# **COLE THORPEN**

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## **EDUCATION**

#### UNIVERSITY OF WASHINGTON, Seattle, WA

July 2025

Master of Science in Information Management; 3.89 GPA

- Primary Concentration: Data Science
- Secondary Concentration: Program/Product Management & Consulting
- Member of The Association of Information Management Students (AIMS)
- Alumni Mentor Program, Mentee

## GONZAGA UNIVERSITY, Spokane, WA

May 2022

Bachelor's in Computer Science; 3.51 GPA

- Honors: Cum Laude
- Economics Concentration, Minor in Spanish
- Study abroad at SLU Madrid, Winter 2020
- Regent Scholarship Recipient
- Senior Member of Club Rugby & Alpine Ski Teams

#### **EXPERIENCE**

## UNIVERSITY OF WASHINGTON INFORMATION SCHOOL, Seattle, WA Database Developer

2023

- Design, configure, and implement databases for theoretical fitness centers located throughout the United States.
- Create and maintain stored procedures, views, tables, jobs, and triggers for streamlined database usability.
- Develop data queries, importing/exporting of data to/from various file formats, and analyze data using Python's SciKit-Learn and Pandas libraries.

## C.C. FILSON COMPANY, Seattle, WA

2022 - 2023

Filson Better Outdoor Clothing - Unfailing Goods

### **Retail Salesperson**

- Manages in-store visual marketing strategies to highlight key products to customers.
- Observes sales patterns, communicates current trends to the corporate office to aid in product design decisions.
- Drives sales through engagement of customers, suggestive selling, and sharing product knowledge. Increased holiday sales revenue by 30% between December 2022 and December 2023.

#### GONZAGA UNIVERSITY SCHOOL OF ENGINEERING, Spokane, WA

2021 - 2022

## **Developer – MyRead Curated Blog** (2021 – 2022)

- Senior Design project implementation.
- Design and implement MERN stack web application, responsible for integrating Chrome browser extension to accompany original application, published to Chrome Web Store.
- Gather feedback from user and integration testing for successful beta launch.

## Data Analyst/Developer – Prescription Drug & Effectiveness Ratings (2021)

- Provide estimated effectiveness of prescription drugs based on personal attributes using KNN, Decision Tree, and Random Forest classifiers with 91% overall accuracy.
- Cleaned incomplete data from dataset of 7,000+ instances to train and test classification algorithms.

#### **SKILLS AND ACTIVITIES**

- Python, SQL, Regression Analysis, Mobile Development, C++, Java, React.js, Agile (SCRUM), Git/GitHub, OOP
- · Conversant in Spanish, Machine Learning Algorithms, Personal Fitness, Geography, Rugby, Alpine Skiing