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EDUCATION

University College London <i>MSc Artificial Intelligence and Data Engineering, Merit</i>	Sep 2024 – Sep 2025 London, UK
Queen Mary, University of London <i>BSc Computer Science, First Class Honours</i>	Sep 2021 – Jun 2024 London, UK

• Relevant Coursework: Engineering for Data Analysis, Applied Deep Learning, Introduction to Machine Learning, Software Development Practice, Requirements Engineering and Software Architecture

• Relevant Coursework: Algorithms and Data Structures, Distributed Systems, Big Data Processing, Database Systems, Software Engineering, Object-Oriented Programming, Web Technology

SKILLS

Languages: Python, Java, Go, C#, SQL, PHP

DevOps & Cloud: Docker, Kubernetes, Terraform, Ansible, Git, BeeGFS

AI & Data: PyTorch, TensorFlow, Pandas, NumPy, Matplotlib, Hadoop, Spark

Web & Frameworks: React, Django, JavaScript, HTML, CSS

EXPERIENCE

AI Software Engineer <i>International Federation of Red Cross and Red Crescent Societies</i>	Jun 2025 – Sep 2025 London, UK
• Engineered and deployed LLM-based summarisation modules within the IFRC GO platform using Python and the Azure OpenAI SDK to extract and summarise critical insights from unstructured emergency reports	
• Reduced emergency report processing time from hours to minutes by integrating Azure OpenAI LLM workflows into legacy systems, accelerating decision-making speed across global operations	
• Scaled ingestion and summarisation pipelines, enabling real-time operational learning and improving response efficiency by reducing information redundancy	

Teaching Assistant
Queen Mary, University of London

• Guided 50+ students in understanding Computer System and Network concepts such as binary representation, CPU-architecture and assembly language

• Enhanced student comprehension by simplifying complex computing concepts, ensuring accessibility for learners from diverse backgrounds

PROJECTS

Distributed Data Automation (<i>Python, Terraform, Ansible, Spark, BeeGFS</i>)	Jan 2025 – Apr 2025
• Provisioned a scalable distributed data processing pipeline across a 5-node cluster leveraging Terraform for infrastructure provisioning and Ansible for configuration management	
• Applied Spark's Alternating Least Squares (ALS) algorithm to perform collaborative filtering and machine learning analysis, leveraging BeeGFS for high-throughput parallel file storage	
• Deployed Prometheus and Grafana dashboards for real-time monitoring and system metrics visualisation	
• Secured cluster access using SSH keys and implemented host-based firewall rules	
• Achieved 35-hour continuous data processing with zero system downtime during load test	

Reddit Sentiment Summariser (*Python, Django, HTML, CSS, JavaScript, SQL*)

Sep 2023 – Jun 2024

• Developed an interactive web application for analysing Reddit content, implementing VADER for sentiment analysis and Pegasus-X for text summarisation, enabling toxicity detection across multiple subreddits

• Automated data mining through RESTful APIs, retrieving and processing 100+ Reddit posts per day

• Refactored a scalable Django backend, reducing API response latency by 30%

• Secured user data with SQL-based authentication and data storage workflows, ensuring robust access control

Portfolio Website (*React, JavaScript, SCSS*)

Sep 2022 – Sep 2022

• Built and deployed a responsive portfolio web application using React, JavaScript and SCSS, ensuring cross-browser compatibility and optimised performance

• Configured continuous integration and continuous deployment (CI/CD) using Netlify for automated updates