#### IRIS BROOK

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# **EDUCATION**

## MASSACHUSETTS INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY, SLOAN SCHOOL OF MANAGEMENT

Cambridge, MA

Master of Business Analytics, Operations Research Center, GPA: 3.8/4.0

2023 - 2024

Coursework: Machine Learning, Optimization Methods, Analytics Edge, Digital Marketing, Marketing & Product Analytics

- Optimization Project: Optimized allocation of MBTA bus routes to fulfill passenger demand, attaining 95% coverage of demand while reducing the bus fleet size by 30% (Julia)
- Analytics Edge Project: Developed a boosted regression model for Delta's flight disturbances using feature analysis of delay and cancellation data; presented recommendations for reducing future disruptions (Python, Julia)
- Leadership: MBAn Leadership Council Director of Events

## TULANE UNIVERSITY, A. B. FREEMAN SCHOOL OF BUSINESS

New Orleans, LA

2019 - 2023

Bachelor of Science in Management, cum laude GPA: 3.8/4.0

- Major: Business Management and Computer Science, Minor: Mathematics
- Coursework: Corporate and Cooperative Strategy, Ordinary Differential Equations, Strategic Management
- Leadership: Supplemental Instructor for Business Analytics classes for 3 years, Secretary for Phi Mu Fraternity

## TECHNICAL SKILLS

• Python, R, SQL, Julia, LaTeX, Salesforce, DataBricks, PyCharm, Tableau

#### **EXPERIENCE**

# MIT SLOAN / MFS Investment Management

Cambridge, MA

Data Science Intern; Capstone Project (7 months)

February - August 2024

- Engineered an NLP-powered tool for efficient meeting note summarization, transforming over 500 keywords into structured discussion topics that seamlessly integrate into the recommendation system, optimizing client engagement
- Led development of topic impact scoring framework that informed future investment decisions, driving a projected \$3.4 million in value by maximizing efficiency in client interactions
- Established a topic recommendation system for client-facing teams, cutting preparation time by 37.5% and enabling a 10% increase in weekly meetings, strengthening client relationships and fostering sustained investments

MIT SLOAN / AB INBEV

Cambridge, MA

Analytics Lab Project Team Member (Python, SQL, DataBricks) Product Ranking Framework

August - December 2023

- Developed a LightGBM ranking algorithm, integrating behavioral data; resulted in a 1% and 3% increase in precision and recall respectively for the recommended order category as well as 8% increase in mean average precision for the upsell category
- Directed the creation of 2 distinct Random Forest models involving cleaning, integration, and enhancements of datasets

# LEPAGE CENTER FOR ENTREPRENEURSHIP AND INNOVATION

New Orleans, LA

Center for entrepreneurship at Tulane University and across the Gulf South

2022 - 2023

## Research Assistant and Student Fellow

- Drove 20% increase in pitch competition participation through strategic marketing initiatives and stakeholder engagement
- Developed Greater New Orleans Startup Report, leading data collection efforts that captured 70% of Gulf South entrepreneurs

CELONIS Chicago, IL

German data processing company that offers software as a service to improve business processes

Summer 2022

# Intern Execution Management Consultant

- Led development of SQL forecasting model and visual analytics dashboard that uncovered \$30M in operational efficiencies, driving executive decision-making through innovative process visualization
- Managed portfolio of 15-20 daily customer requests, taking initiative to develop comprehensive process analysis dashboards

SIGMA Sharon, CT

Nonprofit enrichment STEM program

2021 - Present

**Assistant Director** 

- Directed operations for two 180-person STEM programs, overseeing \$800K budget and leading team of 75 volunteer staff
- Formalized organizational processes and workflows, enabling transition to a small business and the successful launch of a second educational program expanding overall program capacity by over 50%

## ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

- Languages: Russian (fluent), Spanish (basic)
- Interests: competitive ballet and jazz dancer, painting with oil and acrylic paints, passionate event planner