HARLAN JONES

harlanljones.com | LinkedIn | GitHub

EDUCATION

Boston University Graduated May 2025

Bachelor of Science in Computer Engineering

- 3.12 GPA, Dean's List
- Received a B or better grade in the following relevant courses: Computational Linear Algebra;
 Discrete Mathematics; Probability, Statistics, and Data Science; Software Design; Client-Server Software Design; Cloud Computing; and Deep Learning.

EXPERIENCE

Luxottica Group Summer 2021

Sales Associate

- Exceeded store sales goals through proactive customer and coworker engagement.
- Assisted in daily store operations, including visual merchandising, inventory management, and point-of-sale transactions.

Waiter.com Summer 2023

Data Scientist Intern

- Researched recommendation algorithms, such as collaborative and content-based filtering.
- Prototyped a machine learning model using Python libraries like NumPy, Pandas, and Scikit-learn for predicting user meal preferences based on order history.
- **Leveraged** natural language processing and feature engineering techniques.

Boston University EC528

Fall 2024

Cloud Computing Team Engineer

- Created a Python CLI to automate the deployment of containerized AI applications on Google Cloud Platform (GCP), managing infrastructure, data, and user authentication.
- Developed a scalable backend on GCP using Cloud Run for serverless compute, Artifact Registry for Docker images, and Firebase for secure authentication.
- Streamlined the user experience with automated data ingestion from HuggingFace and Kaggle and simple commands for lifecycle management.

Boston University EC523

Spring 2025

Deep Learning Team Engineer

- **Engineered** generative adversarial networks (GANs) in PyTorch to supplement a limited medical imaging dataset of pneumonia screenings.
- Improved a residual neural network (ResNet-50) classifier's accuracy by approximately 10 percentage points using GAN-generated data for training.
- **Analyzed** synthetic image quality quantitatively (SSIM) and qualitatively (Grad-CAM) to validate the effectiveness of the machine learning pipeline.