

Brendon Jerome Butler

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Experience

Ericsson

Data Science Intern, Network Engineering

Irvine, CA

March 2020 — Present

- Designing and building automated data pipeline for advanced data analysis and reporting procedures
- Streamlining ETL processes using Apache Airflow, saving over 10 hours of project manager work time per week
- Building and publishing customized interactive reports and dashboards using Tableau server
- Developing machine learning algorithms to predict customer KPIs in key market areas using Python and ArcGIS Pro

National Science Foundation

Graduate Research Fellow

Irvine, CA

September 2016 — Present

- Designed and conducted online and in-person experiments investigating how humans retrieve information from memory
- Built hierarchical linear and logistic regression models in R, Python, and SAS to predict how accurately humans retrieve information from memory under different task demands with less than 5% margin of error
- Published findings in peer-reviewed academic journals and presented findings at conferences

Insight Data Science

Data Science Fellow

Los Angeles, CA

September 2019 — December 2019

- Built [NBA-GameFinder](#), a web app that helps NBA fans pick the best game to attend based on their preferences
- Retrieved the past five years of NBA statistics using Python and stored the data in a PostgreSQL database
- Engineered dozens features to uncover the best predictors of team success
- Predicted 2019-20 NBA season results using logistic & linear regression
- Designed and deployed an interactive web app using Flask, Bootstrap, and AWS

Irvine Company

Data Science & Engineering Intern

Irvine, CA

June 2019 — July 2019

- Developed time series models to forecast tenant churn using SARIMA and Prophet
- Updated production code in Alteryx to improve forecasts
- Made Tableau dashboards to visualize forecasts

Education

Ph.D. Psychological Science; Quantitative Methods, University of California, Irvine

July 2020 (expected)

M.A. Social Ecology, University of California, Irvine

May 2017

B.A. Psychology, University of California, Riverside

June 2012

Skills

Programming languages: Python, SQL, R, Java, Scala

Databases and tools: PostgreSQL, MySQL, Cassandra, Airflow, Spark, AWS, Redshift, Flask, Bootstrap

Machine learning: Multilevel modeling, classification, clustering, feature engineering, dimensionality reduction

Research: Experimental design, hypothesis testing, A/B testing

Other software/statistical packages: Tableau, SAS, STATA, SPSS, Alteryx, Qualtrics, ArcGIS, LATEX

Work authorization: U.S. Citizen — can work for any employer