

# Alexander W. Lee

## Curriculum Vitae

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### Education

- 2024– Brown University  
Ph.D. in Computer Science, GPA: 4.00/4.00  
Advisor: Uğur Çetintemel
- 2018–2022 Amherst College  
B.A. in Computer Science and Mathematics, *summa cum laude*, GPA: 3.95/4.00  
Thesis: DIFFUSR: *Distortion-Free Swap-Randomization for Statistically-Testing Data Mining Results*  
Advisor: Matteo Riondato

### Publications and Preprints

All publications and preprints are available from <https://alexanderwlee.com/publications>

- [1] **Alexander W. Lee**, Justin Chan, Michael Fu, Nicolas Kim, Akshay Mehta, Deepti Raghavan, and Ugur Cetintemel. *Semantic Integrity Constraints: Declarative Guardrails for AI-Augmented Data Processing Systems*. 2025. arXiv: 2503.00600 [cs.DB]
- [2] Maryam Abuissa, **Alexander Lee**, and Matteo Riondato. “ROHAN: Row-order agnostic null models for statistically-sound knowledge discovery”. In: *Data Mining and Knowledge Discovery* 37.4 (2023), pp. 1692–1718. DOI: 10.1007/s10618-023-00938-4
- [3] **Alexander Lee**, Stefan Walzer-Goldfeld, Shukry Zablah, and Matteo Riondato. “A Scalable Parallel Algorithm for Balanced Sampling (Student Abstract)”. In: *Proceedings of the AAAI Conference on Artificial Intelligence*. Vol. 36. 11. 2022, pp. 12991–12992. DOI: 10.1609/aaai.v36i11.21632

### Honors and Awards

- 2024 NSF Graduate Research Fellowship, National Science Foundation  
*National research fellowship for outstanding STEM graduate students*
- 2022 The Computer Science Prize, Amherst College  
*Top student in computer science, based on honors thesis and overall achievement*
- 2022 Phi Beta Kappa, Amherst College  
*National honor society*

## Industry Experience

- 2022–2024      Software Engineer, Cloud + AI, Microsoft  
*Developed product catalog services that power the company's commerce platforms*
- Summer '21      Software Engineer Intern, Cloud + AI, Microsoft  
*Built diagnostic tooling to debug issues in the business's product catalog services*
- Summer '20      Software Engineer Intern, Fidelity  
*Created call routing and productivity software for the company's contact centers*
- Summer '19      Software Engineer Intern, Health Sqyre  
*Refined the payment microservice for the startup's medical supplies marketplace*

## Research Mentorship Experience

- 2024–              Justin Chan, Brown University  
*Semantic Integrity Constraints*
- 2024–              Michael Fu, Brown University  
*Semantic Integrity Constraints*
- 2024–              Nicolas Kim, Brown University  
*Semantic Integrity Constraints*
- 2024–              Akshay Mehta, Brown University  
*Semantic Integrity Constraints*

## Teaching Experience

### Teaching Assistant

- 2023–2024      AP CS Principles, Francis Marion School (Microsoft TEALS Program)
- Fall '20              COSC 111: Introduction to Computer Science I, Amherst College
- Fall '19              COSC 112: Introduction to Computer Science II, Amherst College

### Peer Tutor

- Spring '20      COSC 211: Data Structures, Amherst College
- Spring '19      COSC 111: Introduction to Computer Science I, Amherst College

## Leadership Experience

- Spring '22      Tech Peer Mentor, Amherst College Center for International Student Engagement  
*Mentored a cohort of six international students interested in pursuing careers in tech*
- Fall '20,              President, Amherst College Association for Computing Machinery Student Chapter  
Spring '21      *Led alumni panels, interview prep sessions, and software engineering crash courses*

## Coursework

### Graduate

Computer Science	Topics in Database Management, Database Management Systems, Computational Linguistics, Probabilistic Methods in Computer Science
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### Undergraduate

Computer Science	Data Mining, Machine Learning, Artificial Intelligence, Evolutionary Computation, Distributed Algorithms, Parallel and Distributed Computing, Computer Security, Networks, Computer Architecture, Computer Systems, Algorithms, Data Structures, Introduction to Computer Science II, Introduction to Computer Science I
Mathematics	Probability, Real Analysis, Abstract Algebra, Linear Algebra, Discrete Mathematics, Multivariate Calculus, Intermediate Calculus, Introduction to Statistical Modeling

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