# Ryan Schrader

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## **TECHNICAL SKILLS**

Languages: Proficient with Python, R, and SQL. Familiar with C++, C#, JavaScript, and HTML/CSS Tools: AWS (EC2, S3, Redshift, SageMaker)

## **EXPERIENCE**

Amazon June 2019 - November 2020

#### **Data Scientist**

- Produced a survival regression model in **Python** to predict subscription retention across the Amazon Kids+ business, to be used as a candidate for informing multi-year financial projections. Built a testing framework to compare various modeling experiments and backtest dates, and presented the findings in technical reports to stakeholders
- Deployed machine learning scientist colleague's algorithms into reusable end-to-end systems utilizing AWS
- Developed a web application prototype in **Python** to investigate subscription retention trends across various customer characteristics, enabling self-service analytics amongst business stakeholders
- · Automated the Amazon Kids+ weekly business report, reducing production time by 90% whilst enhancing iteration
- · Monitored and incrementally enhanced ETL pipelines critical for business reporting functions
- Resolved ad hoc analyses using SQL and Python for business stakeholders, enabling data-driven decision making
- · Mentored non-technical business partners regarding how to use SQL to pull basic statistics and trends

**Epic** April 2016 - March 2018

## **Software Developer & Data Scientist**

- Developed a predictive model in **R** to forecast patient arrival counts in an emergency department as well as predict anomalous arrival surge events, empowering directors to proactively allocate resources to meet demand
- Performed literature reviews and interviewed domain experts in support of model development and operationalization
- Built a time series forecasting framework in **R** that simplifies and enables fast data exploration, model training, and model validation, thereby speeding up developer velocity for time series-specific investigations
- Peer reviewed model implementation workflow proposals, regression and classification modeling code (R, Python), and machine learning infrastructure code (SQL, C#, JavaScript, Caché)
- · Mentored colleagues on time series analysis, anomaly detection, and predictive model development
- Maintained customer relationships with analytics teams and executives as one of Epic's data science liaisons, advocating for the customer's desired predictive use cases and collecting feedback for ongoing investigations
- · Communicated analytic results to technical and non-technical stakeholders, from within Epic and from customers

ProQuest January 2015 - December 2015

**Student Software Developer** – Multidisciplinary Design Program at the University of Michigan **Project** – Professional Researcher Activity Analysis and Prediction

• Developed a web application within a multidisciplinary team to analyze user log data of an online information service, enabling analysts to identify the cause of bottlenecks within customer workflows and act upon them

Epic Summer 2014 & Summer 2015

### **Software Developer Intern**

Summer 2015

- Implemented a RESTful web service API in C# to support Apple Wallet digital cards, enabling patients to easily
  access their health insurance information. Integrated with the Apple Push Notification Service for real-time updates
  Summer 2014
- Developed a web application prototype in JavaScript to track the location and status of patients as well as monitor
  the occupancy status of rooms in a clinical setting, permitting clinicians to efficiently locate and transfer patients

## **EDUCATION**

Currently pursuing the Google Cloud Professional Machine Learning Engineer certification

University of Michigan - Ann Arbor, MI

December 2015

Bachelor of Science in Engineering: Double Major in Computer Science and Data Science

GPA: 3.55