

Software Engineering 492 - sddec19-01

Web Crawling for Data Breach Reports

Bi-Weekly Report 6

11/7-11/22

Client: Benjamin Blakely

Faculty Advisor: Benjamin Blakely

**Team Members:**

Mark Schwartz - Scraping Team

Alec Lones - Project Leader -Machine Learning Team

Nolan Kim - Scraping Team - Git Master

Jeremiah Brusegaard - Machine Learning Team

**Bi-weekly Summary:**

We got mostly everything working except for the GUI isn't quite finished and we need to fix a minor memory issue but then we should be good to go.

**Past 2 Weeks Accomplishments:**

- Got the code polished
- Crawler is working with the model and DB (Has memory issue when crawling for too long)

**Pending Issues:**

- Need to limit the amount of scraping/machine learning the crawler does so that it doesn't eat up lots of RAM

**Individual Contributions:**

Team Member	Contribution	Bi- weekly Hours	Total Hours
Mark Schwartz	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>● Worked on learning Django for new UI framework.</li><li>● Started a new UI prototype with Django</li></ul>	~12	~72
Alec Lones	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>● Assisted Jeremiah with db interfacing</li><li>● Discussed some implementation details for ML with Jeremiah</li></ul>	~12	~72

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Discussed ideas for Front End code with Mark</li> </ul>		
Nolan Kim	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Tested the crawler</li> <li>Worked on debugging issue where requests are generated faster than they are freed, causing a memory "leak"</li> </ul>	~12	~72
Jeremiah Brusegaard	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Finished adding db implementation to the crawler</li> <li>Polished code</li> <li>Added lots of comments</li> </ul>	~12	~72

**Plans for upcoming 2 weeks:**

- Mark Schwartz:
  - Work with Alec to create front end UI
  - Work on poster and other final stuff
- Alec Lones:
  - Work with Mark to create a front end that interfaces with the ML code and the database
  - Work on Final Report and presentation
  - Help out on anything else I can
- Nolan Kim:
  - Continue to work on debugging memory issues
- Jeremiah Brusegaard:
  - Work on final report and presentation
  - Help Nolan figure out memory issues

**Summary of bi-weekly meeting:**

Client said project is looking good we are just putting finishing touches on the project. He also mentioned some tips to help us solve the memory problem with scrapy.