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I am an ex-Physics and Earth Science teacher looking to make a change to AI research and ML engineering. I'm interested in applications in robotics, education technology, climate change mitigation, quantum computing, and entertainment. I want to bring a little more magic into this world.

Work Experience

Secondary Science Teacher AP Physics and Earth Science	Palm Beach County School District Greenacres, FL	Sep 2016–Present
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- Science Fair Coordinator
- Gay Straight Alliance Sponsor
- Physics and Math Tutoring
- Revamped entire AP Physics Program

Coding Instructor (Volunteer)	Women's Code and Coffee West Palm Beach, UK	2018–Present
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- Worked with a team of established engineers to teach topics in responsive web design and python

Math and Physics Tutor	Self Employed West Palm Beach, FL	2010–Present
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- Worked with students ranging from elementary to college in math and physics to increase student outcomes 3 grade levels on average

Education and Certifications

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| • Quickstart Bootcamp Certificate Artificial Intelligence/Machine Learning , Florida Atlantic University | 2021–2022 |
| • B.A. Physics , University of South Florida, Tampa, FL | 2012–2016 |
| • Certificate in Japanese Studies , Kansai Gaidai University, Hirakatashi, Japan | 2015 |

Technologies and Languages

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| • Computer Languages: | Python, C++, HTML, CSS, Javascript |
| • Technologies: | Tensorflow, Pytorch, Scikit-Learn, SQL, Jupyter, Pandas, Numpy, Bootstrap, NLTK |
| • Other: | Data structures and algorithms, Regular Expressions, Data Scraping, Data Mining, Deep Learning, Computer Vision, Research, Experimental Design, Statistical Analysis |
| • Human Languages: | Japanese, Spanish |

Projects

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- **Deep Dream Reimplementation** Reimplemented Deep Dream from scratch in both Tensorflow and Pytorch.
 - **Balanced EMNIST Classifier** Because MNIST is too easy! Achieved 89% classification accuracy, matching best architectures online. Difficulties pushing beyond 90% accuracy due to the similarity of some characters (lowercase and capital F, among others)
 - **Millennium 3D Chess Engine** (In Progress) Millennium 3D chess is a chess variant on three stacked boards. Project is to build a game that allows you to play 3D chess (which requires board representation, legal move checking, etc) and to build an AlphaZero Reinforcement learning agent to play against.
 - **Fetch Quest** (In Progress) The game where you're a dog! A simple top-down RPG. Built in PyGame.