# **JEREMY CALCARIAN**

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#### **EDUCATION**

## University of Pennsylvania

The Wharton School | BS. Economics | Major: Finance, Statistics

The School of Engineering and Applied Science | Minor: Data Science, Computer Science (Intention: MSE in Data Science)

Relevant Coursework: Discrete Mathematics, Combinatorics, Linear Algebra, Big Data Analytics, Probability, Data

Structures, Algorithms, Game Theory, Investment Management, Computer Systems, Corporate Finance, Monetary Economics

Honors & Awards: UN Service Award, Kroger Award, Capital One National Case Competition Semi-Finalist

#### PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

PASSIO Lab

Research Software Engineer

Jun 2024 - Present Hagerstown, MD

Expected: May 2025

· Selected to research with Dr. Phat K. Huynh, to develop the advanced machine learning capabilities of Niura's EEG earbuds

Nov 2023 - Present Niura

Product Management

Philadelphia, PA

- · Conducted machine learning research on EEG signals for live stress monitoring brain analytics software
- · Produced product strategy, market research, and designed consumer research analytics tools for an EEG product
- · Strategizing fundraising, and created detailed frameworks for product development

**GoAhead Ventures** Oct 2022 - Present

Venture Scout

Philadelphia, PA

· Sourced seed and pre-seed deals through conducting interviews of 50+ founders globally to analyze future fund

management, vertical integration solutions, and generated software evaluations. · Reviewed over 200 startup pitches, contributing to company pitch data and strategic decisions on a weekly review panel

### Apple, Beats by Dr Dre

Jul 2022 - Sept 2022

**Business Analytics** 

Hagerstown, MD

- · Advised and discussed current Beats by Dre marketing objectives with consumer insights division lead, and developed three new consumer-based marketing strategies tailored by regression consumer analysis and additional qualitative research
- · Conducted customer research to contribute to the global segment research of Beats's 2022 headphone model

#### LEADERSHIP EXPERIENCE

**EMPOWERR** Oct 2019 - Present

Founder

Hagerstown, MD

· Managed a nonprofit organization, four management teams (60+ members), raised over \$50K+ and 20K+ items for local homeless, food insecurity challenges. Engaged 30+ schools, a Fortune 500, and 9 non-profits

Consult For America Jan 2022 - Jan 2024

Data Consultant

Philadelphia, PA

- · Drove data-driven insights and product analysis by analyzing the POS database (\$1M+transactions) that led to an international food company's first consumer-based segmentation, and development of local partnership strategies
- · Identified HTML errors, and increased expected yearly revenue by \$112K through an optimizing machine-learning menu model

# **PROJECTS**

**Local Lens** Jun 2023 - Apr 2024

· Started the iteration of a transformative startup platform for creators and buyers, via a matchmaking model

Evolutionary Game Theory in Algorithmic Trading – (Python, Pandas, YFinance)

Dec 2023 - Jan 2024

· Evaluated trading strategies from using evolutionary game theory parameters within a simulated market environment

Credit Card Fraud Detection – (Python, Pandas, Seaborn)

Nov 2023 - Dec 2023

· Created a machine learning model to pinpoint credit card fraud, analyzing 1 million transactions with logistic regression, decision trees, and SVMs, focusing on key features like transaction distance and purchase ratios (F1 Score of 0.99)

Diabetic Retinopathy Classifier – (Python, Keras, TensorFlow)

Apr 2023 – May 2023

· Created a classifier using CNN transfer learning for the classification of retinal fundus images to detect diabetic retinopathy (0.92 AUROC), and identified critical regions through Grad-CAM heatmaps

#### TECHNICAL SKILLS AND INTERESTS

Proficient: Java, Python, SQL, Pandas, TensorFlow, Scikit-learn, Jupyter, Excel

Familiar: HTML, CSS, OCaml, PyTorch, Keras, Spark, NumPy | Learning: React Native, C, JavaScript, TypeScript, Manim Skills: Data Visualization, Team Engagement, Financial Analysis, Data Management, Communication, Product Development Interests: Machine Learning, iOS Software, Videography, Entrepreneurship, Poverty Alleviation, Soccer, Poker