# **ALEX BASS**

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### **EDUCATION**

University of VirginiaExpected Apr 2023Master of Science: Data ScienceWashington, DC

Brigham Young University
Bachelor of Arts: Political Science
Provo, UT

Minor in Political Research and Data Analysis

### **EXPERIENCE**

Echelon Insights April 2020-Present

Research Analyst

Washington, D.C.

- Led in modeling projects predicting election turnout for entire U.S. in 2022, phone response rates, etc.
- Wrangled, cleaned, weighted, or made presentations for 60+ survey datasets with R, SQL, and AWS
- Using R Shiny, built a codeless-crosstab tool for company's research team
- Programmed 40+ surveys using Alchemer/Survey Gizmo

# **Center for the Study of Elections and Democracy**

Dec 2018-April 2020

Provo, UT

Research Fellow

Mentored 60+ students in solving econometrics problems in weekly office hours

Programmed and executed multiple survey experiments in original research projects

• Visualized data using R creating 50+ informative figures for the AFS official report, news outlets, and professor's projects

# **TargetPoint Consulting**

Sept 2018-Dec 2018

Intern

Washington, D.C.

- Cleaned up and analyzed survey research data with SPSS providing insights to political candidates in races
- Researched and created original report of partisan breakdown of different sports' fans in Boston
- Created Microsoft PowerPoint presentations describing survey findings

### **VOLUNTEER EXPERIENCE**

# The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints

Jun 2017-Aug 2018

Group Leader / Facilitator

Salt Lake City, UT

 Facilitated group help meetings to help find jobs, further education, and support personal finance habits

## **IMPACT – Teen help organization**

Sept 2016 – Apr 2017

Teen Counselor

Provo, UT

Planned and organized weekly activities and visits with troubled teens

### The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints

Jun 2014-Jun 2016

2-Year Full-Time Church Service Representative

Salt Lake City, UT

- Facilitated group help meetings to help find jobs, further education, and support personal finance habits
- Participated in regular community service
- Involved in missionary leadership conducting meetings and supporting a team