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EDUCATION

University of Illinois at Urbana Champaign
Bachelors of Science, Engineering Physics
Minor: Mathematics
Expected Graduation: May 2017
GPA: 3.74

August 2014 – Present

Glenbrook South High School
GPA: 4.2
ACT: 35

August 2010 – June 2014

EXPERIENCE

Undergraduate Researcher
Dec 2014 – Present

Center for Complex Systems Research
Urbana, IL

- Utilized Mathematica and Matlab to develop a model for quantum noise in optical sensors
- Researched the Coulomb blockade in Nanocapacitors
- Worked under Dr. Alfred Hubler, produced and presented weekly reports for the research group

Quantitative Trading Internship
May 2016 – Aug 2016

KCG Holdings
Chicago, IL

- Developed and implemented a variety of statistical models to analyze US equities data
- Utilized Python and Vertica to analyze hundreds of gigabytes of complex datasets
- Presented my analysis and research to a global team of traders

HONORS & AWARDS

- The Dean's List, *College of Engineering* Spring 2015, Fall 2015, Spring 2016
- James Scholar Spring 2015 – Present
- Eagle Scout, *Boy Scouts of America* Fall 2013

SKILLS

- **Languages:** Mathematica, Python, L^AT_EX, R, Javascript, Matlab, Java, C++.
- **Software & Packages:** Pandas, TensorFlow, Node.js, MySQL, Vertica, Unix, Autodesk, Photoshop
- **Coursework:** Numerical Analysis, Probability Theory, Differential Geometry, Quantum Mechanics, Electrodynamics

PHILANTHROPY

The Gift of Water

2012 – Present

- Traveled to Haiti to distribute water filtration systems, provide education, and collect data
- Organization supports over 100 communities in Haiti