BRENDAN SIMON REEVES

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Education

Stanford University | Stanford, CA

M.S. Candidate in Computer Science (Concentration: Artificial Intelligence)

June 2025

B.S., Major: Symbolic Systems (Computer Science, Linguistics, Philosophy), Minor: Music

June 2024

GPA: 3.86/4.00 | Awards: Stanford Boothe Prize, nominated for excellence in argumentative writing

Activities & societies: Stanford Mendicants a cappella group (assistant music director), EdTech Projects, Gayvah Jewish Queer Club President, Stanford Light Opera Company's Sweeney Todd, study abroad @ Universidad de Salamanca in Spain

Work Experience

Stanford Causality in Cognition Lab | Stanford, CA

Sept 2023 - March 2024

Research Assistant

- Designed and engineered experiment in React.js w/ Python backend; advised by Prof. Tobias Gerstenberg
- Causal inference reasoning in 3-node acyclic graph env., bayesian RSA model for causal structure learning

Kyndryl | New York, NY

July 2023 - March 2024

Technical Consultant Intern -> Part-Time, Chief Privacy and Regulatory Office

- Assisted in crafting Responsible Al Policy for world's largest provider of IT infrastructure consulting services, culminating in a presentation on Al policy and developer decision tree for senior leaders
- Due diligence on Cloud API Documentation and new Generative AI (gAI) trends, identified promising business use cases for gAI, & administered new Azure Open AI dev environment for developers, ensuring projects I owned were being executed responsibly and cost efficiently

DevRev | Palo Alto, CA

June 2022 - Aug 2022

SWE and Strategy Intern, Technology and Revenue Team

- Spearheaded creation of new customer success dashboard in SQL & Data Studio that is now used daily by revenue and development teams to execute sales objectives and improve query response times
- Led competitive analysis research, and presented feature parity & emerging trends to CEO & DevOps team, resulted in supervising launch of 2 new features on the Beta App
- Pitched DevRev, a start-up SaaS company which launched with \$50M in seed funding, to founders, VCs, and reps from Apple, Google, and Amazon at Mayfield's TechCrunch 2022, resulting in over 30 client leads

Leadership & Volunteer

Stanford Law School | Stanford, CA

March 2022 – April 2022

Social Impact, Artificial Intelligence and Law Bootcamp

- Selected as one of 25 Stanford students, & one of only 4 undergrads, to participate in AI startup incubator
- Explored, designed, & pitched startup idea addressing inequity in early childhood education to Google VPs

The Stanford Mendicants | Stanford, CA

Sept 2020 - Present

Assistant Music Director

 Guided artistic vision for Stanford's oldest a cappella group, a group of 19 members, composing original arrangements (favorite is What a Wonderful World) for two albums, performing for 2000+ people

Caridades Católicas | San Francisco, CA

Sept 2021 - Jan 2022

Volunteer

Provided bilingual outreach and MediCal low-income health insurance assistance for dozens of families

Skills & Interests

- Natural Languages: Spanish (Fluent), Hebrew (limited working proficiency)
- Software Languages: Software Dev; Python, React.js, C/C++, SQL, MongoDB, AWS & Azure integration
- Skills: Project Management Tools/Methodologies; Database Management; Google Cloud Data Services (Data Studio, Big Query); Al/Cyber Strategy; HCI; Generative AI; Public Speaking; Technical Writing
- Interests: Language Learning, Music Composer, Opera Singer, Pianist, History & Art Wikipedia Contributor