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# SKILLS

## **RESEARCH INTERESTS**

PROMPT ENGINEERING & LLMS
KNOWLEDGE REPRESENTATION
ACTIONS AND CHANGE
QUESTION ANSWERING
NATURAL LANGUAGE PROCESSING

## **WRITING**

PROMPT ENGINEERING
SCIENTIFIC LITERATURE
SOFTWARE DOCUMENTATION
RESEARCH PROPOSALS

## **SELECTED LANGUAGES**

PYTHON HTML CSS JAVASCRIPT

### WORD PROCESSING

MS OFFICE LATEX MARKDOWN WORDPRESS

## **VISUALIZATION**

TECHNICAL ILLUSTRATION D3.JS
POWERPOINT

# **EDUCATION**

#### **DREXEL UNIVERSITY**

PHD, COMPUTER SCIENCE FOCUS: ARTIFICIAL INTELLIGENCE June 2019 | Philadelphia, PA

## **DREXEL UNIVERSITY**

MASTER OF SCIENCE, COMPUTER SCIENCE June 2017 | Philadelphia, PA

## **TEMPLE UNIVERSITY**

BACHELOR OF SCIENCE, COMPUTER SCIENCE

May 2013 | Philadelphia, PA

# **WORK HISTORY**

## **REMOTASKS**

#### PhD Data Partner (Contract)

June 2023 - present | San Francisco, CA (remote)

- Helping train generative AI models via prompt engineering in the areas of math, science, and coding.
- Tapped for special projects in prompt development and quality review.
- Continuation of work with Scale AI.

#### **SCALE AI**

## PHD DATA PARTNER (CONTRACT)

March 2023 - June 2023 | San Francisco, CA (remote)

- Helping train generative AI models via prompt engineering primarily in the areas of math, science, and coding.
- Tapped for special projects in prompt development and quality review.

## **INDEPENDENT**

#### RESEARCH AND DEVELOPMENT

January 2022 - March 2023 | Alexandria, VA

- Exploring AI techniques for augmenting domain expertise.
- Developing approaches and software prototypes.

## U.S. NAVAL RESEARCH LABORATORY

COMPUTER SCIENTIST · KARLES FELLOW

November 2019 - November 2021 | Washington D.C.

- Performed basic research in the Interactive Systems section of the Navy Center for Applied Research in Artificial Intelligence (NCARAI).
- Produced scientific papers, reports, research proposals, software documentation, and online tutorials.

#### **DREXEL UNIVERSITY**

PHD CANDIDATE · RESEARCH ASSISTANT · TEACHING ASSISTANT July 2013 – Jun 2019 | Philadelphia, PA

- Researched and developed a novel, logic-based causal reasoning framework, and software implementation.
- Produced scientific papers and articles, research proposals, software documentation, educational content, and patent applications.

# HIGHLIGHTED PUBLICATIONS

- Explaining Actual Causation via Reasoning about Actions and Change. Emily LeBlanc, Marcello Balduccini, Joost Vennekens. 16th edition of the European Conference on Logics in Artificial Intelligence (JELIA 2019), 2019.
- Action-Centered Information Retrieval, Marcello Balduccini, Emily LeBlanc. Theory and Practice of Logic Programming Journal, 2019.