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EDUCATION

Nanyang Technological University

Aug 2023 – May 2027

- Bachelor of Electrical and Electronic Engineering, CGPA: 4.86/5.00, Honors (Highest Distinction)
- Specialization in Data Science and Machine Learning | Dean's List (2024)
- NTU Science & Engineering Undergraduate Scholarship Recipient
- · NTU President Research Scholar
- Presenter at The International Conference of Undergraduate Research (ICUR) 2025
- Relevant Modules: (1) Introduction to Data Science and Artificial Intelligence [Python]
- (2) Data Structures & Algorithms [Python] (3) Designing and Developing Database [MySQL, NoSQL]

SKILLS

• Software Programming: Python, R, C Language

· Cloud & Big Data: AWS S3, Sagemaker, Boto3,

• Database: MySQL, NoSQL, MongoDB

• Software Applications: Figma, Jupyter Lab

PySpark

RESEARCH & INTERNSHIP EXPERIENCE

GlobalFoundries, <u>Data Scientist Intern</u>

May 2025 – Dec 2025

Project 1: Scalable Data Pipeline & Compression

- Developed modular data pipelines for multi-month trace data processing with AWS S3, Boto3, PySpark, optimizing query performance.
- Implemented Parquet and Snappy compression techniques to improve retrieval speed and efficiency for high-volume semiconductor datasets.
- Reduced extraction runtime from hours to 4–8 mins; cut storage by 90%; eliminated session timeouts.

Project 2: Trace-to-Image Machine Learning Pipeline for Fault Detection

- Developed a novel trace-to-image machine learning pipeline, converting raw process data into image representations to address limitations in traditional Fault Detection and Classification (FDC) methods.
- Achieved baseline model accuracies of 97.0%, 97.0%, and 94.6% across three distinct tool types, outperforming the conventional guard band method by 19.3%.

A*STAR, Healthcare Data Pre-Processing Research Intern

Jan 2025 – Apr 2025

- Supported the project "National Healthcare Group (NHG): Validating an AI Facial Health Screening Product with A*STAR", developing data preprocessing workflows to anonymize sensitive healthcare datasets while ensuring compliance with regulations.
- Conducted feature preservation analysis and collaborated with the AI research team to optimize preprocessing methods for model performance.

ACADEMIC PROJECTS / MODULE PROJECTS

AI & Machine Learning Projects:

URECA Project: *AlzCare Smart Watch* (Team Leader of 3 Members)

Aug 2024 – May 2025

- Spearheaded a team in the conceptual design and prototyping of an AI-powered wearable device for dementia patients, with features for real-time health monitoring, fall detection, and geofencing.
- Collaborated with SG Jamiyah Nursing Home to define project requirements and evaluate initial design concepts, gaining experience in translating real-world needs into a technical solution.

NTU Module: Introduction to Data Science and Artificial Intelligence

Feb 2024 – Apr 2024

Module Project: Hotel Booking Trends and Cancellation Forecast (**Team Leader** of 4 Members)

- Led a team of 4 in applying Python with 4 Machine Learning Models to analyze a Kaggle dataset, achieving an 86.6% accuracy with Random Forest.
- Applied optimization techniques including TensorFlow, L2 regularization, and Batch Normalization, boosting model accuracy to a final 91%.

LEADERSHIP / CO-CURRICULAR ACTIVITIES / COMMUNITY INVOLVEMENT / VOLUNTEERISM

NTU Institution of Engineering and Technology (IET), <u>Liaison Manager</u>

Jul 2024 – Present Jul 2024 – Present

NTU Investment Interactive Club (IIC) Investment Academy, <u>Member</u>

Dec 2019 – Dec 2021

CFLS Model United Nation Club (CFLS-MUN), Academic Director

- Hosted the North-East MUN Conference (1,000+ participants) as Chairperson.
- Led delegations to World MUN and Yale MUN, proposing draft resolutions.
- Instructed 100+ members in CFLS-MUN about conference processing and document writing.