# Cole Diamond

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## **EDUCATION**

Columbia University: School of Engineering and Applied Science

New York, NY.

BS in Computer Science: Artificial Intelligence. Minor in Economics

Expected 05/2013

GPA: 3.8 Overall.

John L Miller Great Neck North High School

Great Neck, NY

Valedictorian. SAT (2360 / 2400)

06/2009

### **HONORS**

Deans List HackNY Fellow 2009-Present

One of thirty students selected to participate in a highly competitive program that pairs aspiring engineers with startups and engages fellows in a series of mentoring lectures from venture capitalists and entrepreneurs

Treasurer, Association of Computing Machinery at Columbia University

2011

2011

Member of the executive board of Columbia University's ACM Chapter in charge of fund allocation.

Associate Principal Cellist, Columbia University Orchestra

2010

Seated second in the Columbia University orchestra and earned All State Honors as a cellist in High School.

#### **EXPERIENCE**

### Gilt Groupe, New York, NY

05/2011 - 08/2011

#### SOFTWARE ENGINEER INTERN

- Designed and implemented an admin content management tool for Gilt's daughter company, Park and Bond, using the Ruby on Rails framework powered by PostgreSQL in tandem with MongoDB.
- · Assisted in writing and debugging JSPs and Java Servlets for the backend of the Park and Bond website.
- Developed a proprietary, in-house API for interfacing JSPs with SOLR sourced data for the purpose of searching and querying product data from the Park and Bond database.

#### JP Morgan, New York, NY

06/2010 - 08/2010

#### RISK MANAGEMENT INTERN

- Assisted team in integrating SQL and Business Objects Software to build a dashboard enabling exposure tracking of a database of financial positions.
- Helped write Technical Specification Reports, Business Specification Reports and Architecture Proposals for the software to streamline compliance validations on financial data.
- Analyzed counterparty and credit risk via the RiskMetrics monitoring platform.

#### Applied Physics and Mathematics Department, Columbia University

06/2009 - 08/2009

### RESEARCH ASSISTANT: MACHINE LEARNING

Applied Bayes Theorem to implement the Expectation Maximization Algorithm in MATLAB on a spreadsheet of artifact data. The
objective was to correlate artifacts with their origin given a specific artifact facet or grouping of artifact facet. Statistical models were
generated from covariance data and other MATLAB-assisted output.

#### COMPUTER SKILLS

Programming Languages

Proficiency: Java 6.0 (6 years), Python (3 years) and Ruby (2 years), especially in context of the Django and

Rails Frameworks, HTML/CSS/JQuery (4 years), SQL (2 years), C/C++ (2 years)

Experience: MongoDB (1 year), Perl (1 year), XML (1 year) and Protocol Buffers (1 year).

Websites: Founder, sole developer and CEO of GreekGavel.com, Matchu.me and MealMecca.com