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Education

Harvard University

Cambridge, MA
May 2024

- A.B. Candidate in Computer Science.
- Relevant coursework: Multivariable Calculus, Linear Algebra, Introduction to Probability, Applied Linear Algebra and Big Data, Mechanics, Electromagnetism, Abstraction and Design in Computation, and Systems Programming and Machine Organization.

Skills

Technical: C++, Python, PHP, HTML, CSS, JS, Java, OCaml, Matlab, \LaTeX , Mathematica.
Languages: Spanish (native), Mandarin Chinese (intermediate), and Japanese (beginner).

Relevant Experience PAWS - Software Engineer

Cambridge, MA
Jun 2022-Present

- Helping deploy a new version of the infrastructure of PAWS.

Wildlife Conservation Society

Remote

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C Minds Through The Remote Summer Program at DRCLAS

Remote
Apr-Aug 2021

- Worked at a women-led action tank for ethical AI in Mexico.
- Assisted in the early stages of installing a Living Lab in Yucatan and a Diabetic Retinopathy AI-based Screening Program in Jalisco.
- Helped draft policy briefs to overcome algorithmic discrimination.

Yale Summer Program in Astrophysics - Student Researcher

New Haven, CT
Jun-Aug 2018

- Modeled the orbit and physical characteristics of the asteroid 2002 UX. Supervised by Dr. Michael D. Faison, Ph.D.

Remote Engineering Project - Software Engineering Assistant

Remote
January 2020
2017-2019

- Spoke at the 235th A.A.S. conference in Honolulu, HI.
- Engineered a web-based interface that uses machine learning to determine the unknown physical parameters of stars. Supervised by Dr. Earl Bellinger, Ph.D. (*abstract here*).

Leadership & Activities

Women in Computer Science - DIB Advocacy Director

Cambridge, MA

- Diversity and Inclusion

Act on a Dream - Intersectionality Chair

Remote
Jan 2021-Dec 2021

- Taking initiatives to uphold the diversity of Harvard's campus by hosting of a virtual club fair and social media engagement.

Harvard University Foreign Policy Initiative - Policy Chair

Remote
Jan-May 2021

- Led the drafting and research for a policy project on rebuilding democracy in Peru (*policy brief here*).
- Helped draft a policy brief on human rights violations of Uyghurs.

Oct-Dec 2020