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Personal Statement: Aspiring Software Engineer and Data Scientist with a diverse background. I'm passionate about innovation and continuous learning. Hire me, and you'll get a divergent thinker who thrives in fast-paced, collaborative teams.

EDUCATION:

• Master of Science (M.S.) in Data Science

The University of Arizona, Tucson, Arizona — Expected Graduation: May 2027

• Bachelor of Science (B.S.) in Electrical & Computer Engineering

Dual tracks: Electrical Engineering Track and Computer Engineering track

Minor Computer Science

The University of Arizona, Tucson, Arizona - December 2023

GPA: 3.50

• Bachelor of Science (B.S.) in Physics

Minor Mathematics

The University of Arizona, Tucson, Arizona - May 2024

GPA: 3.50

EXPERIENCE:

Summer 2023 Intern at Clinisys (Tucson, AZ office).

- Worked both independently and as part of a team to identify and mitigate security vulnerabilities in C# code, enhancing application security and improving code quality.
- Developed Python automation scripts using the Veracode API and XML file processing to generate weekly reports through Azure Pipelines, optimizing the detection and management of security vulnerabilities.
- Collaborated with the development team to improve software performance and security through iterative testing and debugging, aligning with best practices in secure coding and development.
- Demonstrated leadership by independently organizing and executing a Python project, delivering software that fully met all specified requirements.

Summer 2022 REU Cognitive and High Frequency Radio at The University of Arizona.

• Conducted data analysis and algorithm development to construct and implement a reinforcement learning model for optimizing 5G virtual networks (slices). Contributed to the design and simulation of next-gen wireless communication systems during the Summer 2022 REU program.

The University of Arizona, Department of Physics (2019-2022).

• Collaborated with the CERN muon spectrometer calibration team, coding in C/C++ to enhance the accuracy of experimental data collection. Developed Python scripts to build a data-driven, model-independent machine learning algorithm for the search for Long Lived Particles (LLPs) at the Large Hadron Collider (LHC), contributing to cutting-edge particle physics research under the guidance of Prof. Ken Johns.

PROJECTS:

Software: The University of Arizona ENGR 498A/498B 'Senior Design.'

• Built a full-stack website using HTML, PHP, JavaScript, SQL, and Python to generate various health-based questionnaires with different sizes and response types. The questionnaire system was powered by supervised machine learning algorithms written in Python.

AWARDS:

- Best use of embedded intelligence Senior Design at the University of Arizona, May 2023.
- Selected for CERN 'SUPER award' research grant, May 2022.
- Selected for Summer REU 'Cognitive Radio and High Frequency Research', Univ. of Arizona, Summer 22'.

SOFTWARE FLUENCY:

- Software and Development tools: Python, Java, C, C#, C++, MySQL, MongoDB, Express.js, React, Node.js, Git, Git-Hub
- Operating Systems: Windows 10/11, Ubuntu
- Task Management Tools: Windows PowerShell, Unix Terminal