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## **EDUCATION**

University of British Columbia

Vancouver, BC

Bachelor of Computer Science — GPA: 3.95/4.33 or 85%

Sep. 2024 - Dec. 2026

Chinese University of Hong Kong

Hong Kong

Master of Philosophy in Economics

Sep. 2015 - Aug. 2017

Chinese University of Hong Kong

Hong Kong

Bachelor of Social Sciences in Economics, Minor in Mathematics

Sep. 2009 - Aug. 2012

## PROJECTS

OOTDscribe | BCS Hacks 2025 | Gemini API, Express.js, MongoDB, Tailwind, React Bits, ShadCN

Mar. 2025

- Developed a AI-generated journal platform using user-input mood, stories, and images
- Integrated endpoints for front-end CRUD operations, enabling display, creation, and deletion of journal cards
- Created a responsive, user-friendly UI with landing page, light/dark mode, search functionality, and toast notifications
- $\bullet \ \, \text{Stored Base} 64\text{-encoded images in MongoDB and reduced journal cards loading time by } 30\% \ using \ local Storage \ caching$

#### Credit Card Default Detection | Python, Scikit-learn

Mar. 2025

- Built machine learning pipelines to predict credit card default risk on a 30k entries imbalanced dataset, achieving a recall score of 75.0% with logistic regression
- Optimized models (Logistic Regression, Random Forest & CatBoost) using pipelines, cross-validation and recursive feature elimination with grid search for hyperparameter tuning
- Enhanced model interpretability with SHAP analysis, revealing recent repayment status as the top contributor to default predictions

24-7 MedConnect | HackCamp 2024 | Gemini API, React, Express.js, MongoDB, Amazon EC2 Nov. 2024

- Offered suitable doctors from the database based on Gemini AI-generated feedback derived from user-input symptoms
- Processed user-input symptoms using Gemini AI to identify suitable medical specialties, then turned feedback into JSON format for database querying
- Used Axios API for data flow between frontend and backend, including creating doctor profiles on database and retrieving query results to web application based on symptoms input

#### Coffee Tasting Platform | Java, JUnit

Jan. – Apr. 2024

- Developed a CRUD platform with a multi-tab GUI, enabling users to log bean purchase details, record brew note reviews, and toggle between functionalities seamlessly
- Implemented JSON-based data persistence to retain and load user data across sessions

Online Banking System Database | HTML, CSS, PHP, MySQL

Oct. – Nov. 2023

#### EXPERIENCE

### **Deputy Returning Officer**

Apr. 2025

Election Canada
Web Development Intern

Vancouver, BC May. – Jun. 2024

Sing Sharp Limited | JavaScript, React, Node.js, Next.js, Material UI, Git, Jira

Hong Kong

- Developed 3 pages and data tables to display handled promise objects returning from server
  - Created 10 APIs based on server requirements and validated return results
  - Utilized Jira to report and communicate daily task with seniors and pushed reviewed codes to branches
  - Constructed and refactored React UI components to improve versatility and support future development needs

# Economist

Jan. 2021 – Jul. 2023

Nanyang Commercial Bank

Hong Kong

- Conducted policy studies (e.g. LIBOR transition, Inflation risk on bank & Green finance) to drive bank business strategies and presented to management committee
- Completed two top-down researches for the corporate banking division to explore new business opportunities
- Delivered weekly market briefs and quarterly assets allocation reports to facilitate investment product team & treasury division's decision making

#### Research Analyst

Dec. 2018 - Jan. 2021

Sun Hung Kai Properties

Hong Kong

#### TECHNICAL SKILLS

Languages: C, C++, Python, Java, JavaScript, TypeScript, HTML, PHP, Assembly

Developer Tools: VS Code, IntelliJ, Git, MongoDB, MYSQL, phpMyAdmin, Amazon AWS

Statistics: R, EViews, STATA

Communication: English, Cantonese, Mandarin