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## **EDUCATION**

#### **Master of Science in Statistics**

University of Arizona Tucson, AZ • December 2020

Relevant Coursework: Advanced Statistical Regression Analysis • Applied Multivariate Statistics in Education • Design of Experiments • Biostatistics for Research • Applied Time Series Analysis

Bachelor of Science in Informatics • Cognate: Business • Minors: Mathematics, Philosophy

Indiana University Bloomington, IN • May 2018

Relevant Coursework: Computing Tools for Scientific Research • Python for Data Analysis • Introduction to Health Informatics

#### **TECHNICAL SKILLS**

R • Python • SAS • MATLAB • SQL • GitHub • Excel • Access • HTML • PHP • CSS • MySQL • XML • SQL Server • Photoshop • JavaScript • JQuery

#### **EXPERIENCE**

## Biomarker Programming Intern at Gilead Sciences, Inc., Foster City, CA

June 2020 - August 2020

- Developed an R-Shiny app that displayed biomarker data in an interactive page and showcased it to 60+ people within the Biometrics department at the end of the summer
- Collaborated with a team and explored new technologies to increase biomarker programming efficiency and analysis reproducibility
- Implemented statistical features that the team can now showcase more easily for future health data through using modules

#### Master's Thesis at University of Arizona, Tucson, AZ

August 2019 - May 2020

- Studied benchmark doses and assessing risk in multiple stimuli, which is rare and less common than one factor data in risk assessment
- Ran computer intensive Monte Carlo simulations in order to find coverage probabilities
- Presented these findings in a master's thesis which was successfully defended to three faculty members.

### Data Science Intern at Cisco, San Jose, CA

May 2019 - August 2019

- Performed sentiment analysis on text-based columns in case dataset in order to help identify customer satisfaction
- Used sentiment analysis findings to create word clouds and n-grams to pinpoint phrases that were common in escalated cases
- Created a model to help try to predict which cases would escalate given certain criteria and articulated the findings to my team in a conference

# Data Analyst Intern at LexisNexis Risk Solutions, Martinsville, IN

June 2017 - August 2017

- Produced queries in SQL Server to find police reports that met specific criteria analyzing hundreds of reports a week
- Quantified information from police reports by making charts and pivot tables using Excel
- Ensured that information entered was transferred accurately by parsing the XML files of police reports