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Summary: Adaptable data scientist (4+ years exp. in R & Python) with expertise in interpretable models; a broad statistical toolkit; and analyzing big, messy, and observational data. Enjoys collaborating, presenting, and leadership-roles.

Objective: Seeking data science position in with machine-learning and leadership growth opportunities.

EDUCATION

Harvard University, Ph.D. in Human Evolutionary Biology, Cambridge, MA	May 2022
University of Texas at Austin, B.A. in Anthropology, Minor in Mathematics, Austin, TX	May 2012

SKILLS & INTERESTS

Professional: R · Python (Numpy, Scikit-learn, Pandas) · Julia · SQL · Git · Econometrics & Causal Inference · Machine Learning · Data Visualization · Geospatial Data · Reinforcement Learning · Game Theory · Survey Design · LaTeX

RELEVANT PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Univ. of Toronto: Schwartz Reisman Inst. & Vector Inst. for Artificial Intelligence Post-Doctoral Scientist	Toronto, ON 2022-Present
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- Construct mathematical model of norm-behavior using computational (Python, Julia) and analytical (game-theoretic) methods, with applications to artificial intelligence and reinforcement learning
- Design collaborative project and devise survey questions studying legal order (Kenya)
- Mentor a Ph.D. student's research and direct and lead weekly Schwartz Reisman Graduate Fellows' meetings planning a research workshop advancing interdisciplinary artificial intelligence and machine learning research
- Plan and develop themes and speakers for interdisciplinary conference (100+ attendees) on artificial intelligence

Research Consultant (Self-Employed), Remote	2019-Present
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- Provide statistical and disciplinary expertise and services for academic researchers and projects at Harvard University and The University of Chicago: Booth School of Business and industry projects at Rare (behavioral change fisheries project in Brazilian Amazon) and DeepMind (development of novel multi-agent reinforcement learning algorithm permitting artificial intelligence system to learn norms and emergent cooperative behaviors)

RESEARCH & TEACHING EXPERIENCE

Harvard University Doctoral Researcher (Computational Social Science/Cultural Evolution)	Cambridge, MA 2016-2022
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- Produced 3 scientific articles identifying and answering questions on human societal, psychological, and institutional evolution, requiring statistical (R), analytical (game-theoretic), and computational (Python, Julia) methods
- Applied spatial and non-spatial linear models (R) and causal inference techniques to large (~5-10 million observations) and small (~5-10k) datasets for dissertation research
- Cleaned, processed, and analyzed messy data of various types (survey, economic, ecological, historical) and scales (individual, household, administrative, and geospatial)
- Designed and maintained multiple project pipelines simultaneously: identifying research questions; gathering, cleaning, and processing data; coding and performing statistical analyses; authoring reports; and presenting results
- Presented research regularly to technical and non-technical audiences including academic labs, research groups, and the leading international conference in my discipline (audiences ranged from ~5 to ~50 people)

Harvard University Lead Teaching Fellow, Statistics	Cambridge, MA 2019-2021
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- Managed and directed teaching teams ranging in size from 5-15 teaching assistants

Teaching Fellow, Human Evolutionary Biology & General Education	2018-2021
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- Taught complex concepts to large (~250 students) and small (~30) classes including Introduction to Statistics for Economics, Game Theory and Psychology, and Artificial Intelligence and Philosophy
- Led in-person and online instruction using platforms including Zoom and Canvas

LEADERSHIP & CONSULTING

Research Project Manager, Harvard University & University of Toronto	2020-Present
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- Leading collaborations across Harvard University, the University of Chicago: Booth School of Business, Toronto University, and Berkeley University

Referee, NeurIPS (Academic Society), IEEE SaTML, Remote	2021-Present
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- Refereed articles for major artificial intelligence and machine learning safety conferences