# Gabriel Hardy-Joseph LinkedIn \*Portfolio \*Github

EDUCATION

HEC Montréal Expected graduation: December 2025

Bachelor's of Business Administration - Business Analytics and Finance

- Honours Program and Mention of Great Distinction.
- Member of the International Case Competitions Team, Data Science Committee and Trading Club.

Sogang University

Mar. 2023 – Jun. 2023

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Student Exchange Program - Seoul, South Korea

• Member of the Taekwondo and running clubs, represented the university at the Seoul Shinmun Half-Marathon.

# EXPERIENCE

IBM | Intern, Business Analyst

Jan. 2024 – Dec. 2024

- Advised senior leadership on Go-to-Market strategies for IBM's Open Payments Marketplace by conducting market and industry research, analyzing competitors, building consolidated slide decks, and delivering presentations.
- Conducted client-centric research on North American independent software vendors and financial institutions.
- Integrated product analytics into IBM offerings through research and functional requirements development.

TMX Group | Intern, Systems and Data

Sep. 2022 – Dec. 2022

- Analyzed financial data from approved participants to detect manipulative trading practices.
- Developed a training program aiming to educate new employees about financial markets and regulatory concepts.
- $\bullet$  Researched new tools to improve and automate the division's processes through Jira and Confluence.

# Extracurricular

Data Science Committee | Competitions Vice President

May. 2024 – Present

• Led a data-driven competition with the CDPQ, conducting 40+ interviews and forming the top two winning teams.

University of Florida 🗹 | Heavener International Case Competition – 2<sup>nd</sup> Overall

Feb. 2025

• Competed against 15 teams from prestigious universities worldwide, formed and presented strategic recommendations for the digitization of a global remittances company and the applications of VR technologies to treat chronic illnesses.

Jeux du Commerce | Information Technology Case - 2<sup>nd</sup> Overall and Favorite of the Jury Aug. 2024 - Jan. 2025

• Participated in weekly resolutions of 20+ IT-focused business cases, presenting in front of professors, coaches and various industry leaders to represent the university at the largest business case competition in Eastern Canada.

**KPMG** | Ace The Case Regional Competition - First Overall

Feb. 2024

• Provided guidance on firm's expansion viability and acquisition potential, presenting insights to a judging panel.

**Deloitte** | Community Case Competition (DC3) - First Overall

Nov. 2023

• Formulated and presented recommendations to guide a non-profit through the process of technology integration.

#### **PROJECTS**

# PremierPredict: Football Match Predictor App 🗹 | Python, Scikit-Learn, Streamlit

- Trained a RandomForest machine learning model to predict the outcomes of Premier League matches.
- Engineered robust features from 20+ years of match data including team form, statistics and historical matchups.
- Created an interactive web application using Streamlit which allows users to predict outcomes of upcoming matches.

# Frozen Lake Stochastic Reinforcement Learning Agent 🗹 | Python, NumPy, Gymnasium

- Implemented Q-learning algorithms for stochastic environments using NumPy matrix operations.
- Analyzed performance across 15,000 episodes, revealing optimization patterns in uncertain environments.
- Authored a technical blog post documenting methodology, results, and insights from the project for knowledge sharing.

### SKILLS

 $\textbf{Tools}: \ Python, \ SQL, \ LaTeX, \ TensorBoard, \ Tableau, \ PowerBI, \ Visual \ Studio \ Code, \ PowerPoint, \ Excel, \ Git, \ Github.$ 

Libraries: Pandas, Numpy, Matplotlib, Scikit-Learn, Pynput, Pytesseract, Gym, Stable Baselines, Cvxpy, Streamlit.

Languages: Fluent in written and spoken French and English.

Certifications: Stanford Machine Learning Specialization, Azure AI Fundamentals (AI-900).