

Boston, MA  
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## Education

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| Boston, MA   | Northeastern University | Expected May 2028 |
| Candidate for Bachelor of Science in Computer Science and Business Administration  | GPA: 3.7                |                   |
| <b>Honors/Activities:</b> NU Systematic Alpha, Dean's List   |                         |                   |
| <b>Relevant Coursework:</b> Discrete Structures, Introduction to Databases, Program Design & Implementation, Business Statistics, Financial Management |                         |                   |

## Languages and Technologies

**Languages:** C++, Java, Python, JavaScript, TypeScript, SQL, Kotlin

**Frameworks & Libraries:** React, Electron, Redux, TensorFlow, Keras, Pandas, NumPy

**Developer Tools:** Git, IntelliJ, Eclipse, PyCharm, Xcode, PostgreSQL, Microsoft ADO

## Work Experience

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|---|---------------------------|
| Wellington Management   | December 2025 – June 2026 |
| <i>Global Risk &amp; Analytics Co-op</i>  |                           |
| • Engineered advanced risk management tools in Python, utilizing proprietary <b>factor risk models</b> to compute risk metrics for equities and alternative asset classes in support of quantitative research.                |                           |
| Zeal IT Consultants   | May 2025 – August 2025    |
| <i>Software Engineering Intern</i>  |                           |
| • Developed the frontend for Trinity Industries' Asset Management System using React and Next.js.   |                           |
| • Increased sprint capacity for UI development by <b>over 10 story points per sprint</b> , accelerating the project timeline by 4 weeks and expanding overall team delivery capacity by <b>300%</b> within one release cycle. |                           |
| • Reduced page loading times by migrating from MobX to Redux and implementing server-side rendering, resulting in a <b>94%</b> performance improvement.   |                           |

## Projects

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| Prediction Market Trading   <i>Rust, AWS</i>   <a href="#">Portfolio</a>   | December 2025 – Present     |
| • Implemented a mathematical model to price a specific prediction market in real-time, hosted on an AWS EC2 instance for low-latency API access.   |                             |
| • Capitalized on a market edge and scaled the strategy to achieve a <b>net adjusted Sharpe ratio of 1.2</b> over a two-month period, with a maximum drawdown of <b>10%</b> and overall returns of <b>40%</b> . |                             |
| PM-Trading Desk   <i>Python, WebSockets</i>   <a href="#">Github</a>   | September 2025 – Present    |
| • Developed a prediction market trading application using WebSockets for real-time data access and hotkeys for rapid trade execution.  |                             |
| • Implemented a <b>smart order router</b> that routes orders between Polymarket and Kalshi to secure the best possible price through <b>cross-exchange execution</b> .   |                             |
| Algorithmic Options Trading   <i>Python, Pandas, NumPy</i>   <a href="#">Github</a>  | August 2024 – December 2024 |
| • Built an algorithmic trading tool that utilized the difference between <b>implied volatility</b> and realized volatility to suggest option strategies.   |                             |
| • Used the <b>Black-Scholes model</b> to calculate implied volatility and compared it against historical volatility to perform a <b>volatility mean reversion</b> by buying underpriced straddles.             |                             |
| PaveGuard   <i>React, Python, YOLO</i>   <a href="#">Github</a>  | October 2023                |
| • Developed an image recognition model to categorize potholes and other road fractures, enabling a crowd-sourced approach to addressing city infrastructure needs.   |                             |
| • Trained a YOLO model on road fractures and hosted the backend locally. Secured the <b>top prize</b> in the AI for All hackathon at the University of Texas at Dallas.  |                             |

## Interests

Hackathons, Reading, Rubik's Cube, Chess, Poker, Baseball, Blogging, Football, Working Out, Watches, Shoes