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EDUCATION

Claremont McKenna College, Claremont, CA

• BA in Data Science | GPA: 3.6/4.0

- McKenna Achievement Merit Scholarship (one of 15 recipients in the class of 2022)
- Study Abroad: University of Cape Town, South Africa | GPA: 3.7/4.0

July 2022 – December 2022

Graduation: December 2022

TECHNICAL SKILLS

- Computer Languages: Python, SQL, R, JavaScript, Java, MATLAB, Bash
- Tools: AWS, Databricks, PostgreSQL, Pandas, PySpark, Docker, Tableau, Matplotlib, Sklearn, Power BI, Git, JSON, XML
- Skills: Data Analysis, Machine Learning, Modeling, ETL Pipelines, RDBMS, Data Visualization, API Tools, CI/CD, Agile

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

German Football Association (DFB), Data Science Intern | Frankfurt, Germany

April 2023 – Present

- Simulated the Euro 2024 Qualifiers to predict the 24 teams to qualify for the tournament, improving resource allocation for the tournament by up to 20%; subsequently simulated the actual tournament to predict which teams Germany would most likely face, providing strategic insights for friendly match scheduling decisions ahead of the tournament
- Expanded the DFB's data tracking capabilities by 2% through the implementation of pipelines for new data sources (Hawkeye, SkillCorner, Noisefeed, etc.) and the augmentation of our PostgreSQL infrastructure to accommodate additional entities like referees and player images; eventually took over PostgreSQL responsibilities for the entire Data Science Team
- Worked with Match Analysts to improve and automate existing Scouting Tools/Products, reducing manual effort by ~50%
- Completed various ad-hoc requests from the first team coaching staff, often delivering results under strict time-constraints

Los Angeles Dodgers, Data Consultant | California, USA

January 2022 – June 2022

- Analyzed a dataset of 400,000+ observations and developed logistic, polynomial, and random forest models trained with and without spin profile characteristics to determine whether batted-ball spin contributes to quality of contact in baseball
- Presented a comprehensive, self-created R package and a Power BI Dashboard with key findings to the Dodgers R&D team

Crestron Electronics, *Data Engineering Intern* | New York, USA

May 2021 – August 2021

- Reduced business-processing times by 20-30% by constructing a platform to automate Project Intake at Crestron, providing a centralized database to manage projects and automatically assign relevant BPs to New Project Approval flows on Azure
- Integrated the Power BI REST API with Microsoft Power Automate and PowerPoint to allow users to instantly generate a complete, multi-slide PowerPoint Presentation with specific and relevant information about their Project

RxRate – an RxAll Company, Co-CEO | Remote

August 2019 – January 2020

• Coordinated RxRate website launch (Sep. 2019) and monitored its performance with Google Analytics and the Firebase SDK, achieving a bounce rate of 18%, a pages/session ratio of 2.73, and an average session duration of 00:03:15

RxAll, Software Developer Intern | Yangon, Myanmar

May 2019 – August 2019

- Developed a map-based web-app (RxRate) with the Google Maps API, Node.js, and MySQL that helps people find safe pharmacies and avoid counterfeit drugs in developing countries iterated with feedback from UI/UX testing
- Secured sign-ups to RxRate from over 20 pharmacies in Yangon, through sales pitches and product demonstrations

INDEPENDENT TECHNICAL PROJECTS

Senior Thesis, 'How COVID-19 Impacted Tertiary Education: Predicting the Educational Infrastructure of the Future'

Evaluated 4.5 million observations using multiple linear/logistic regression, random forest, and SVM classification

Developing a Highly Scalable Web Search Engine

Achieved a webpage rendering time of 0.006s using WARC files from the multi-petabyte common crawl dataset

Scanning all Geotagged Tweets in 2020 to Monitor the Spread of COVID-19 on Social Media

Analyzed a dataset of over 1.1 billion tweets using MapReduce to create parallel code and work with multilingual text

SKILLS AND INTERESTS

- Language Fluency: English (fluent) | German (fluent) | French (intermediate) | Afrikaans (elementary)
- Music Production: Proficiency in Ableton Live, Avid Pro Tools, sound synthesis, and sound design
- Competitive Sports: Claremont Cougars Lacrosse (3 years) | TASIS England Varsity Soccer (3 years), Captain (1 year)
- Competitive Traveling: Traveled to and explored over 65 countries worldwide