# **Brayden Christensen**

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#### **EDUCATION**

# **Brigham Young University**

Apr 2025

Bachelor of Science Computer Science, Emphasis in Machine Learning, Minor in Mathematics

Provo, UT

- GPA 3.89
- BYU Scholarship
- 4x Dean's List
- Clubs: Tech Society, Data Science Club

#### **SKILLS**

Proficient- Python, SQL, Sklearn, PyTorch, Pandas, JavaScript, Git

Experienced- OpenCV, C++, Java, React, Angular, Express, AWS

Beginner- MongoDB, Apache Spark, Apache Airflow, Docker, Terraform, GCP, TensorFlow

#### **EXPERIENCE**

## Full Stack Engineer - Volunteer

May 2024-Present

We Explore Remote

- Design and build databases with Postgres and SQLalchemy for small early mobile app startup
- Build and connect simple recommendation engine as GCP Function to backend Python API
- Help with front-end, DevOps and ML features on app

## **Undergraduate Research Assistant**

Jan 2024-Present

Brigham Young University

Provo, UT

- Contribute to team researching predictive uncertainty of neural networks on different regression tasks
- Collect, clean and feature engineer data for model testing and calibration

## **Marketing Data Science Intern**

Dec 2023-Present

Pattern

Lehi, UT

- Collect and centralize e-commerce consumer data for a large marketing team that has increased North America brand awareness by 12 percentage points YOY
- Automate and maintain marketing tools and models for analytics using Python, SQL and AWS that has secured Pattern as the top organic search term for "ecommerce accelerator" and netted 140 high-quality backlinks to Pattern.com, improving company SEO
- Balance 3-4 data-driven projects at a time for company insights and journal posts that got Pattern in the news 3 times per day on average in 2024

### **Full Stack Web Developer**

Mar 2023-Present

Missionary Training Center & Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-Day Saints

Provo, UT

- Create mobile and web applications using React, ExpressJS, and Dataverse
- Fix bugs and implement improvements in timely manner with Jira workflow
- Work independently and lead a small team on features and new micro-applications
- Helped reduce a backlog of ~400 bugs to 10 bugs
- Built and deployed AI chatbot both in mobile and web that supports text and voice

### INTERESTS/ACHIEVEMENTS/ABILITIES

- Fluent in Spanish
- Eagle Scout (Boy Scouts of America)
- 1<sup>St</sup> in High School graduating class / Valedictorian (2019)
- AED certification, Forklift operator certification