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EDUCATION St. Louis, MO

Washington University in St. Louis

• B.S/M.S: Mathematics + Computer Science

Aug. 2022 – May 2026

Honors and Activities: Taylor Scholar (full tuition), Chancellor's Fellow, 3x WashU Hackathon (2023 Organizer)

GPA: **3.9**

• Relevant Coursework: Machine Learning, Object Oriented Design, Advanced DSA, System Design, Bayesian Statistics, Optimization

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCES & INVOLVEMENT

Software Engineering Intern

June – Sep. 2025

San Francisco, CA

City and County of San Francisco

- Scaled Flask-based webserver used by all city administrators from 20 to 1000+ daily users; coordinated workers & threading using Gunicorn on Linux w/ load balancing; resulting server is non-blocking & stable for 500+ concurrent RPM; designed robust server locks for STA processes & offloading CPU tasks to Celery ensuring 100% server up time.
- Deployed a light-weight Redis cache in backend for frequent & heavy DB queries; configured HTTP headers for caching static assets client side; drastically reducing Largest Content Paint by 70% to <400ms for page loads on average; introduced asynchronous models in JS frontend to eliminate all UI freezes.
- Optimized SQL database queries & managed DB sessions to alleviate existing pool exhaustion issues; established a new read-only DB replica for higher throughput reads & 100% DB availability.

Machine Learning Intern

Jan. – Apr. 2025

SF Office Of The Chief Medical Examiner

San Francisco, CA

- Designed a LLM for generating concise impressions for complex forensic cases; applied 8-bit quantization to Qwen-235B & performed parameter-efficient tuning w/ HF's LoRA library; pipeline fully configured for CUDA w/ batching; achieved training speedup of 400% & GPU memory reduction of 50%; resulting impressions accelerated SF's forensic case turnaround time by 15% MoM.
- Built a reusable training repo w/ HF & PyTorch for validating key business records sent to permanent storage; image-based validation using OpenAI's CLIP; resulting workflow is 100% unsupervised & filters 100% of false negatives.

Large Language Models Intern

May - Aug. 2024

Rad AI

San Francisco, CA

- Led developments of a full-stack search feature using a RAG framework on 300k+ internal patient records; stored embedded documents in a Pinecone vector database w/ Langchain pipeline for optimized retrieval; Pydantic for API validation.
- Established lightning-speed asynchronous API's for inference using FastAPI; deployed through Docker containers on AWS lambda instances; achieved real-time inference speed of <2000ms per request + model query.

PERSONAL PROJECTS (More)

- URL Shortner: Golang webserver for shortening any URL designed to be fast; setup go routines & channels for a fully concurrency-safe model; JS websockets for real-time url syncing up to 50+ users; MRU Redis cache in RAM for instant access.
- HalluAgent: Developed a proprietary <u>framework</u> for <u>utilizing SLMs</u> to detect and correct hallucinations in GPT-3.5; trained SLMs as agents to evaluate LLM response via functional API's (ie. Calculator, maps, etc); tuning done w/ HF Trainer library
- **Diary App:** Full-stack <u>website</u> for writing diaries; built w/ .NET MVC framework in C#; setup RESTful APIs and a dynamic UI that reminds users daily via http polling; stored data in a NoSQL JSON document store; deployed on AWS ec2.

SKILLS

- ML: PyTorch, TensorFlow, HuggingFace, Pydantic, Langchain, PySpark, Pinecone, CUDA, Pandas
- Backend: Java, C++, Python, NodeJS, ExpressJS, Socket.io, FastAPI, SQL, NoSQL, C#, .NET, Golang, Flask, Celery
- Frameworks: Jupyter, AWS, MongoDB, Docker, Kubernetes, Git, Bash, Linux, Gunicorn & Uvicorn, Redis