# ALEXANDER G. SILVERSTEIN

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# Experience

**Tableau** Cambridge, MA Staff Software Engineer Iune 2018 - Present

- Designing and developing statistical features in Tableau
- Helped design and implement Explain Data, one of two highlighted features in 2019.3
- Wrote a cost/benefit analysis of scaling our build grid, resulting in a 30 minute reduction in precommit

### Empirical Systems (acquired by Tableau)

Cambridge, MA

Software Engineer

May 2016 - June 2018

- First non-founding engineer. Helped grow team to five before acquisition
- Built web-based statistical programming platform backed by AWS and Docker
- Built our Flask-based Python server and designed and implemented our public REST interface
- Implemented a number of models in our C++ statistics engine
- Built and maintained our public Python API, edpanalyst, and our Google Sheets integration
- Served as sales engineer and public statistics consultant

Google New York, NY Senior Software Engineer

Tech Lead of Google Contributor team

June 2012 - May 2016

- Led integration of real-time bidder and Google's payments infrastructure
- Built a widely-used internal Chrome extension for shortening URLs

**DRW Trading Group** London, England Senior Software Engineer *July 2010 - June 2012* 

Developed and supported proprietary, web-based trading platform

Bloomberg L.P. New York, NY

Software Development Intern

May 2009 - August 2009

- Extended and maintained multiple functions on the Bloomberg terminal

Carnegie Mellon University - Qatar

Doha, Qatar

Teaching Assistant

January 2009 - May 2009

- Served as Teaching Assistant for three undergraduate computer science courses

Seattle, WA Amazon.com

Software Development Engineer Intern

May 2008 - August 2008

- Developed migration utility from Simple Storage System to Elastic Block Storage
- Extended internal management utility in Ruby on Rails

#### Education

#### Carnegie Mellon University

Pittsburgh, PA Graduated May 2010

B.S. in Computer Science

- Graduated with University Honors
- Minor in Economics
- GPA: 3.53

## **Skills**

Operating Systems: Linux (Gentoo, Ubuntu, and Slax)

Computer Languages: Proficient in Python, C++, Java, LATEX

Competent in Javascript, HTML, CSS, UNIX Shells, Haskell, SQL

Proficient once upon a time in SML/NJ

Tools: Git, various AWS services, Docker, Intellij, JUnit, Vim