# **Evan M Gray**

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# **EDUCATION**

University of California, Berkeley, Haas School of Business Master of Business Administration May 2026 (Anticipated)

Northwestern University, Evanston, IL

June 2016

Dual BS in Applied Mathematics & Industrial Engineering, Magna cum laude

Northwestern Univ. Marching Band (Spirit Team Leader), Boomshaka (Equipment Manager), IE Dept. Academic Prize

# **EXPERIENCE**

Forma.ai, Toronto (Remote)

2022-2024

# *Implementation Manager* → Senior Implementation Manager

- Helped scale the business and increase ARR by 25% by leading the largest implementation project in the company's history for a Fortune 200, reducing this customer's resource needs by 20 FTE while improving sales team experience
  - o As lead project manager, delivered a solution for an unprecedented user base and data volume by working with 30+ internal stakeholders incl. sales, product, UX design, data engineering, and senior leadership
  - o Presented strategic recommendations to customer leaders on how to adjust team structure and data governance to successfully adopt our our software
  - o Partnered with Head of Engineering to redesign backend data infrastructure while managing uncertainty on the long-term data structure form the customer, decreasing initial process runtimes by 80%
  - o Collaborated with the Head of Product and engineering leads to align product roadmap with customer needs and implement major new modules into our core product
- With the VP of Implementation, built staffing models and improved efficiency of our team through project management frameworks and revising our statements of work; resolved issues causing previous projects to exceed staffing budget
- With the CEO, led a team through the end-to-end delivery of our first onsite demo for a major prospect; drove team efficiency through agile planning and technical acumen leading to the quickest ever implementation of our software
- With the Go-To-Market team, educated sales reps on our product differentiation, led sales calls with prospects, and authored content marketing articles p which helped drive a 30% quarterly increase in enterprise sales leads in 2023

#### ZS Associates, Chicago, IL

2018-2022

#### *Analyst* → *Associate Consultant* → *Consultant*

- Led a global sales compensation software project for a \$20B+ multinational, 4x the size of any similar prior project by ZS. Overcame data gaps and COVID work constraints by advising their Global Director of Incentives on data strategy and iterating on the project plan and software design. Generated \$800K+/yr. in additional projects
- Built custom data-intensive sales analytics systems that differentiated ZS from competitors and strengthened our partner relationships; systems built by my team handled \$30M/yr. in pay for 5k+ salespeople in 20 countries
- Managed a team of up to 6 developers and analysts in the US and India, delivering \$1M+ billable work annually across 3-4 client engagements; designed processes that helped retain talent and double in size over 2 years

# Epic System Corporation, Verona, WI

2016-2018

# Technical Services Engineer → Team Lead

- Maintained and optimized analytics and SQL database infrastructure for Mayo Clinic and other major hospitals
- Used customer feedback to collaborate with engineering on product enhancements and technical best practices to transform Epic's on-prem analytics platform into a SaaS offering
- Met weekly with customer analytics directors to prioritize work and plan major projects to minimize user impact

#### **ADDITIONAL**

- Since 2022, I've played curling at the Chicago Curling Club and helped instruct new curlers in the rookie league
- I DJ and produce house music, and helped found the Chicago-based DJ collective Light Roast Disco
- Aspiring blogger and avid reader, particularly Benn Stancil, David Chapman, Paul Graham, and Venkatesh Rao