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EDUCATION

M.Sc. Computer Science | Washington University in St. Louis, St. Louis, Missouri, USA Fall 2024 - Spring 2026

- **GPA:** 3.2/4.0
- **Coursework:** Introduction to AI for Health, Algorithms for Computational Biology, Deep Reinforcement Learning, Rapid Prototype Development and Creative Programming.

B.A. Computer Science and Data Analytics Fall 2020 - Spring 2023

Ohio Wesleyan University, Delaware, Ohio, USA

- **Minor:** Economics
- **GPA:** 3.42/4.0
- **Honors:** Golden Bishop Award, Mortar Board, Florence Leas Prize, Spring 2022 and Spring 2023 Dean's List.
- **Coursework:** Computer Organization, Theory of Computation, Algorithm Analysis and Design, Impacts of Big Data, Data Visualization and Presentation, Methods in Data Analytics, Database Systems, Data Mining and Machine Learning, Artificial Intelligence, Applied Statistics.

RESEARCH EXPERIENCE

Opinion Survey on Artificial Intelligence in the Workplace | Ohio Wesleyan University, Delaware, Ohio, USA

DATA 490 - Independent Study Spring 2023

- Designed, fielded, and investigated a survey experiment on the impact of AI on 250 employees within each of four industries using survey data under Dr. Nicholas Dietrich's mentorship.
- Analyzed data using Tableau dashboards and R to identify trends and common opinions.
- Presented preliminary results on AI's positive impact on employee work at the OWU Spring Student Symposium.

Connect 4 AI | Ohio Wesleyan University, Delaware, Ohio, USA

CS 340 - Artificial Intelligence Fall 2022

- Developed a Connect 4 game in Java with a single-player mode against an AI opponent and a multiplayer mode for two human players.
- Used the alpha-beta pruning algorithm to create a challenging AI opponent that can test players of all skill levels.

Artificial Intelligence in Modern Board Games | Ohio Wesleyan University, Delaware, Ohio, USA

Summer Science Research Program Summer 2022

- Developed a digital version of the Lost Cities card game using Java in 2 weeks under Dr. Sean McCulloch's mentorship.
- Implemented an intelligent agent that played the game against a human, winning 13 of 18 games in testing.

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

Computer Science Lab Assistant | Ohio Wesleyan University, Delaware, Ohio, USA Spring 2022 - Spring 2023

- Tutored approximately ten students for over 6 hours per week, assisting with homework and exam preparation for introductory, intermediate, and advanced computer science coursework.
- Tested and graded assignments of around 35 students in introductory and intermediate computer science classes.

English Teacher | Ohio Wesleyan University, Delaware, Ohio, USA Fall 2018 - Spring 2019

- Taught conversational English to twenty local homemakers and workers for 6 months as part of a 5-student team.
- Designed and delivered customized 7.5-hour curriculum weekly centered around their work environments under teacher supervision.
- Provided foundational English skills through practical lessons.

INDUSTRY EXPERIENCE

Graduate Assistant with the Taylor Family Center for Student Success Fall 2024 - Present

Washington University in St. Louis, St. Louis, Missouri, USA

- Leading initiatives to enhance first gen/limited income student success, including program planning, data analysis, and communication.
- Coordinating key events, tracking student data, and contributing to assessment efforts for the department.
- Supporting alumni engagement through newsletter development, database management, and other logistics.

Data Analyst Intern | Lab714, Boca Raton, Florida, USA Summer 2023 - Summer 2024

- Developed software using React and AWS that works with IoT devices to extract, organize, and analyze data.
- Generated meaningful client-facing results from the data, which created nearly 20% cost savings.

Media Center Assistant | Ohio Wesleyan University, Delaware, Ohio, USA

Fall 2021 - Spring 2023

- Set up and tore down audio-visual equipment, logged equipment movement using Sierra, and created appointments for use of spaces.
- Assisted with providing AV systems and support for events, ensuring successful setup and execution.

SKILLS

Technical Skills: C++, Java, R, Python, C#, Rust, SQL, MIPS, Scheme, JavaScript (Node.js, React), HTML, and CSS.

Software: Visual Studio, Tableau, Power BI, Amazon Web Services, Microsoft 365, and Google Workspace.

Languages: Proficient in English, Kannada, Telugu; Fundamental in Hindi.

HONORS

Dean's List , Ohio Wesleyan University	Spring 2022 & Spring 2023
Mortar Board National College Senior Honor Society Membership , Ohio Wesleyan University	Spring 2023
Golden Bishop Award , Ohio Wesleyan University	Spring 2023
Florence Leas Sophomore Prize , Ohio Wesleyan University	Spring 2022
First Place - 32nd Annual Spring Programming Contest , Denison University	Spring 2022
International Baccalaureate Scholarship , Ohio Wesleyan University	2020
Scholar , Next Genius Scholarship Foundation	2020

PRESENTATIONS

Artificial Intelligence Opinion Survey	Spring 2023
<i>Spring Student Symposium</i> , Ohio Wesleyan University	
Artificial Intelligence in Modern Board Games	Fall 2022
<i>Patricia Belt Conrades Summer Science Research Symposium</i> , Ohio Wesleyan University	

LEADERSHIP EXPERIENCE

Hindu Student Council | Ohio Wesleyan University, Delaware, Ohio, USA

<i>Treasurer and Founding Member</i>	Spring 2023
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Requested funds from the Wesleyan Council on Student Affairs and organized events to raise awareness of Hindu cultural heritage and provide youth leadership development and volunteer opportunities.	

Wesleyan Council on Student Affairs (Student Government) | Ohio Wesleyan University, Delaware, Ohio, USA

<i>Budget Committee Senator</i>	Fall 2022 - Spring 2023
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Proposed, discussed, and decided bills for the senate and oversaw budget allocation of over \$350,000 each year to individuals, clubs, and organizations on campus.• Awarded WCSA Best New Member Golden Bishop Award for making outstanding contributions to the council's missions, goals, and agenda.	

The Neurds (Neuroscience Club) | Ohio Wesleyan University, Delaware, Ohio, USA

<i>Member</i>	Fall 2022 - Spring 2023
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Presented on AI at Brain Fair 2023 during Brain Awareness Week, bridging neuroscience and technology.• Aided event planning and marketing for the club's educational and networking goals.• Promoted neuroscience awareness and community service for intellectual and career development.	

Campus Programming Board | Ohio Wesleyan University, Delaware, Ohio, USA

<i>Vice President of Finance</i>	Spring 2022 - Fall 2022
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Successfully planned, created, and implemented budgets totaling over \$86,000 each year for campus events.• Initiated and led revamp of organization's governing documents, implementing efficient practices.• Negotiated an additional \$10,000 per year with the Wesleyan Council on Student Affairs.	
<i>Marketing Committee Member</i>	Fall 2020 - Spring 2023
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Created social media campaigns and print materials to engage students and promote events.• Coordinated marketing efforts including posters, tabling, giveaways, and contests to boost attendance at events.	

OTHER PROJECTS

Parkinson's Disease AI Diagnosis Software	Summer 2022
MITxSureStart FutureMakers Create-a-Thon Program, Remote	
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Developed AIParkinScan software for Parkinson's diagnosis using neural networks, spectrograms, and the Random Forest algorithm trained on audio and image data.	