## **BRYAN A. VERNON**

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#### **Education**

## The University of Texas at Austin, Austin, TX

May 2022

Major: Bachelor of Science in Biology, Option X: Computational Biology

Certificate: Data Sciences and Scientific Computation

## **Employment History**

### **Life Sciences Business Analyst**

August 2022 - Present

Cognizant, Tampa, FL

- Worked in Java and SQL to deliver technical solutions to clients.
- Applied data analysis skills for work with Laboratory Information Management Systems.
- Collaborated with team members to manage and prioritize company goals efficiently.

## **Sales Support Specialist**

May 2019 – August 2019

Citrix Systems Inc., Ft. Lauderdale, FL

- Constructed legal contracts for the renewal division of the company using Microsoft software.
- Collaborated in facilitating pipeline development for the company by specializing in the back end of the software.
- Spoke to clients and worked very closely with customer service to ensure customer satisfaction.

### **Internships**

### **Data Assistant**

June 2016 - August 2016

Reinsurance Broking Services, Buenos Aires, Argentina

- Assisted the company by thoughtfully gathering and sorting files, contacts, and data, for employee use.
- Lived in the capital of Argentina for a month to immerse myself in the Latin culture.

#### Research

#### Research assistant

*June* 2021 – May 2022

Brett Baker Lab, Austin, TX

 Developed a package and an application in R to interpret DNA and protein sequences and visualize relationships between organisms.

### Research assistant

January 2021 – May 2022

Justin Havird Lab, Austin, TX

- 2021 Undergraduate Research Fellowship Awardee.
- Collected mussels in the field, sampled them, and conducted phylogenetic analyses.
- Focused on conserving endangered freshwater mussels and aiding conservation practices for the species: *Strophitus Undulatus*.

## **Activities and Leadership**

## **Longhorn Pickleball Club President**

- Founded my own club at university to help spread the game of Pickleball.
- Recruited players and organized practice to develop their skills.

## University of Texas Men's Rugby Community Chair (2020) and Alumni Chair (2021)

• Organized several social and community service events between the Men's Rugby team and other locals.

# Skills

Spoken Languages: Spanish, English.

Programming Languages: Java (Certified), SQL (Certified), C++ (Certified), Python, R, Fortran, MATLAB, Microsoft Office, and SalesForce.

<sup>\*</sup> Certification documents can be found here: github.com/BryanVernon/Certifications