# Alex Levesque

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# **EDUCATION**

#### Queen's University, Kingston, Canada

2024 - Apr 2028

- BASc in Applied Mathematics and Computer Engineering | Relevant Coursework GPA: 3.82/4.00
- Fall 2025 Coursework: Differential Equations, Vector Calculus, Data Structures, Algebraic Structures and Discrete Math, Digital Systems, Engineering Design and Practice

# PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

## AI Researcher, Algoverse AI Research

Jun - Oct 2025

- Conducted AI research in a 12-week program with mentorship from PhDs at Meta, OpenAI, and Princeton
- Enhanced large language models (Qwen3-235B-A22B, GPT-OSS) by implementing a self-contrastive Mixture-of-Experts (MoE) architecture using **PyTorch and Jupyter Notebooks**
- Co-authored a research paper under review, presenting novel contrastive decoding techniques that improve model efficiency by 2% across benchmarks in MoE architectures, showing measurable gains in large-scale AI performance

# GenAI Intern, Government of Canada – Immigration Board

May - Aug 2025

- Designed and implemented an Azure workflow to transcribe, categorize, and organize refugee documents with 93% accuracy, cutting manual processing time and improving operational efficiency
- Engineered an Azure chatbot using Cosmos DB (NoSQL), NLP, and embedding pipelines to automate legal document classification, cutting processing time from hours to under 10 minutes
- Delivered a conference presentation translating AI workflows and showcasing their business applications, enabling stakeholders to identify automation opportunities and improve operational efficiency

## PERSONAL PROJECTS AND EXTRACURRICULARS

#### Adaptive Reinforcement Learning Ensemble Strategy, Queen's AI Club

- Implemented and trained an ensemble of PPO, A2C, and TD3 reinforcement learning agents, enabling adaptive allocation across multiple market regimes via monthly rotation based on trailing performance
- Engineered a diversification framework that reduced portfolio volatility and improved risk-adjusted returns, validated by Sharpe ratio and drawdown analysis versus SPY Buy-and-Hold

#### Clue Game Strategy Optimization

- Developed a real-time probabilistic game engine to master the board game Clue using Bayesian inference, achieving 95% win accuracy after 8+ turns and efficiently updating probabilities from live game data
- Engineered a dynamic data structure and game state to track player hands and suggestion history, and applied Bayes' Rule to update conditional probabilities of 21 cards based on live evidence

#### AWARDS

#### **GRAMMY Music Award**, The Recording Academy

Feb 2024

• Received a **GRAMMY Award** for contributions to Killer Mike's *MICHAEL*, 2024 Rap Album of the Year; produced for the Migos, Gunna, Peso Pluma, Roddy Ricch, Polo G, A Boogie, Lil Tjay, Skepta, Cam'ron, etc.

# Canada's Top Students, Scotiabank

Nov 2025

• Selected as 1 of 32 attendees for Scotiabank's Canada's Top Students conference and case competition

#### TECHNICAL SKILLS

Languages: Python, C++, C, SQL, fluent and native in English and French

Libraries & Frameworks: Pandas, Jupyter Notebook, PyTorch, Scikit-learn, Cosmos DB

Tools & Platforms: Microsoft Azure, Git, Copilot Studio, n8n, Microsoft Office

Interests: Music Production, Karate Black Belt, Alternative Data, Classical Piano, Philosophy, Bayern Munich FC