# Calwin Li

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#### **EDUCATION**

## University of California, San Diego

Data Science B.S, Probability & Statistics B.S.

June 2026

Relevant coursework: Probabilistic Modeling and Machine Learning, Data Structures and Algorithms, Practice and Application of Data Science, Theoretical Foundations of Data Science

### **EXPERIENCE**

## Halıcıoğlu Data Science Institute, UC San Diego, San Diego, CA

March 2024 - Present

DSC 40B Instructional Assistant

- Held office hours and graded assignments for over 100 students weekly
- Developed problem sets relating to data structures and algorithms utilizing LATEX
- Supported students with one on one and small group instruction during office hours

**Teaching and Learning Commons, UC San Diego**, San Diego, CA *Math and Physics Tutor* 

September 2023 - Present

- Tutored students in college-level mathematics and physics courses up to multivariable calculus
  - Provided educational resources to marginalized and underrepresented students
  - Supported students mentally and emotionally through academic challenges

### PROJECT EXPERIENCE

Language Prediction Model | Python, Numpy, Jupyter Notebooks

March 2024

- Built a Ridge Regression model from the ground up to classify words as French or English
- Engineered features using gini impurity, achieving test accuracy of 87%

Binary Classification ML Model | Pandas, Python, Scikit-learn, Numpy, HTML, CSS January 2024

- Engineered features using Pandas operations as well as Scikit-learn pipelines
- Used GridSearchCV to tune hyperparameters for a Random Forest Classifier, achieving 96% test accuracy
- Built interactive visualizations using Matplotlib and Python
- Preformed fairness analysis on final model using hypothesis testing

**Exploratory Data Analysis** | Pandas, Numpy, Python, HTML, CSS

November 2023

- Utilized Pandas DataFrame operations to clean data as well as generate data visualizations
- Summarized and analyzed data with Python and Pandas DataFrames
- Performed hypothesis and permutation testing utilizing Pandas operations

Digit Classifier | Java

March 2023

- Built machine learning program used to classify handwritten digits with 95% success rate
- Utilized KNN classifier, as well as self implemented heap and priority queue
- Constructed basic GUI allowing for user to draw their own digits

#### **SKILLS**

- Python, SQL, Jupyter Notebooks, Java, Pandas, Git, PyTorch, React, JavaScript, R, HTML, CSS
- Communication, Teaching, Data Visualization