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Born: February 9, 1997—Beer-Sheva, Israel

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## Current position(s)

*Research Assistant*, University of California, Berkeley — Pachter Group

- Research in novel approaches to RNA-sequencing with the features in abundance estimation transcript annotation difficulties, differential expression
- Optimization of statistical likelihood model through non uniform distribution analysis to increase accuracy for projections onto subspaces

*Research Assistant*, University of California, Berkeley — Rao Group • Investigating phylogenetic algorithms in computational biology

## Areas of specialization

Electrical Engineering & Computer Science • Computational Biology • Machine Learning

## Positions held

2016s	Factual Inc, Research & Development Intern
2015s	Carl's Jr Enterprises, Cashier
2013-2014	Speech & Debate, President
2013-2014	Science Olympiad, Captain
2012s, 2013s	University of California, Irvine Calitz, Research & Development Intern
2013s	Pabrai Investment Funds, Analyst Intern

## Education

2014-2017	BSc <i>in progress</i> Electrical Engineering and Computer Science, University of California, Berkeley <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• 3.6/4.0 GPA</li></ul>
2011-2014	DIPLOMA La Cañada High School <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• 4.7/4.0 GPA</li><li>• 2310/2400 SAT</li></ul>

## Honors & awards

2014 MIT Think Scholarship, Massachusetts Institute of Technology

## Relevant Skills

Proficient Programming Languages: Java • Python • C • R  
Mathematics: Calculus (integral, differential, vector, multivariable) • Discrete Mathematics

Competent Programming Languages: CSS • HTML • Android SDK development • Shiny • Scheme/Lisp • SQLite  
Mathematics: Statistics • Calculus (Lambda) • Probability theory • Algebra • (Partial) Differential Equations)

## Coursework

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Fall 2014 *University of California, Berkeley*  
Computer Science 61A — Structure and Interpretation of Computer Programs  
Mathematics 1A — Calculus  
Earth & Planetary Science C129 — Biometerology  
Education 186AC — The Southern Border  
Comparative Literature R1B — Comparative World Literature  
Mechanical Engineering 98 — Directed Group Study

Spring 2015 *University of California, Berkeley*  
Mathematics 54 — Linear Algebra and Differential Equations  
Computer Science 61B — Data Structures  
Physics for Scientists and Engineers 7A — Mechanics  
Education 190 — Critical Studies in Education  
Computer Science 98 — Directed Group Study

Summer 2015 *University of California, Berkeley*  
Mathematics W53 — Multivariable Calculus

*California State University, Fullerton*  
Physics 226 — Electricity & Magnetism  
Physics 226L — Electricity & Magnetism Lab

Fall 2015 *University of California, Berkeley*  
Computer Science 70 — Discrete Mathematics & Probability Theory  
Electrical Engineering 16A — Designing Information Devices and Systems I  
Computer Science 199 — Research under Professor Lior Pachter  
History 162A — Europe and the World: Wars, Empire, Nations 1648-1914

Spring 2016 *University of California, Berkeley*  
Computer Science 61C — Machine Architectures

Computer Science C8 — Introduction to Data Science  
Computer Science 160 — Human Computer Interaction  
Computer Science 199 — Research under Professor Lior Pachter  
College Writing 25AC — United States Education  
College Writing 10A — Introduction to Public Speaking  
College Writing 9C — Academic Writing

Fall 2016

*(IP) University of California, Berkeley*

Computer Science 170 — Efficient Algorithms & Intractable Problems  
Computer Science 176 — Algorithms in Computational Biology  
Electrical Engineering 16B — Designing Information Devices and Systems II  
Computer Science 199 — Research under Professor Lior Pachter  
Computer Science 199 — Research under Professor Satish Rao