# **BENJAMIN KAHN**

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Objective: Working towards a career in the fields of data science, software engineering, and/or sports analytics.

# **EDUCATION**

## Bachelor of Science: Data Analytics major, Sports Leadership & Administration minor

May 2022

Chapman University, Fowler School of Engineering, Orange, CA

Provost Scholar: Academic Scholarship based on cumulative grade point average and standardized test scores

Provost List: maintaining a 3.6+ GPA

# **PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE**

Edwards Lifesciences, Irvine, CA

June 2021 - August 2021

#### IT Technology Ops/Cloud Engineering Intern (in progress)

- Working with a team to create a unique, data-driven reporting system to help optimize IT efficiency and operations
- Automating data collection systems to better facilitate advanced analytics
- Gaining vast experience working within a large-scale, global corporation

Premier Talent Sports and Entertainment, Remote

February 2021 - May 2021

#### **Analytics Support Spring Intern**

- Mining and analyzing baseball-specific data for various assigned projects beneficial to the agency
- Presented reports in an easily readable and understandable format
- Critical experience working in the sports industry

Self-Employed, Orange County, CA

May 2019 - September 2019

## **Information Technology Consultant**

- Created independent IT consultancy for customers in the local area over the summer
- Services included software training, data recovery, virus protection, and hardware support
- Gained enhanced customer support skills and strengthened self-promotion abilities

Turner Technology, Omaha, NE

June 2017 - August 2017, June 2016 - July 2016

# **Information Technology Internship**

- Collaborated with a team of 5 programmers to beta test programs written in HTML, CSS, SQL, and Java
- Analyzed over 100 G&A spreadsheets to ensure data accuracy to prepare for an upcoming audit
- Teamed up with a group of network engineers on-site at 3 customer locations creating and maintaining network systems
- Gained valuable understanding of how to work directly with clients in the field as well as in an office environment

Los Angeles Sports Council, Los Angeles, CA

April 2013 - August 2014

## **Digital Content Contributor**

- Wrote 11 articles for the website about various sports events throughout the Southern California market
- Applied new journalistic, editing, and research techniques to current writing style
- Increased ability to work within strict deadlines

# **ADDITIONAL RELEVANT EXPERIENCE**

Member, Chapman University Data Analytics Association, Orange, CA

February 2020 – Present

#### Anaheim Ducks High School Hockey League (AHSHL): Los Alamitos Griffins, Los Alamitos, CA

September 2014 – March 2018

- Played right wing and center for JV (2 years) and Varsity (all 4 years)
- Chosen as Assistant Captain of JV team, voted offensive MVP and named to the ADHSHL All-Star team
- Volunteered with coaches to help facilitate youth hockey practices reinforcing leadership skills

## B'nai B'rith Youth Organization: Ray Alpert AZA #2565, Long Beach, CA

August 2014 - June 2018

- Founding member of this leadership and service-oriented organization, serving as President, Vice President, and Secretary
- Launched and maintained social media presence and planned events and community service projects
- Demonstrated how to build a brand from scratch as well as key marketing techniques used in club communications

#### **SKILLS**

- Coding Languages: JavaScript, Java, Python (Machine Learning), C#, C++, HTML, SQL, CSS, Bash, R (Machine Learning)
- Proficient with: Unity, Docker, Jenkins, Windows, Linux, Microsoft Suite, Adobe Suite, Git, Github, Tableau, AWS