Grayson Felt

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EDUCATION

MSc Financial Engineering   **Tartu, Estonia**
The University of Tartu   August 2022 – Summer 2024

BS Finance & Economics. Minor: Computer Science   **Logan, Utah, USA**
Utah State University | Jon M. Huntsman School of Business   August 2018 - May 2022
- GPA: 3.80; Dean's List 5 semesters
- VP- Service, Finance and Economics Club. Source financial literacy service opportunities 2019-2020
- VP Invests Club. Organize algorithmic trading meetings and write algorithms 2020-2021
- Huntsman Scholar's Program. (Honors program and scholarship awarded by the business school)

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Grandeur Peak   **Logan, UT**
Data Scientist   May 2021 – Aug 2021
- Scraped financial data from Bloomberg Terminal and Excel workbooks to create informative Python visualizations for analysts
- Created a Python script that auto-generated graphs of financial ratios and balances comparatively amongst 10+ companies
- Cut financial data review process from minutes to seconds for analysts engaging in portfolio selection

Utah State University   **Logan, UT**
Graduate Teaching Assistant – Machine Learning   Aug 2021 – Dec 2021
- Assisted in the instruction of an introduction to machine learning course that teaches fundamental models including random forest, SVMs, KNN, and many others
- Graded weekly assignments in the format of python scripts that included an EDA of large (>100k rows) datasets, the implementation of a machine learning model, and conclusions drawn from the results

Clear Learning Partners   **Logan, UT**
Student Analyst   Oct 2020 – Present
- Built database in SQL from ground up
- Designed and wrote a market analysis tutorial in InDesign; this project became a key product for clients
- Organize weekly meetings and employ project management skills to deliver team-driven research

The Center for Growth and Opportunity   **Logan, UT**
Student Analyst   Aug 2021 – Present
- Supported the writing and data collection of economic research to support public policy
- Studied the impact and future of machine learning as it relates to agriculture in the United States
- Organize weekly meetings and employ project management skills to deliver team-driven research

Neighborhood House   **Logan, UT (Remote)**
Research Assistant/Database Manager   June 2020 – Aug 2020

- Tasked to improve two existing databases or research alternative software
- Scheduled and led weekly team meetings where I recapped weekly findings or work
- Saved $500+ per year by finding an alternative software that strengthened pain points
- Customized database to track additional data points and streamlined data entry

IndustryPro *(middle market M&A advisor)*   **Logan, UT (Remote)**
Acquisition Analyst   May 2019 – Aug 2019
- Conducted search for private companies in medical billing industry targeting $2-$10M annual revenue using search engines and websites including Owler; this resulted in 20+ companies of interest per week that would be contacted by the team lead, and later guided into acquisition planning
- Sorted research into a weekly Excel spreadsheet delivered to team lead
- Worked on 4-person team to find contacts pointing IndustryPro to new clients in the software development industry

SKILLS/INTERESTS

- Proficient in Python, Excel, HTML/CSS, Java, R; Basic LaTeX, Stata, SQL, Julia
- Enjoy curating playlists for friends, oil and acrylic painting, reading about art history anywhere from pre-renaissance to post-modern, and coding live trading algorithms