# Alec Stashevsky

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## Data Scientist | Fetch Rewards

10/2021 - Present

• Building out core information extraction solutions at the crux of computer vision and natural language processing.

# Associate Analyst | NERA Economic Consulting

7/2021 - 9/2021 9/2020 - 7/2021

## Research Associate

Statistical modelling and economic analysis for high-stakes litigation involving structured
finance, bankruptcy, cryptocurrencies, and mass torts. Built algorithms and financial
models to estimate damages and predict the performance of complex financial
instruments. Use a variety of programming languages to identify fraud and negligent
risk management practices for Fortune 500 companies, SEC, DOJ, and FINRA.

## Research Analyst | The Cadmus Group

11/2019 - 9/2020

Utilize statistical modeling, data analysis, and machine learning to uncover consumer
insights and make business recommendations for diverse energy industry clients.
Primary analyst evaluating demand-side management programs, including a \$600k+
randomized control trial on smart thermostat direct load-control. Forecast electric
vehicle diffusion and develop deliverable dashboards for stakeholders using R Shiny.
Build models to forecast demand elasticity and potential energy reduction.

#### Data Scientist (Freelance) | Kyrgies

10/2019 - 7/2020

• Led a project investigating optimal advertising strategies for an online retailer by supplementing Google Analytics and operational data to perform Geo-spatial analysis, market research, and ultimately lead generation.

#### Data Scientist Intern | KWM Wealth Advisory

7/2019 - 10/2019

• Developed an interactive dashboard to help financial advisors navigate bear markets and contextualize historical data using R Shiny.

## Teaching Assistant | Reed College

8/2016 - 12/2018

• Evaluate coursework and tutor for Probability, Statistics, Linear Algebra, and Economics classes. Provide coding support for R.

#### Systems Administrator | IRN Realty

6/2013 - 7/2015

Manage all IT systems across two locations, LAN/WAN/NOC/NAS Administration.
 Coordinate business-wide IT projects and a team of up to 6 people. Manage 100+ workstations, network infrastructure, VPNs protocols, servers, MFPs, and PBX phone systems.

### **Education**

Reed College, B.A. in Mathematics-Economics Commendation of Excellence Class of 2019 2016, 2017, 2018

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### **Publications and Research**

Estimation of the Carbon Footprint Associated With Attendees of the American Psychiatric Association Annual Meeting. *JAMA Network Open.* 2021;4(1):e2035641. doi:10.1001/jamanetworkopen.2020.35641

1/2021

Domestic Remittance in China: Rural—Urban Migration's Trail of Inequality.

5/2019

Chinese Institute of Income Distribution, Beijing Normal University and Reed College. Advised by Heather Kitada, PhD and Nicholas Wilson, PhD.

doi:10.13140/RG.2.2.19035.90405

**Open-Source Development** 

Author and maintainer of <u>blocklength</u>, an R package for optimizing the block-length parameter of a dependent bootstrap procedure (the block-bootstrap). Available on <u>CRAN</u> and at my <u>GitHub</u>.

1/2021 - Present

# **Organizations**

Group for the Advancement of Psychiatry (GAP), Climate Committee

6/2020 - Present

GAP is a think tank of top psychiatric minds whose thoughtful analysis and recommendations serve to influence and advance modern psychiatric theory and practice. I serve as a resident statistician supporting climate-related research.

# **Skills & Abilities**

Statistical Programming and Data Analysis

R, Python, SQL (Hive/PostgreSQL), STATA, SAS, Excel, Apache Spark, Git (GitHub/GitLab), Git Bash, Google Analytics, Google Search Console

Office Suites & Typesetting

Microsoft Office 365, G Suite, (R)markdown, LaTex

IT Administrative

SharePoint, Microsoft Server, Symantec Deep Freeze, Norton Ghost, Clonezilla

# Relevant Projects

Markov Chain Monte Carlo (MCMC) Metropolis-Hastings Algorithms for Bayesian Estimation

5/2019

Gibbs Samplers to Address The Change-point Problem

5/2018

Presentation: "TPP in Reality: Inequality and Labor Force Regulations"

1/2018