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Education

The Ohio State University

B.S. in Computer Science & Engineering | Specialization: Artificial Intelligence

Columbus, OH

Expected Graduation: May 2027

• Minor: Business | **GPA**: 3.65/4.00

• Relevant Coursework: Software 1: Software Components in Java, Engineering Calculus 2 & 3, Statistics for Engineers

Work Experience

Sherwin-Williams May 2025

Incoming Data Engineering Intern

Cleveland, OH

• Incoming Intern Summer 2025

The Ohio State University

AI/ML Undergraduate Research Assistant

Nov 2024 - Present Columbus. OH

- Developed a Python script to automate audio segmentation by extracting 30s to 5min segments from large MP3 files, automating 10,000+ smaller instances of usable data
- Mentored 4 student researchers, guiding them in adapting to High Performance Computing, successfully overseeing execution of scraping/labeling audio data, resulting in collection of 15,000+ instances of usable data

ServiQ Dec 2024 - Present

Founder / Technical Operations Lead | Feb 2025 - Present

Columbus, OH

- Led development and operations of ServiQ, a SaaS service hub, coordinating with 5+ local agencies, ensuring seamless task postings, resulting in a 30% increase in volunteer engagement with agency postings
- Managed agency relations by serving as primary point of contact, resolving 15+ technical/operational inquiries

Lead Software Developer | Dec 2024 - Feb 2025

- Developed an asynchronous data-fetching system using Firebase, Node.js, and Express to retrieve and display volunteer tasks from a Firebase real-time database, enabling real-time updates and handling 100+ tasks dynamically
- Deployed as a web app using Firebase Cloud Functions, optimizing backend performance and supporting 20+ users

Buckeye Autodrive Aug 2024 - Jan 2025

Software Developer - Object Perception

Columbus, OH

• Integrated YOLOv8 algorithms, enhancing object detection accuracy by 27% to increase vehicle safety/reliability

Projects

AI-Enhanced Wellness Coach | PyTorch, JavaScript, HTML, CSS, GPT-40

Oct 2024

• Developed an online fitness app that customizes workout plans based on user scores by leveraging machine learning to adapt routines to individual fitness levels, **improving recommendation accuracy by 15**%

Personal Financial Advisor | Python

May 2024

• Developed a Python application to analyze income and allocate spending across categories by implementing budgeting algorithms, improving financial responsibility and optimizing budget allocation by 30%

Leadership Experience

Mount Leadership Society | Financial Coordinator

Aug 2024 - Present

- Chosen as 1 of 100 students to a competitive scholar program based on leadership qualities and community service
- Managing funds of \$600+ for service-oriented initiatives, presenting budget plans to 100+ members at a time

Technical Skills

Languages: Python, Java, C/C++, SQL (Postgres), JavaScript, HTML/CSS, MATLAB

Tools & Frameworks: PyTorch, React.js, Node.js, CI/CD, AWS, Git, Azure, MongoDB, Firebase Certifications: AWS Certified Cloud Practitioner, PCEP – Certified Entry-Level Python Programmer