

# Aaron Ma

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## EDUCATION

<b>University of British Columbia</b> <i>Bachelor of Computer Science (BCS)</i> <i>BA in Psychology, Minor in Commerce with Distinction</i>	Vancouver, BC <i>Sep 2024 – May 2027</i>
	<i>May 2022</i>

## SKILLS

**Languages:** HTML | CSS | JavaScript | TypeScript | Python | Java | C++ | R | SQL  
**Tools & Frameworks:** pandas | numPy | React | Express | Oracle | MongoDB | Flask | scikit-learn | pytest | JUnit | matplotlib | recharts | plotly | SAP Analytics Cloud | mocha | chai | Tailwind

## WORK EXPERIENCE

<b>SAP</b> <i>iXp Customer Success Marketing &amp; Communications Specialist</i>	Vancouver, BC <i>Dec 2022 – Aug 2023</i>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Used <b>Python</b> libraries <b>pandas</b> &amp; <b>numPy</b> to automate 3 unique customer success (CS) events' data cleansing &amp; manipulation workflows, increasing efficiencies by on average 98%</li><li>Spearheaded a CS data dashboard for 6 products for 50+ internal pre/post sales teams with <b>SAP Analytics Cloud</b></li><li>Decreased time lag of CS event data availability to internal teams by 50% through <b>workflow automation</b></li><li>Utilized <b>Python</b> library <b>pytest</b> to write unit tests for data validation reflecting full code coverage with documentation for technical &amp; non-technical users</li><li>Crafted impact analysis decks for 5 CS events using Excel, <b>Tableau</b> and <b>Python</b>, analyzing redundancies &amp; alignment with business objectives</li></ul>	

<b>UBC Institute for Resources, Environment and Sustainability</b> <i>Communications and Administrative Assistant</i>	Vancouver, BC <i>January 2022 – September 2022</i>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Removed outage by creating transitional webpage with <b>HTML</b> &amp; <b>CSS</b> replacing deprecated software</li></ul>	

## PROJECTS

<b>Netflix Wrapped – Personal</b>	<i>Sep 2024 – Present   <a href="#">Repository</a></i>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Created full-stack web app with frontend <b>React</b>, <b>axios</b> requests to send/receive Netflix activity and visualize <b>Python</b> wrangled data viewing patterns with <b>recharts</b></li><li>Used <b>Python</b> to implement <b>Flask API</b> for file uploads, sessional data transfer for graphs, and user information</li><li>Utilized <b>Python</b> libraries <b>pandas</b> &amp; <b>numPy</b>, to clean, manipulate and visualize user Netflix viewing activity data</li><li>Used <b>Kaggle Netflix Dataset</b> for data validation, enrichment for media type, rating, and genre analysis</li><li>Executed <b>nltk token analysis matching</b> for <b>data validation</b> between different database sources for future enrichment</li><li>Performed <b>data visualization</b> with <b>recharts</b> &amp; <b>plotly</b>: Watch time patterns for media types, titles, ratings, duration</li></ul>	

<b>Calm Corners – BCS Hacks 2025 (Hackathon)</b>	<i>29-30 March, 2025   <a href="#">Repository</a>   <a href="#">Devpost</a></i>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>Developed a crowdsourced, real-time noise-level tracker web app for study spots using the <b>MERN</b> stack (<b>MongoDB</b>, <b>Express</b>, <b>React</b>, <b>Node</b>) with <b>TypeScript</b></li><li>Integrated <b>Google Maps API</b> to fetch and display study locations (e.g., libraries, cafes) with interactive, color-coded noise level markers</li><li>Designed and implemented <b>MongoDB schemas</b> to store Google Maps landmark data and user-submitted noise reviews</li><li>Built <b>RESTful API</b> endpoints with Express to handle <b>axios</b> requests between <b>React</b> frontend and <b>MongoDB</b></li><li>Created a responsive, mobile-friendly frontend in <b>React</b>, styled with <b>Tailwind CSS</b>, featuring dynamic noise review displays and real-time updates</li></ul>	

<b>Welldo – Academic</b>	<i>Oct 2024 – Nov 2024   <a href="#">Repository</a></i>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>A mental health activity app that recommends pre-set and personalized activities that correspond to different moods</li><li>Designed and implemented an <b>ER diagram</b> to establish the relational database schema using <b>Oracle</b></li><li>Wrote <b>SQL</b> queries (aggregations, division, etc) to retrieve insights, and generate test data</li><li>Created a backend <b>API</b> using <b>Express</b> to handle database queries &amp; dynamic data and integrate with the frontend</li><li>Built a responsive frontend with <b>React</b>, including user authentication and dynamic display of query results</li><li>Collaborated using <b>Git</b> for version control, resolving merge conflicts and managing pull requests collaboratively</li></ul>	