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# **EDUCATION**

## The University of Texas at Dallas

December 2025

Bachelor of Science in Computer Information Systems and Technology

Dallas, TX

# Experience

Red Hat

May 2025 - August 2025

Machine Learning Engineer Intern

Boston, MA

- Designed and implemented inline and remote post-training providers for **Direct Preference**Optimization (DPO) in Llama Stack, enabling scalable multi-GPU distributed fine-tuning.
- Proposed and built a post-training pipeline for **RAG systems** using **contrastive learning** and a **neural fusion model** to blend dense, sparse, and metadata signals, boosting **retrieval accuracy**.
- Researched and prototyped a decentralized LLM inference system by building a private peer-topeer mesh network with **dynamic layer-wise model sharding**, enabling scalable LLM inference.

Red Hat

May 2024 – August 2024

Software Engineer Intern

Raleigh, NC

- Architected a query classification system for OpenShift Lightspeed's LLM layer by training and integrating an ML model to filter OpenShift-specific queries and prevent excessive compute usage.
- Led development of telemetry reporting and S3-based data ingestion, using NLP to generate automated KPIs and implementing CI/CD pipelines to support iterative product improvement.

# Blackstone (LaunchPad)

June 2023 - May 2024

Dallas, TX

Software Engineer Intern

- Developed an automated content optimization system leveraging GPT-4 API to generate **context-aware website content**, increasing user engagement and overall site traffic by more than 15%.
- Engineered a data-capture module enabling efficient lead generation and visitor data collection, boosting marketing operations effectiveness by 3% and streamlining business-intelligence processes.

## STARTUP EXPERIENCE

**Spin (Concluded)** | Python, FastAPI, OpenAI API, Supabase, Terraform, React.js Founder & Founding Engineer

www.tryspin.io

Demo Video

- Built Spin, a multi-cloud platform enabling natural language-driven infrastructure provisioning.
- Progress: Developed an LLM-driven agentic orchestration pipeline spanning AWS, GCP, and Azure.

**DietAI (Acquired)** | Python, Swift, SwiftUI, FastAPI, OpenAI Vision API Founding Engineer & Advisor

www.dietapp.ai

App Link

- Joined and co-built DietAI, a mobile app utilizing AI image classification for calorie counting.
- Progress: Achieved product growth to **50,000 downloads** and secured an acquisition in 8 months.

#### PROJECTS

**DecentraHealth** | Python, Flask, Node.js, OpenCV, TensorFlow, IPFS

Demo Video

• Bootstrapped DecentraHealth, a fully serverless decentralized telemedicine platform with IPFS-based video conferencing and AI-powered diagnostics, designed for reliable use in disaster zones.

Meta Glasses Enhancement | Python, JavaScript, Node.js, Browser Use API

Blog Post

• Discovered and created a system to enhance Meta Ray-Ban Glasses capabilities by enabling **voice commands** to communicate with a server for advanced task execution without an official SDK.

## TECHNICAL SKILLS

Languages: Python, JavaScript, Java, Go, Swift, Bash, SQL

Frameworks & Libraries: Llama Stack, FastAPI, Node.js, React.js, PyTorch, TensorFlow, TRL Developer Tools: AWS, Git, Terraform, Supabase, Kubernetes, Docker, torchrun, GitHub Actions Interests/Hobbies: Hackathons, Tech Conventions, Nintendo Gaming, Cafe Hoping, Rock Climbing