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SKILLS

- Languages: Python, Java, JavaScript, TypeScript, C, R, HTML/CSS
- Libraries/Frameworks: NumPy, Pandas, Matplotlib, Flask, React.js, Next.js, Framer Motion
- Database: SQL, Firebase
- Version Control/Testing: Git, JUnit, Mockito
- Tools: R Studio, Android Studio, Jira, Eclipse, Jupyter Notebook, Notion, LATEX, Xcode

EDUCATION

Honors Bachelor of Science - Statistics Co-op

Sep 2022 - May 2026 (expected)

University of Toronto

- Specialization Machine Learning/Data Science, Major Math, Minor Economic Studies
- Relevant Courses: Data Science, Database and Web Applications, Software Design, Object-oriented Programming, Probability Theory
- Activities: Data Science and Statistics Society, Campus hockey player

WORK EXPERIENCE

Data Science Research Assistant | IAI Lab, Toronto, CA

Jun 2023 - Sep 2023

- **Developed** innovative solutions to various research initiatives by leveraging my skills in data analysis, data visualization, hypothesis testing, and regression modeling.
- Actively **collaborated** with a multidisciplinary team aimed to extract insights, uncover patterns, and build predictive models from diverse datasets, utilizing a combination of **Python** and **R** programming.

Math Tutor | Literacy Initiative, Online

Nov 2020 - Jan 2021

- Held meetings at least twice a week over a **3 month period**, communicating and checking in on students' progress and their personal foresight on their academic career.
- Subjects: algebra, geometry, probability, logic & reasoning, problem solving
- Increased the grades of every student by up to 15% upon a semester's worth of tutoring/teaching.

PROJECTS

ShopEaze

Java, Firebase, Android Studio, Figma, Jira, Git

- Designed, developed, and tested an Android native mobile e-commerce application built with Java as a scrum master in a scrum environment.
- Orchestrated the front-end and back-end for shop owners' side product management which communicates with a Firebase Realtime Database and also designed the UI/UX for the general app framework.

Personal Portfolio

TypeScript, Next.js, React.js, Tailwind CSS, Framer Motion, Git

- Fully designed and developed a cutting-edge personal portfolio website using Next.js 13, featuring an efficient App Router, Server Actions, Client & Server Components for enhanced performance, along with TypeScript support, and a responsive design.
- Includes advanced animations powered by Framer Motion, React. Email functionality, custom React hooks, and a sleek, modern UI with both light and dark modes to showcase my work, skills, and interests effectively.

Housing Price Predictor

Python, NumPy, Pandas, Matplotlib, Jupyter Notebook

- **Developed** and implemented machine learning models, including linear regression and random forest regression, to predict housing prices, achieving a predictive accuracy of approximately 81.44%.
- **Performed** data preprocessing, exploratory analysis, feature engineering, and hyperparameter tuning to optimize model performance, demonstrating proficiency in Python libraries.

Handwritten Digit Predictor

- Python, TensorFlow, NumPy, Matplotlib, Keras
- **Developed**, **trained**, **and tested** a model using neural networks in Python to predict the number in which was inscribed on a 28x28 pixel PNG file.
- The training and testing of the model resulted in precisely predicting any given number in PNG format with an accuracy rate of 92%, a 16% improvement from an online scanner with a 76% accuracy rate.

Personal Portfolio Website

HTML, CSS, JavaScript, Firebase, Git

- Fully designed and developed my personal portfolio website which serves to display my personal projects, skills, and interests in a visually engaging fashion.
- Use of JavaScript and Firebase Realtime Database to maintain a server-side connection with the contact form.

Bike Theft Report

R, RStudio, Git

- Analyzed and produced an informative public report on bike safety concerns in Toronto and its surrounding areas with regards to the precedence of stolen bikes in certain areas.
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UTSC Hockey

TypeScript, Next.js, React.js, Python, GraphQL, Jira, Git

- Currently engineering a website for the UTSC Ice Hockey team to increase visiblity and reachability for the intramural sport to anyone who wishes to join.
- Website is under construction.