**PetPals** (iOS Mobile Application)

- Created a Tinder-style iOS mobile application to act as a way for pet owners to set up play dates for their animals
- Stored user data using Firebase Authentication and Database, showing relevant profiles and settings after login
- Customized user functionality using Koloda, Geofire, and JTAppleCalendar

**CapGen** (Machine Learning)

- Generated vehicle descriptions automatically based on features and images of a vehicle based on VIN number
- Trained and fit a deep learning model composed of a photo feature extractor, sequence processor, and decoder
- Prepared data by analyzing description vocabularies/lengths, creating a tokenizer, and one-hot encoding words

**Waitless** (Mobile Site) – *bit.ly/waitlessapp*

- Developed a website for mobile applications to scan barcodes at a store, purchase the items, and have the total automatically deducted from the user's Capital One account; Used QuaggaJS and Google Maps API

## SKILLS

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**Technical:** Java, Python/Flask, Swift/iOS, Javascript, Angular, Typescript, HTML/CSS/Bootstrap, MongoDB, Kafka, Docker, Git, Agile

**Foreign Languages:** Spanish (Proficient)

## LEADERSHIP AND ACTIVITIES

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**Dance Action Executive Officer**, UT Austin

June 2018 - Present

**Hispanic Association of Computer Scientists Member**, UT Austin

September 2018 - Present

**Women in Computer Science Member**, UT Austin

September 2016 - Present

**Capital One Software Engineering Summit & Hackathon**, Washington D.C.

May 2018

**DataHack Participant & Finalist**, Austin, TX

April 2019

**HackTX Participant**, Austin, TX

October 2016 & 2017