# **Alexandra Paskhaver**

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#### **EXPERIENCE**

**Princeton University Investment Company** / *Investment Technology Analyst*Technologies used: Python, pandas, Microsoft Excel, Azure DevOps

JUN 2022 - AUG 2022

- Wrote scripts to get, modify, and post data to a financial research management system
- Improved test coverage by 73% with the unittest module
- Refactored 27% of unit tests to mock API calls to decrease test runtime
- Created Python programs to accelerate the transfer of tens of rows of data into an Excel spreadsheet
- Found and analyzed corresponding entries between spreadsheets using difflib and regex, saving 20+ hours of manual searching per year

# **Udemy** / Online Instructor

**AUG 2021 - PRESENT** 

- Created the bestselling <u>Introduction to Political Science</u> course on Udemy
- Produced 5 hours of course material to engage 300+ students
- Designed 4 course logos with PhotoShop

# **PROJECTS**

# Zoom Recording Transcription Research with Professor Ananda Gunawardena

Technologies used: Python, npm, Zoom API

- Fetched Cloud recordings from a Zoom user and automatically generated a transcription file with start and end times for each sentence fragment
- Researched and utilized natural language processing libraries to analyze video transcriptions for key words suggesting idea or subject transitions
- Improved test coverage to and maintained it at more than 80%
- Automatically displayed results in easy-to-read visual format

#### **Rutgers RUMobile**

App Store

#### Technologies used: React Native, React Native Testing Library

Google Play Store

- Collaborated with a team of developers and designers to serve 3,000+ users
- Built 20+ components to display food details and profiles, welcome users, and more
- Improved test coverage of functions by 12% to limit errors
- Upgraded dependencies to ensure codebase was up-to-date

Personal Website GitHub

Technologies used: HTML, CSS, JavaScript

- Built a stylized, responsive website to showcase my work
- Developed an appealing color theme

#### **EDUCATION**

# **Rutgers University** / School of Arts & Sciences Honors Program

**SEP 2021 - MAY 2025** 

- Pursuing a Bachelor's in Computer Science (GPA: 4.0)
- On Dean's List for 3 semesters

#### **EXTRACURRICULARS**

Humor Column OCT 2022 - PRESENT

- Pitched and delivered a biweekly and weekly humor column to the *Delaware County Daily Times* and the *Gettysburg Times*, newspapers with a combined circulation of 50,000+
- Wrote the first humor column for the Rutgers SAS Honors Program Blog