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EDUCATION

Northwestern University, Evanston, IL

Expected June 2026

Bachelor of Arts, Major in Computer Science and Economics, Minor in Data Science, General Music

- Relevant Coursework: Fundamentals of Computer Programming (Seq. 1, 1.5, and 2), Data Structures, Computer Systems, Intro to AI, Data Visualization, Data Science with Python, Mathematical Fundamentals of Programming
- Cumulative GPA: 3.7/4.0 | Technological Fraternity KTP

Gunn High School, Palo Alto, CA

August 2018 – June 2022

- Cumulative GPA: 4.0/4.0 | SAT Score: 1540 | Nation Merit Finalist | AP Scholar

RELEVANT EXPERIENCE

Ridge Security, Milpitas, CA

June 2024 – Present

Software Engineer Intern

- Worked as part of the platform team and developed the RidgeCompass generative AI service, a portal allowing users to upload vulnerability reports and transform them with customization, translation, compliance with standards
- Created Flask program in an AWS EC2 instance, integrating with AWS S3, API Gateways, and Lambda
- Resolved platforming bugs and support tickets for RidgeBot versions, performing localization for international clients, translating 20,000+ lines of JSON values into several languages with the support of GPT API and Python scripting

NU DISC (Develop + Innovate for Social Change), Evanston, IL

January 2024 – May 2024

Software Engineer

- Fixed a chrome extension for nonprofit organization Kids in Danger, working with AWS, API calls, and fullstack development using Flask, BeautifulSoup, and SBERT to display recall data on Amazon products for consumers
- Reduced database fetching by several seconds for API calls by reworking the algorithm for product and recall matching
- Collaborated on Figma mockups and produced prototypes with alternative frameworks including Node.JS

Northwestern, Evanston, IL

September 2023 – June 2024

Peer Mentor

- Assisted professor in CS 110 Introductory Programming by helping with grading, answering questions, and holding office hours for class of over 100 students over 10+ assignments and quizzes throughout the quarter
- Led weekly discussion section with 15 students going over self-made programming questions to help them prepare for quizzes and homework and communicated progress of students with professor and TA's in weekly meetings

PROJECTS

Baseball Pitching Analysis – *Rstudio, Ggplot*

March 2024

- Generated graphics with GgPlot depicting pitch data in various mediums using large data from BaseballSavant database to find conclusions of pitching patterns from MLB players, cross-referencing through innings and seasons

Stock Market Web App – *Python, Dash, Sklearn*

January 2023 – April 2023

- Built a live-updating webapp using Dash that combines frontend and backend to plot various graphs based on different stock market variables, and predict future stock expectations training on a user-picked time constraints using Sklearn

SQL Environment – *C, C++*

January 2023 – April 2023

- Programmed a fully-functional SQL environment using C and C++ as part of CS 211 class, handling user input and text files, queries, and edge cases. Deals with memory allocation accordingly so the program never crashes

Instacart Accessibility Chrome Extension - *Javascript*

May 2020 – July 2020

- Designed a chrome extension to help seniors navigate through websites like Instacart by guiding them through the purchasing process, conducting market research by interviewing 10+ seniors and achieving over 80+ survey responses
- Underwent the entrepreneurial process from mockups to logistics, evaluating viability and achievability of 5+ products, presenting many times throughout the design process, meeting with peer advisors and mentors to get feedback

SKILLS & INTERESTS

Languages: Python, HTML/CSS/Javascript, Typescript, C, C++, Java, R

Technologies/Frameworks: Flask, Dash, Node.JS, React.JS, Next.JS, Tailwind CSS, Jinja2, Bootstrap, AWS, Git, Sklearn

Additional Interests: Tennis, Guitar, Piano, Language Learning, Running