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#### **EDUCATION**

# The University of Texas at Austin – McCombs School of Business | Austin, TX

May 2025

Master of Science, Business Analytics

Florida State University | Tallahassee, FL

July 2021

Bachelor of Science, Finance and Economics

#### **EXPERIENCE**

**SS&C, Inc** – Associate Quantitative Financial Engineer Intern | Austin, TX

December 2024 - April 2025

- Developed a Retrieval-Augmented Generation (RAG) chatbot leveraging OpenAl API, LangChain, and HuggingFace, enabling real-time financial Q&A with a 92% accuracy rate in internal test queries
- Engineered automated pipelines to scrape and integrate >10,000 data points from FRED, World Bank, IMF, and RSS/news feeds using BeautifulSoup, Newspaper3k, and custom APIs
- Designed a risk factor analysis engine using proprietary firm data to assess portfolio exposure across macroeconomic scenarios, reducing manual analyst workload by an estimated 40%

#### Fidelity National Information Services, Inc (FIS) – Senior Auditor | St. Petersburg, FL

September 2021 - June 2024

- Staffed and led 10+ data-driven audit engagements in operations, IT, etc., identifying cost saving opportunities worth \$1mm+
- Made over 100 findings on value-add observations relating to data security and compliance, upholding company integrity
- Produced comprehensive audit reports, influencing executive decision making on risk reduction strategies and reducing compliance gaps by 50% year-over-year

#### Florida Department of Economic Opportunity – Program Analyst Intern | Tallahassee, FL

March 2021 - July 2021

- Transitioned a \$50 million loan program to Salesforce, streamlining loan administration
- Analyzed repayment metrics and revised procedures, identifying risk factors and optimizing approval time by 50%
- Migrated 5,000+ state municipal bond records to Salesforce, improving data accessibility for stakeholders

#### **TECHNICAL PROJECTS**

# **Connect 4 AI: Full Stack Machine Learning System** – *University of Texas at Austin*

February 2025

- Developed and deployed a deep learning AI to play Connect 4, using Monte Carlo Tree Search (MCTS) for dataset generation and a ResNet-like CNN, achieving 70% validation accuracy
- Built an interactive web app with Anvil and AWS, containerizing models with Docker and integrating gameplay via Anvil Uplink
- Implemented a full-stack ML pipeline, covering data collection, model training (CNN & Transformer), cloud deployment, and UI development for seamless user interaction

### ScanSense AI: Enhanced Self-Checkout with Machine Learning – University of Texas at Austin

December 2024

- Developed an AI-powered self-checkout system using ResNet architecture to classify non-barcoded grocery items with 78.6% validation accuracy, addressing challenges like plastic bag obstructions and poor lighting
- Implemented data augmentation techniques and Cost-Aware Fallback Strategy to improve model robustness and minimize financial losses from misclassification
- Leveraged OpenCV for image preprocessing and segmentation, enhancing accuracy

## **Predicting Michelin Star Potential with Data Analytics** – *University of Texas at Austin*

October 2024

- Analyzed 78,000+ restaurant reviews using LDA, Sentiment Analysis, and N-gram Analysis to uncover trends in dining experiences
- Predicted Michelin Star potential for 10 Austin restaurants, identifying key differentiators (e.g., chef personality, review depth)
- Extracted actionable insights for restaurateurs by quantifying sentiment drivers and thematic patterns in customer reviews

### **TECHNICAL SKILLS**

- Programming & Data Analysis: Python, R, SQL, Pandas, NumPy, Matplotlib, Tableau, Seaborn
- Machine Learning & AI: TensorFlow, PyTorch, Scikit-learn, OpenCV, Topic Modeling (LDA), Sentiment Analysis, TextBlob
- Tools & Platforms: Snowflake, SQL Server, Salesforce, BeautifulSoup, Selenium, AWS, Azure, Git, Excel, Neo4j

### **ADDITIONAL INFORMATION**

Languages: Fluent in Hindi, Conversational in Spanish (B2 Level)

Interests: Chess, Duolingo, World History

Work Eligibility: Eligible to work in the United States with no restrictions