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Short Bio:

I am motivated to solve complex business problems with software and data. While I am interested in software development, I graduated with a double major from the **University of Pittsburgh** in **Economics-Statistics** and **Computer Science**. My philosophy follows the life-long learner mentality. I desire to continue growing, learning, and improving both professionally and personally. I hope to deliver results for businesses that improve efficiency, productivity, and improving the world one commit at a time!

Education

Bachelor of Science: Economics-Statistics and Computer Science

University of Pittsburgh

September 2015 – December 2019

• Overall GPA of 3.6/4.0

• Economics-Statistics GPA of **3.7**/4.0

• Magna Cum Laude

- Computer Science GPA of 3.6/4.0
- Coursework: Software Engineering, Database Management, <u>Expanded Section Page 4</u>

Work Experience

Software Engineer II

Artech LLC at Google, Pittsburgh, PA

08/2022 - Present

- Developing internal web applications for Google's Software Datacenter Automated Platforms Team using **Angular**.
- Creating interactive visualizations and displays for Google's datacenter event logging.

Software Developer

Management Science Associates, Inc. (MSA), Pittsburgh, PA

10/2021 - 07/2022

- Developing a big-data analytics web application for Fortune 500 companies in C#, Angular,
 PL/SQL within a 5-person team.
- Delivered automated report scheduling for users when data is updated (weekly or monthly).
- Automated internal user administration and DevOps processes for decommissioning clients.
- Designing and implementing an app tracking performance data from apps to aid troubleshooting.
- Refactoring legacy internal admin tool into existing tech stack (Angular and C# webservices).

Software Developer and Project Liaison

Contractor for The Process Consultant, Pittsburgh, PA

05/2019 - 08/2019

- Developed CMS (web app) for client's process documentation using JavaScript, HTML/CSS, Ruby on Rails.
- Automated process for migrating client's data to new application using Python.
- Facilitated communication between senior management and the technical team.
- Delivered recommendations on technologies to be integrated within application.
- Enhanced user-interface allowing clients and users to easily upload and navigate content.

Software Developer, Intern

Imagine Careers, Pittsburgh, PA

05/2017 - 08/2017

- Developed web application like Glassdoor using JavaScript (Angular v4), HTML/CSS, Git.
- Created a dashboard view allowing users to modify account policies.
- Collaborated with team to improve search and filtering capabilities.
- Implemented feature to narrow user search results for more accurate results.

Software Developer/Engineer Skills

Programming Languages:

Python (Best/Preferred Language) Java Ruby

JavaScript HTML CSS

C PHP (Familiar) C# (.NET)

Databases, Frameworks:

Flask (Python) SQL (PostgreSQL, PL/SQL)

Cypher (Graph Database Query Language) Angular (TypeScript, JavaScript)

Libraries:

jQuery (JavaScript) SQL-Alchemy (Python, ORM) Gunicorn (Python App Server)

PyTest (Unit-Testing Python) Alembic (Database Migration)

Software:

Unix/Linux Heroku Excel

Git (GitHub, GitLab) STATA Minitab

Virtual Machines (Hyper-V) Tableau JetBrains (IDE)

Visual Studio (IDE) Eclipse (IDE) Atom (IDE)

Other Software Developer/Engineer Skills:

Software Design Lifecycle (SDLC)

Test-Driven Development

Agile Development AJAX Web Applications

Full-Stack Development (Personal Website) Quality Assurance, Automated/Unit Testing

Database Management (SQL) Front End Development

REST APIs Content Management System (CMS)

Data Scientist and Statistician Skills

Programming Languages and Tools:

Python (Anaconda Dist.) R MATLAB

Minitab STATA Microsoft Excel

Tableau

<u>Data Analysis Skills + Methods:</u>

Multiple Linear Regression Statistical Learning

Bootstrap (Cross-Validation) Ensemble Methods (Random Forest, Boosting)

Time Series Analysis Convolutional Neural Networks

Stochastic Processes Support Vector Machines

Linear/Quadratic Discriminant Analysis Unsupervised Clustering (KNN, K-Means)

Dimension Reducing Methods Agent-Based Modeling

Bias-Variance Tradeoff

Python Libraries:

Pandas NumPy PyTest (Unit-Testing)

Scikit-Learn Matplotlib

R Libraries:

Tidyverse (Data Tidying)

Astsa (Time Series Analysis)

Gbm (Generalized Boosted Models)

Dplyr (Data Management)

GGPlot (Plotting and Graphing)

Boot (Bootstrap Resampling)

RandomForest (Random Forest Modeling) Gam (Generalized Additive Modeling)

Coursework

Computer Science:

Software Engineering Artificial Intelligence

Computer Vision Data Science

Software Quality Assurance Database Management Systems

Data Structures Algorithm Implementation

Systems Software Operating Systems

Formal Methods in Computer Science Discrete Structures

Web Application Design

Statistics:

Statistical Learning Applied Time Series

Multiple Linear Regression Mathematical Probability

Stochastic Processes Mathematical Statistics

Principles of Data Science

Economics:

Seminar in Market Manias, Panics, Crashes Intermediate Macroeconomics

Public Economics Intermediate Microeconomics

Game Theory Econometrics

Personal Programming Projects + Applications

Project Status Key:

Continuous: A project or work that is long-term and ongoing. These projects often are designed to never really finish, but to have continual updates of content and improvements to functions.

Completed: A project or work that is completed with no plans for future additions to it. Bug fixing will continue, but the changes should be very minimal.

Maintaining/Maintenance Phase: A project or work that is released in a stable/acceptable condition, however future additions or changes to content may occur. Potentially, a project or work may have future planning and designing for future functionality or content.

Current: A project or work that is currently being built, developed, analyzed, or planned (depending on the details of either software, economic analysis, or statistical analysis). There should be at most 3 projects that are considered current at a given time.

Future: Primitive state for a project or work. There has been some planning, but the planning is not finalized. The project/work is not being worked on.

Personal Website and Portfolio

July 2020 – Present (Continuous Project)

https://andrew-morgan-website.herokuapp.com/

- Developing personal website to display my portfolio of current and past projects.
- Integrating personal and group projects from before and after university.
- Designing simple, responsive, yet attractive user interface.
- Developed with Python (Flask), PostgreSQL, JavaScript, jQuery, AJAX, Bootstrap, CSS, HTML, and Heroku.
- Components of Website:
 - o My resume, CV, and introduction to who I am and what I am interested in.
 - Exhibits personal projects from academic blog posts (typically focused on economic theory) to a simple Sudoku Solver to CRUD (Create, Read, Update, Delete) applications like my Website Tracker App and CraigVersity.
 - A repository to track and display my progress as I improve my ability and skills.

Website Metadata Tracker Application

Jan 2021 – Present (Maintenance Phase)

https://andrew-morgan-website.herokuapp.com/website-tracker/

- Designed application to track website's metadata, bug reports, feature requests, users, and content updates.
- Integrated bug reporting system into Navbar for easy bug documentation throughout site.
- Implemented user authentication system allowing users to create, edit, and request bug reports and features.
- Maintaining application and correcting bugs found, while designing future functionality.
- Developed with Python (Flask), PostgreSQL, JavaScript, HTML, and CSS.

Personal Programming Projects + Applications CONT.

Sudoku Solver

June 2021 (Completed Project)

https://andrew-morgan-website.herokuapp.com/programming-repo/sudoku-solver

- Built and designed program to solve N by N Sudoku puzzles (like 9x9, 6x6, or 12x12 puzzles).
- Optimized performance by 95% after implementing searching heuristics and inferencing.
- Deployed program to my website with enhanced UI for Sudoku puzzle formatting.
- Built using Python, JavaScript, jQuery, AJAX, CSS, HTML

Agent-Based Modeling

06/2021 - Present (Current Project)

https://andrew-morgan-website.herokuapp.com/agent-based-modeling

- Agent-based modeling creates a system of many independent, autonomous agents that decide on actions based on their perceptions, often helping to understand the resulting system-level, macro-level trends.
- Capturing macro-level phenomena by simulating the interactions of individual, autonomous agents.
- Constructing a composition-based models to simulate different systems with parameters to analyze.
- Implemented the Schelling Segregation and Forest Fire models with editable parameters.
- Integrating into my website with trend analyses and visualizations using JavaScript and Python.
- Learning by applying skillset of economics, statistics, and programming to new domain of problems.
- Developing with **Python** for logic and **JavaScript**, **jQuery**, HTML, CSS for visualization.

Academic Blog Post Management System

Future Project (Planning Phase)

https://andrew-morgan-website.herokuapp.com/my-posts/

- Basic features implemented by September 2021. (Depends on website migration to Django)
- Designing simple, lightweight content management system for my academic blog posts.
- Implementing a blog post content tracker to manage web page content, asset location, and searchability.
- Future features include user authentication system for commenting and liking/disliking posts, REST API for functionality, generating HTML page for specified post, filtering and searching through my posts easily (Elasticsearch potentially).

School Programming Projects + Applications

CraigVersity Application

Sept 2019 – Dec 2019 (Completed Project)

https://andrew-morgan-website.herokuapp.com/craigversity

- Led 4 other classmates in software engineering project as lead programmer.
- Deployed prototype of application like Craigslist, a place for bringing sellers and buyers together.
- Documented project following the waterfall software design lifecycle (SDLC).
- Developed with Python (Flask), SQLite3/PostgreSQL, JavaScript, HTML, and CSS.

Data Analysis of the Human Freedom Index

Jan 2019 - May 2019 (Completed)

https://andrew-morgan-website.herokuapp.com/my-posts/posts/3

- Analyzed large, high dimensional dataset quantifying human freedom with 5 classmates using **R**.
- Performed statistical methods with **R** including linear regression, QDA, LDA, dimension reduction, random forest.
- Performed data analysis, wrote reports detailing findings, and presented results as team.
- Identified most significant variables affecting the country's human freedom with statistical/machine learning.

Convolutional Neural Network Classifier

Completed Project

- Built neural network utilizing transfer learning with AlexNet within MATLAB classifying scenery in images.
- Improved classifier results from 30% to 75% with CNN and transfer learning.
- Designed a small, 3-layered CNN with specified activation functions.

Coffee House Database Management System

Completed Project

- Designed database system for hypothetical chain coffee shop in team of 5 in the database course.
- Implemented successful command-line application using Java and Oracle to follow ACID principles.
- Ensured concurrency issues were discovered and resolved without leading to data inconsistency.

Ruby Rush TDD Project

Completed Project

- Created a game where the player tries to mine the most rubies in a specified timeframe.
- Followed test-driven development techniques to ensure high unit test coverage in Ruby.
- Automated testing with Minitest (unit-testing) and SimpleCov (code coverage).

Written Academic-Styled and Blog-Styled Papers and Posts

The Overview of the 2008 Housing Bubble and Aftermath

https://andrew-morgan-website.herokuapp.com/my-posts/posts/2

- Explored the primary reason for the 2008 housing crisis and preceding mania.
- Studied how irrational exuberance created the foundation of the mania.
- Explained how the leveraged investment banks caused a financial blackhole when the panic set in.

Study of the USA's Increasing Human Capital Throughout the 20th Century

https://andrew-morgan-website.herokuapp.com/my-posts/posts/1

- Highlighted the trends of schooling throughout the 20th century within the United States.
- Analyzed how the growing human capital from increased schooling affected the economy.
- Explained the reason individuals pursued high school and university instead of immediate work.

Summary of Data Analysis of the Human Freedom Index

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- Identified most significant variables affecting the country's human freedom with statistical/machine learning.

Analysis of Education on Economic Metrics

https://andrew-morgan-website.herokuapp.com/my-posts/collection/education-and-economics

- Ongoing collection of my academic blog posts relating to education and economic metrics.
- Analyzing various datasets surrounding education, quality of life metrics, income, wealth, etc.
- Writing academic blog posts detailing findings from my analysis and research of other papers.