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#### **EDUCATION**

## BEng Maths and Computer Science - Imperial College London

Oct 2022 - Present

- Greater insight into mathematical underpinnings of computer science especially in machine learning.
- Gained organizational skills from doing a joint degree.
- Team collaboration to plan and develop and deliver projects.

#### GCSEs and A-Levels – The Cotswold School

Sep 2015 - Jul 2022

- Maths (A\*), Further Maths (A\*), Computer Science (A\*), Research Project on AI (A\*), Physics AS (A).
- GCSEs: 9 Grade 9s, Additional Maths (A).

#### PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

#### Data Science and NLP Intern - Data Glacier

Aug 2023 – Dec 2023

A consulting company providing data science and machine learning solutions.

• Use of Python, Flask, Heroku, AWS, and various data science tools.

## Technology Work Experience - SpringPod

Jun 2021

An educational platform giving students experience in industry.

• Created projects in cybersecurity, data science, web development to present to mentors.

### Work Experience - Commercial Group

Mar 2019

A software development and consulting company driving customer engagement.

- Participated in software development lifecycle as part of a team.
- Developed software to enhance internal network security.
- Created quantitative SQL reports used in presentations.

## **COURSES AND CERTIFICATIONS**

#### Wharton Business School: Introduction to Finance and Accounting, Quantitative Modelling for Analysts

- Audited and analyzed real balance sheets and income statements.
- Experience with modelling using Python and spreadsheets.
- Essential understanding of terminology in corporate finance and accounting.

#### Machine Learning by Stanford University & DeepLearning.AI

- Studied industry best practices in machine learning lifecycle.
- Implemented neural networks from raw data to making accurate predictions.
- Experience with unsupervised, supervised and reinforcement learning.

## HarvardX CS50x Introduction to Computer Science

- Used a range of languages in practical projects.
- Presented final project (creating a blockchain from scratch) to peers.

#### **EXTRACURRICULAR**

## JPMorgan Chase & Co Quantitative Research Experience

- Completed a simulation focused on quantitative research methods.
- Analysed a book of loans to estimate a customer's probability of default.
- Used dynamic programming to convert FICO scores into categorical data to predict defaults.

## Imperial Finance, Algorithmic Trading, FinTech, and Data Science Societies

- Developed skills in practical, financially driven context.
- Attended events held by leading industry experts.

# **Imperial Horizons Philosophy Modules**

- Critically analyzed texts and wrote essays concisely.
- Effectively communicated and defended ideas in group discussions.

#### **RELEVANT PROJECTS**

**GitHub Source Control** – Windows application using Auth0, AWS, and GitHub API for managing repositories. **ECG Neural Network** – Detected abnormalities in ECG graphs using supervised machine learning algorithms. **Stock Return Analysis and Risk Management** – Computed quantitative metrics on securities such as Sharpe, Sortino, and Treynor Ratios to reduce unsystematic risk.

**Portfolio Optimization and Diversification –** Maximized multi-asset portfolio returns with Markowitz models and correlation matrices.

**ARM v8 Emulator and Assembler** – working in team to convert assembly code to machine code and emulate it on Raspberry Pi OS.

## PROGRAMMING SKILLS

Python: NumPy, Keras, TensorFlow, Pandas, scikit-learn, SciPy, Matplotlib

Technologies: Version Control, AWS, SQL

Other Languages: R, C#, C, Haskell, Lua, HTML, CSS, LaTeX