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#### Education

## University of California, Santa Cruz

Sept 2024 - June 2026

- In-progress B.S. Computer Engineering, planned minor in Environmental Sciences and Computer Science
- Coursework: Machine Learning, Deep Learning, Computer Architecture, Computer Networks, C Programming, Assembly

#### University of California, Berkeley

Aug 2023 - May 2024

- Visiting student, studied Electrical Engineering and Computer Science (EECS).
- Coursework: Signal Processing, Controls/Controllability, Circuit Analysis, Linear Algebra, Differential Equations

### **Berkeley City College**

Aug 2022 - May 2024

- A.S. in Computer and Electrical Engineering, A.S. Mathematics magna cum laude, member of Society of Scholars
- Coursework: C++, Java, SQL, Lisp/Scheme, Object Oriented Programming, Electronics, Circuit Analysis, Physics, Mathematics

#### Skills

Programming | Experienced - Python | Proficient - Scala, SQL, Bash | Novice - C++, R, Java, Scheme, IBM Qiskit, Lisp Tools: Apache Spark, AWS, BigQuery, Git, GitHub/BitBucket, Scikit-Learn, TSLearn, Pandas, NumPy, Seaborn, Matplotlib Cloud Computing, Data Structures and Algorithms, Machine Learning, Time-Series Forecasting/Clustering, and Serverless

# Work Experience

Student Assistant III – Machine Learning Lawrence Berkeley National Laboratory Nov 2023 – Oct 2024

I developed load shifting/forecasting algorithms for water heaters (HPWHs) and thermostats at the Building Technologies Division.

- Served as technical lead for a PG&E and SCE pilot program. Built a signal processing tool using **Python** with **TSLearn** and **scikit-learn** to achieve 95% **clustering** accuracy with Gradient Boosting Regressor, Barycenter Averaging, and other algorithms
- Developed advanced control signal algorithms using Python which reduced peak electricity usage by 70% and costs by 29%
- Built industry smart-thermostat imputation tools using KNearestNeighbors, KShape, and Dynamic Time Warping with Python
- Utilized Dynamic Time Warping (DTW) algorithm to align time-series data from malfunctioning sensors in a pilot system
- Met monthly with stakeholders from PG&E/SCE to help guide research goals, timelines, and technical documentation.

Student Assistant III – **Data Engineering** Lawrence Berkeley National Laboratory Jan 2024 – Oct 2024

I built and maintained large-scale data pipelines to analyze research data across teams at LBNL and the Energy Technologies Area

- Developed data analysis pipelines using SQL, Scala, and Apache Spark to process 3TB of data, ensuring federal data compliance
- Utilized on-site supercomputing resources to achieve \$30k in cost savings compared to public cloud services (AWS/Azure).
- Built tools for TB-scale data transfers using Google Service Accounts/APIs to streamline post-processing and data accessibility

Student Assistant I – **Data Analysis** Lawrence Berkeley National Laboratory May 2023 – Nov 2023

I assisted senior scientists and engineers with analyzing research results and writing reports/papers on topics related to energy grids

Build a tool to quantify Scope 2 greenhouse gas (GHG) emissions using Python, Pandas, and Seaborn. Led to a journal pub.

#### Research Papers

# IEEE DC Microgrid (ICDCM 2024) - co author

A Power-Centric Digitally-Managed 48V Distribution Technology

## ACEEE 2024 Summer Study on Energy Efficiency in Buildings - co author

Using advanced M&V data to quantify the greenhouse gas impact of energy efficiency projects in commercial buildings

# Leadership Experience

President - Electronics and Engineering Club at Berkeley City College

August 2022 - August 2024

- Led a team of 14 officers, with another +200 club members. Focused on organizing events and long-term investments.
- Managed and tracked use of over \$12,000 in club funding for use in tech, events, and socials for club members and staff.

#### **Personal Projects**

Quantum Optimization in Resource Management: Pool Pump Load Shifting for Reducing Costs. - Personal Project

- Working on a tool to optimize pump schedules in response to dynamic price signals to reduce costs, energy grid strain, and emissions.
- Encoded signals into a QUBO (quadratic unconstrained binary optimization) then using quantum algorithms to solve the system

Voice Controlled Robot Car Project - EECS 16B Final Project at UC Berkeley - Personal/Class Project

- Implemented a closed-loop controller using feedback to overcome friction, adjust for motor differences, and travel straight
- Applied electrical engineering, controls, machine learning, and circuit analysis theoretical knowledge into a working vehicle.
- Designed and programmed the feedback control policy to allow the car to turn in specific directions when prompted via voice.