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EDUCATION

Purdue University

Bachelor of Science in Computer Science, Economics (Double Major)

West Lafayette, IN

Exp: May 2028

Relevant Coursework: Data Structures & Algorithms, Computer Architecture, C Programming, Linear Algebra, Calculus III, Discrete Structures, Object-Oriented Programming, Competitive Programming, Microeconomics, Macroeconomics

EXPERIENCE

The Data Mine - Purdue University

Undergraduate Data Science Researcher

Aug. 2025 - Present

West Lafayette, IN

- Worked directly with John Deere engineers to translate business requirements into predictive modeling tasks.
- Applied data science life cycle to develop and iterate over models, utilizing data and feature engineering.

Instructional Innovations - Purdue University

Software Developer

Jun. 2025 - Aug. 2025

West Lafayette, IN

- Supported development of learning software with C# backend and React frontend, simulating Azure blob storage using Azurite.
- Used Postman to test and debug 5+ RESTful API endpoints, supporting user authentication and profile management.
- Built interactive UI components in React JS to display data retrieved from backend APIs and called SQL queries to support development.

Purdue Student Fee Advisory Board

Board Member

Jul. 2025 - Present

West Lafayette, IN

- Collaborated with a diverse committee of student leaders and university administrators to evaluate and recommend strategic allocation of \$1.5 million in student fee funds after \$6 million in requested funds.
- Assessed over 100 financial proposals from student organizations to ensure alignment with institutional priorities, student needs, and fiscal responsibility.

Boilerexams (Studying Platform for Purdue Students)

Data Analytics Lead

Nov. 2024 - Present

West Lafayette, IN

- Analyzed 8M+ submissions for 188 practice exams by engineering scalable Python workflows (Polars, Pandas), driving content optimizations and a 20% boost in engagement.
- Standardized difficulty ratings across 188 exams by analyzing user accuracy, time on task, and solution tool usage.
- Built Swetrix dashboards for usage and engagement trends to make product decisions across 25 courses.
- Delivered 8+ data reports with actionable recommendations, directly influencing feature improvements and content curation.

Purdue IEEE

Vice President of Technical Committees

Dec. 2024 - Jun. 2025

West Lafayette, IN

- Led and managed 7 technical committees with 800+ active members and \$40,000+ in organization funds.
- Spearheaded workshops on machine learning and finance with 50+ attendees, presenting applications and economical impacts.
- Collaborated on networking events with students, academics, and industry partners for 100+ attendees.

PROJECTS

BoilerUp! Communications | Java

Nov. 2024 - Dec. 2024

- Led development and implementation of real-time messaging system through feature planning and unit testing.
- Designed message history retrieval with persistent storage, user login and friend/blocking system, and a responsive interface (GUI).
- Utilized Java concurrency features like threading and synchronized data structures to handle simultaneous user interactions and ensure thread-safe operations.

Tech Startup Success Predictor | Python, Matplotlib, pandas, scikit-learn

Jul. 2023 - Aug. 2024

- Hyperparameter-Tuned classifier machine learning models to predict Indian tech startup success with 82% accuracy.
- Employed feature extraction and visualization on startup data to highlight outliers and key findings: Seed lag, social media presence, and amount raised during seed funding as most important features.
- Authored paper accepted to JEI and presented findings at Purdue 2024 Fall Undergraduate Research Expo.

FunCha: Website for Ethnic Food | Astro, React, Tailwind CSS

Jun. 2023 - Aug. 2024

- Owned execution of custom full-stack web application with dynamic React components,
- Led team of 3 to address lack of Southeast Asian ethnic food resources online by curating & compiling Bengali recipes.
- Attract over 2,000+ unique page views within the first six months using React and Astro frameworks.

TECHNICAL SKILLS

Languages: Java, Python, C, C#, JavaScript, SQL, HTML, CSS

Libraries: Pandas, Polars, NumPy, Matplotlib, React, Node

Developer Tools & Skills: Git, RESTful API Design, Jupyter Notebooks, Microsoft Azure, Azurite, Docker, Google Cloud, MS Excel

Concepts: Fullstack Development, Machine Learning, Data Science, Data Engineering, DevOps, Mathematics, Agile, Automation