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M.Sc. Computer Science, Cornell University
B.Sc. Honours Computer Science, Mathematics Minor , University of British Columbia, GPA: 4.30/4.33
RIENCE —
 Research Assistant, Schiebinger Lab, Department of Mathematics, University of British Columbia Constructed developmental trajectories for biological systems in equilibrium using optimal transport on single-cell data Designed a manifold-learning approach for optics-free spatial transcriptomics
 Research Assistant, WoRCS Lab, Institute for Resources, Environment, and Sustainability, University of British Columbia Assisted with a global assessment of the functional connectivity of protected areas Created acoustic permeability signatures to aid in the study of vocal amphibians
 Honours Thesis, Algorithms Lab, Department of Computer Science, University of British Columbia Developed a continuous approximation to the classic learning problem of prediction with expert advice for a small numbers of experts
 Fellow - Data Science for Social Good Program, University of British Columbia Data Science Institute Integrated six datasets and developed the database for an app helping city planners develop electric vehicle infrastructure Created a model to identify and rank charging sites, developing an objective that incorporates both potential usage and even access to chargers
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 Shahan R., C. Hsu, T.M. Nolan, B.J. Cole, I.W. Taylor, L. Greenstreet, et al. A single cell Arabidopsis root atlas reveals developmental trajectories in wild type and cell identity mutants. Developmental Cell, 2021. https://doi.org/10.1016/j.devcel.2022.01.008
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PRESENTAT	IONS
2020	Greenstreet, L , and E. Lai. <i>Developing a Data-Driven Electric Vehicle Strategy in Surrey, BC</i> . SigKDD 2020 Social Impact Session.
2020	Greenstreet, L , and E. Lai. <i>Maximizing Utilization of Electric Vehicle Charging Infrastructure in Surrey, BC using a Data-Driven Model</i> . UBC Multidisciplinary Undergraduate Research Conference.
PREPRINTS	
2022	Greenstreet, L. , A. Afanassiev, Y. Kijima, M. Heitz, S. Ichiguro, et al. <i>A DNA-based global positioning system—a theoretical framework for large-scale spatial genomics</i> . Preprint. https://www.biorxiv.org/content/10.1101/2022.03.22.485380v1
2021	Brennan, A., R. Naidoo, L. Greenstreet, Z. Mehrabi, N. Ramankutty, C. Kremen. Functional Connectivity of the World's Protected Areas. Preprint. https://doi.org/10.1101/2021.08.16.456503
2021	Hojun, L., J. Ezike, A. Afanassiev, L. Greenstreet , et al. <i>Hematopoiesis at single cell resolution spanning human development and maturation</i> . Preprint. https://www.biorxiv.org/content/10.1101/2021.08.25.457678v1
Awards —	
2020	NSERC Undergraduate Summer Research Award
2018	Stanley M Grant Scholarship in Mathematics
WORK EXP. 09/2022 - Pre	
	• CS 4220 SP22 - Numerical Analysis: Linear and Nonlinear Problems
06/2021 - 12/	 Independent Consultant, City of Surrey, Vancouver, BC Helped migrate the app developed during my fellowship at UBC's Data Science Institute from RShiny to PowerBI for better integration with the City's systems.
01/2019 - 05/	 Academic Assistant, University of British Columbia Library, Vancouver, BC Helped develop for-all-x, an open-source introductory logic textbook used in UBC's PHIL 220
07/2015 - 08/	 Information Technology Coordinator, Tilth Alliance, Seattle, WA Led the integration of three non-profits' IT resources following a merger Maintained three websites and took the technical lead in the website redesign process
Communit	y Involvement———————————————————————————————————
2022	Volunteer, Research Advocacy Day, Cornell
2020-2021	Mentor, Data Science for Social Good Program, UBC Data Science Institute
2019	Math Tutor, Emerging Indigenous Scholars Program, University of British Columbia
2014-2015	Student Board Member, SEED, Univ. of Washington Sustainability in Housing
2014-2015	Volunteer, University of Washington Student Farm