Alberto Olea

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Education

Northwestern University

Master of Science in Data Science (3.94) September 2024 - Present

University of Illinois at Chicago

Bachelor of Science in Industrial Engineering Graduated, May 2019

Elgin Community College (ECC)

Associate in Engineering Science Graduated, August 2015

Professional Experience

DYN Lab at Northwestern School of Education & Social Policy

March 2023 - March 2025

Research Analyst/Product Manager

- Led development of geo-based, activity data capture system to research youth informal learning spaces.
- Managed full production environment integration of out of school time scholarship allocation systems into the Citieslearn, ed-tech platform to provide users with fully funded, location-based, educational experiences.
- Led multi-disciplinary teams in designing, creating, and developing end-to-end learning software.
- Implemented web facing, interactive analytics tools like Tableau visualizations and interactive gis maps to map out citywide educational opportunity landscapes through frontend analytics websites.
- Engineered data pipelines and complex queries across relational SQL databases and Airtable forms.

MAPSCORPS Sep. 2021 – March 2023

Data & Technology Manager

- Created geospatial, asset based, policy proposals for nationwide cities and municipalities using custom built geospatial data systems across multiple internal teams + departments.
- Led boots on the ground data collection, cleaning, visualization, and analysis for external stakeholders such as the Chicago Community Trust and the city of Chicago's Mayoral office.
- Managed a diverse data team of 30+ analytics staff to implement IT infrastructure and reach KPI benchmarks while actively facilitating career growth and development opportunities for underserved populations.
- Performed Participatory Action Research, created and taught a robust data science curriculum for at risk youth across the south and west sides of Chicago

William Blair Jan. 2022 – June 2022

IT Investment Banking Analyst

- Applied data cleaning, wrangling, exploratory analysis, and prediction methods in python analyze confidential, founder-based, merger & acquisition data.
- Actively presented analysis findings and opportunities for improvement in founder-based M&A processes.
- Implemented real time analytics from salesforce crm into an internal ppt creation tool using Python-pptx.

Erie Family Health Centers

Sep. 2019 - May. 2021

Process Improvement Engineer

- Queried patient data with basic SQL functions while also de-identifying and protecting patient confidentiality.
- Implemented key performance indicators for continuous improvement at eight community serving health clinics

Lyric Opera House of Chicago

Aug. 2018 - Dec. 2018

Data Analytics Intern

- Cleaned large datasets of non-profit business intelligence data using R programming language.
- Used sentiment analysis algorithms (nlp, text analysis) to sort and quantify customer feedback

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Technical Skills

Programming: Python (eg. scikit-learn, spark, numpy, pandas, matplotlib), R-Studio, JavaScript, HTML, CSS, SQL, Go, GIS tools, Excel, G-suite, Google Colab, Visual Studio, Docker, Postgresql, Figma, JSON, GeoJSON

Data Science & Miscellaneous Technologies: A/B Testing, ETL, Data Science pipeline (cleansing, wrangling, visualization, modeling, interpretation), Modeling, Operations Research methods, Hypothesis Testing, OOP, API integration, Excel, Tableau, ArcGIS, Git

Academic Honors

Dean's List, Phi Theta Kappa Honor Society, Academic All-America (Awarded to top GPA's in student athletics), co founder & President Engineers Without Borders, Midwestern Regional Representative - Institute of Industrial and Systems Engineers, IFC Mathematics Tutor, Sigma Alpha Mu Fraternity Recruitment Chair, UIC Soccer Club

Volunteer Experiences

PARC at Depaul University,

Advisory Board Honorarium Nov. 2023 -Present

Bluebonnet Data,

Data Science Fellow Aug. 2023 – March 2024

Tech for Campaigns,

Data Analyst Volunteer May 2021 – April 2023

Environmental Neuroscience Lab at the University of Chicago,

Data Analytics Volunteer Oct. 2021 - June 2022

Lions of Illinois Eye Research Institute,

Junior Data Scientist/Research Assistant June 2019 - June 2020