# MICHAEL HORVATH

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#### **EDUCATION**

University of Kansas

BS Psychology and Statistics GPA: 3.6

Lawrence, KS Grad: May 2011

#### EXPERIENCE

## **Embrace Healthwear**

Software Engineer

San Diego, CA Sept, 2017 — Present

• Data analysis and machine learning for motion sensor signal data, with emphasis on seamless pipelining and mapping research literature to procedural findings. Data preprocessing, vectorization and feature engineering in preparation for supervised and unsupervised classification. Python, binary classification, time-series analysis, database engineering, mysql, principal component analysis.

## Personal Projects

Jan 2017 — Aug 2017

- Developed a neural net constructor from the ground up in Elixir, to improve understanding of machine learning at its most basic level. Applied constructor to solve Rubiks cube.
- Trained Long Short Term Memory network on cryptocurrency data to predict market volatility. Wrote trading algorithm based on machine learning predictions.
- Deployed various machine learning programs, ranging from style-transfer to binary-classification, regression, and multi-class classification, on Google Cloud Computing platform to evaluate performance across various hyperparameters. Explored optimal neural net configurations and validation techniques.

## University of Kansas

Lawrence, KS

Program Evaluation Consultant

Sep 2010 — May 2011

- Reconstructed the ARC Self-Determination Scale a 72 item self-report metric for use in reporting self-determination among students with learning disabilities. Presented findings to authors and collaborators. New version, with shortened length and increased validity and reliability is included in the latest iteration of the National Longitudinal Transition Study (NLTS-2), administered by the Department of Education.
- Collaborated with Program Evaluation Team to assess and evaluate various inter-departmental education grants for the purpose of grant submission, evaluation, and renewal.
- Developed, deployed, and administered training grant evaluation surveys, gathering outcome data concerning program success and student outcomes.

#### SKILLS

Programming languages: Python, Elixer, JS, Node

Statistics: Regression, ANOVA, SAS, SPSS, MPLUS

Machine Learning: Classification, PCA, time-series, feature engineering

#### AWARDS

## CalTech Signature Award

Kansas City, KS

Innovative and Creative thinking in mathematics and sciences.

May 2006

## National Merit Scholar

Outstanding academic and extra-curricular achievement.

2006