ERIN JAMES WILLS

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• Dedicated learner of technology • Motivated by value added tasks • Feel accomplished when increasing efficiency and outcomes • Found hidden coding and teaching talents several years into career • Jack of all trades, master of some • Interested in finding a role utilizing my breadth but enables development of depth.

Languages and Aptitudes: Python (NumPy, SciPy, pandas, scikit-learn, etc.), SQL/Postgres/MongoDB, VBA & Adv. Excel, Tableau, Bash, Git, Flask, HTML, CSS, JS (D3, Plotly, Leaflet, etc.), Office365 & SharePoint, Adobe Creative Cloud, Google Suite, Stats (SPSS, JMP, etc.), LMS (Blackboard, Canvas), JIRA

Technical Skills: Data Acquisition: API, SQL, file extraction, web scraping, Data Cleaning and Visualization: VBA/Excel, pandas, Matplotlib, Seaborn, JS, Tableau, Statistical: trends, hypothesis testing, feature selection, Regression: OLS, MLR, Lasso, Ridge, Polynomial, SVR, Random Forest, Classification: Logistic, KNN, SVC, Random Forest, Clustering: K-Means, Hierarchical, Deep Learning: Keras

Projects: Over 50 repositories related to data and visualization. Active project work involves developing machine learning models and simulations for my technical development and teaching content for a data science bootcamp. Visit https://ejw-data.github.io and https://github.com/ejw-data to learn more.

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE -----

Teaching Assistant, Data Science Bootcamp | Trilogy, Inc. | May 2020 - Present

Supported student training (14hr/wk) for VBA, Python, JavaScript, Tableau, R, and machine learning.

Sr. Program Coordinator | CLP Institute, Northwestern University | Sept. 2018 - Dec. 2021

 Developed workflows, websites, SharePoint data collection system, automated data preparation, and supported institute's events, IT and facilities.

Education Coordinator | CURENT, University of Tennessee | Jan 2013 - Aug. 2018

- Managed personnel and academic database of 200+ members annually that supported annual reporting and milestone progress tracking. Developed organization websites.
- Increased outreach participation to over 6,700 community members, undergrad researchers by 4x and 70% increase in domestic graduate students within 2 years of implementing policy changes.

Systems Engineer | Innovative Controls Inc. | Jan. 2010 - May 2011

- Consultant for 2 Fortune 500 companies Developed chemical plant automation systems remotely and tested processes on-site while providing system training. Service contracts were approx.. \$20K/month.
- Implemented full project lifecycle scoping, approvals, implementation, testing, training, sunsetting

Operations Engineer | BASF Corporation | June 2007 – Feb. 2009

 Responsibilities included writing PCS7 logic and adapting code for daily operations, testing processes, and training new hires and shift workers on production, safety, and new technology.

EDUCATION-----

Certificate in Data Science, 2020, Northwestern University, Evanston, Illinois MS Education, 2013, University of Tennessee, Knoxville BS Chemical Engineering, 2007, Purdue University, West Lafayette