# **ANGELA ZHENG**

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## **EDUCATION & SKILLS**

**Cornell University** May 2019 Information Science B.S. **Business Minor** 

Programming: Python (Advanced), Javascript, Java, R, HTML/CSS, Git, SQL Tools & Libraries: sci-kit learn, React.js, D3.js, Flask, Azure ML Studio, LangChain,

Tableau, PowerBI

Skills:

### Concentrations:

- Interactive Technologies
- UX (User Experience) Design

Machine learning (feature engineering, supervised & unsupervised learning – regression, classification, clustering), natural language processing (NLP), anomaly detection, bias and fairness testing, exploratory data analysis, data visualization, data transformation, relational/graph databases, project management

#### PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

## **DLA Piper – Responsible AI Testing Team**

New York, NY

Data Scientist September 2023 - Present

- Evaluated bias and disparate impact on client AI systems, delivering critical risk insights for Responsible AI deployment.
- Spearheaded UI and front-end development of a legal red teaming platform to increase efficiency and better usability.

Led textual data preprocessing and feature engineering pipelines to boost model performance on unstructured data.

- Collaborated across legal counseling and engineering teams to align on client needs and produce actionable deliverables.
- Developed machine learning models to flag potentially fraudulent chats and emails, reducing legal review time.
- Drove development of internal LangChain and RAG-based AI tools to operational efficiency of legal analysis.
- Built a full-stack web application using React.js and Flask to deliver an interactive AI Risk Assessment for clients.
- Architected and developed internal libraries and applications using Python to productize fairness assessments.
- Leveraged academic research to strengthen the rigor and validity of testing and modeling pipelines.

# **Upstream Security - Automotive Security Firm**

New York, NY

Senior Data Analyst

January 2022 - September 2023

- Managed analytics workstreams for 3 automotive clients to strengthen fleet security.
- Collaborated with cross-functional teams to optimize large-scale data ingestion and reduce data storage costs by 30%.
- Deployed ~70 data-driven models to identify vehicle security threats across comprehensive threat vectors.
- Leveraged statistical analysis to reduce threat detection model false-positive rates by 90%.
- Synthesized reports and Plotly dashboards for cross-functional stakeholders to drive decision-making.
- Built YAML and Kotlin data parsers to ingest high-volume vehicle data for digital twin updates in security product.
- Led bi-weekly forum of data team analysts to discuss new technology and implement innovative team solutions.
- Developed exploratory, time series, and ad-hoc python frameworks and automations used by the global data team.

**Ernst & Young** New York, NY

Senior Forensic Data Analyst

September 2019 – December 2021

- Led staff on internal intelligence engagement to highlight engagement performance insights for national leadership.
- Automated procedures for financial services client in Python to reduce fund calculation time from 2 hours to seconds.
- Presented quarterly "Tech Talks" on innovative solutions to New York data analytics team.
- Developed regression and random forest machine learning (ML) models to identify anomalies in accounting ledger data.
- Led internal financial reporting project to deliver interactive dashboard with financial insights to Forensics leadership.

## Forensic Data Analyst

- Designed rules-based testing procedures in SQL to identify anomalous records for a financial services client.
- Visualized insights into Tableau dashboards for financial services client to guide record-processing decision-making.
- Performed data exploration, normalization, data profiling and assessment of large, data sources to derive insights.

# EXTRACURRICULAR EXPERIENCE

**Teacher's Assistant** – Advanced Human Computer Interaction Treasurer/Choreographer - Cornell's Pandora Dance Troupe VP of Media - Cornell International Affairs Review Organization Game Asset Designer – <u>Discontinuum</u> (Game) Fun Facts -Artist, Equestrian and Dancer

Spring 2019 2017 - 2019

2017 - 2019

Fall 2018