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## EDUCATION

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**B.S. in Mathematics**, Eastern Michigan University

December 2019

**GPA:** 3.95/4.00 | Minor in Philosophy | **Honors:** Deans list and Summa Cum Laude

**M.S. in Data Science**, University of Michigan

April 2022

**GPA:** 3.97/4.00

## EXPERIENCE

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**Part-time Lecturer**

May 2022 - August 2022

Washtenaw Community College

*Ann Arbor, MI*

- **MATH 197 Linear Algebra:** Taught two sections. One in-person and one online.

**Student Research Assistant II**

March 2021 - August 2022

University of Michigan

*Ann Arbor, MI*

- Worked on the Nielsen Consumer Panel Research research mentioned below.

**Graduate Student Instructor**

August 2021 - April 2022

University of Michigan

*Ann Arbor, MI*

- **STATS 250 Introduction to Statistics:** Taught two lab sections and graded labs, homeworks, and exams.
- **STATS 413 Linear Regression Analysis:** Taught one lab sections and graded homeworks and exams.

## PROJECTS & RESEARCH

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**Nielsen Consumer Panel Research** Assisting Dr. Robert Manduca in the Department of Sociology at University of Michigan

- We are using the [Nielsen Consumer Panel data](#) to see how different socioeconomic groups purchasing habits differ from one another. I have so far worked on EDA, simple analysis, dimension reduction, and clustering methods for the data.

**Identifying Musical Instruments in an Audio Recording with Recurrent Neural Networks** With support from Dr. Andrew Ross.

- I explored using deep learning to recognize instruments in an audio file. I did so by simulating the audio files by mixing singular instrument notes, used dimension reduction techniques, and modeled with a Recurrent Neural Network.

**Class Projects** Many class projects were done throughout my masters. Mostly done in groups.

- In class projects, I have used linear mixed effects models and done a numerical study on the yearly variance; used supervised learning to predict suicide risk, patient outcome, etc.; and explored models like survival analysis, Bayesian mixed effect models, etc. Many of these projects you can find on my github.

## SKILLS

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**Modeling**

Regression, Supervised Learning, Unsupervised Learning (Clustering and Dimension Reduction)

**Programming Languages**

Python, C++, R, and SQL.

**Other**

Git,  $\text{\LaTeX}$ , High Performance Computing, and Linux Command-line

**Soft Skills**

Communication, Problem Solving, Creativity, Project Management, Leadership.