JAY BROWN

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EDUCATION

University of Michigan

Ann Arbor, Michigan

BACHELOR OF SCIENCE IN INFORMATION (GPA: 3.64/4.0)

Expected Dec. 2021

EXPERIENCE

University of Michigan
DATA ENGINEERING INTERN

Ann Arbor, Michigan

Oct. 2020 - Present

- Led team of 4 in automating data collection & processing protocol for data pipeline, reducing manual workload by 40%.
- Ingested data from disparate data sources using a combination of MYSQL, Python, and Django web framework.
- · Handled development and management of front end user interfaces with help of HTML, CSS and JavaScript.

DATA SCIENCE FELLOW

Aug. 2019 – Dec. 2019

- Assisted AI department with development of Tandem, a tool that uses data to improve teamwork.
- Collected and analyzed web log data to draw inferences from user behavior and aid UX researchers with product design.
- Developed a sentiment classifier to analyze student survey responses and identify pain points in student project groups.

UNDERGRADUATE RESEARCH FELLOW

May 2018 - Aug. 2018

- Conducted 400 hours of research towards the development of an algorithm to detect atmospheric rivers (ARs).
- · Wrote Python script to track and perform statistical analysis of high-latitude ARs along the coast of Alaska.

Tim Greimel For Pontiac Mayor

Pontiac, Michigan

FIELD DIRECTOR

May 2021 - Aug. 2021

- · Leveraged statistical methods to identify highly contested districts and inform our voter outreach strategy.
- Coordinated field canvassing efforts, led 40+ volunteers, and achieved a direct voter contact rate of 60%.

University of California

Berkeley, California

SUMMER RESEARCHER

May 2020 - Aug. 2020

- Explored misinformation and disenfranchisement operations on social media platforms.
- Analyzed and visualized Twitter data using k-means clustering algorithm to detect bot behavior.

Harvard University

Cambridge, Massachusetts

May 2019 - Aug. 2019

- TECHNOLOGY SCIENCE RESEARCH FELLOW
- · Wrote a Python script that classifies gender and ethnicity of a person using their first name.
- Collaborated with a team of 10 interns to organize and present research findings to the U.S Congress.

LEADERSHIP

STEMulated Auburn Hills, Michigan

FOUNDER & PRESIDENT

Aug. 2017 - Aug. 2018

- \bullet Founded a student organization that targeted increasing diversity in STEM (20+ members).
- Organized and led computer programming and college readiness workshops at local inner-city school (40+ students).
- Hosted panels by professional speakers to increase interest of underrepresented minority groups in STEM (60+ students).

Baldwin Center Pontiac, MI

ADULT EDUCATION COORDINATOR

May. 2015 - Feb. 2017

• Tutored 50+ adults in mathematics, language arts, and science topics.

- · Led an after-school program that targeted increasing the math and literacy rates in an inner-city school district (40+ students).
- Designed and implemented an academic plan for GED program, quadrupled the graduation rate (300+ GED students).

SKILLS

Programming: Python, Java, C++

Libraries: NumPy, SciPy, Pandas, Matplotlib, Scikit, Beautiful Soup, PySpark, Plotly, TensorFlow

Algorithms: Logistic Regression, Linear Regression, Naive Bayes, K-Means Clustering, PCA, Random Forests

Web: HTML/CSS/Javascript, Django, REST, Firebase, Bootstrap

Technologies: Linux, Jupyter, Visual Studios, Excel, SOL, PostgreSOL, MySOL, Git, Bash, JSON, Mapbox