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## EDUCATION

**Georgia Institute of Technology**, Atlanta, GA

Jun 2018 – Dec 2022

- Candidate for Bachelor of Science in Industrial Systems Engineering with a concentration in Data Analytics
- Dean's List student with 3.81 GPA, 3.80 Major Specific GPA – completed 121 Credit Hours
- Relevant Coursework:
  - Computer Science: Data Input/Manipulation, Database Systems, Simulation Analysis and Design, Advanced Regression/Forecasting, Advanced Optimization, Decision & Data Analytics
  - Statistics & Engineering: Calculus, Linear Algebra, Discrete Mathematics, Statistical Methods, Advanced Stochastics, Advanced Regression/Forecasting, Advanced Optimization

## PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

**PricewaterhouseCoopers**

Jun 2022 – Aug 2022

*Consulting - Operations Transformation Intern*

- Assisted a project setting up an International Sourcing Organization replacing a 3<sup>rd</sup> party agency to drive \$40 million in yearly client savings and de-risk the client's supply chain
- Delivered and presented acquisition research to determine short and long-term impact on the client
- Captured current state activities of the 3<sup>rd</sup> party sourcing agency to inform the new Sourcing Organization

**Coca-Cola Bottlers' Sales and Services**

Spring 2020, Fall 2020, Summer 2021

*Data Analyst - Full Time Co-Op*

- Created, updated, and maintained a repository of Power BI and Tableau workbooks for dashboarding and reporting purposes
- Pulled large datasets from SQL databases and used Python Pandas and NumPy for data formatting, cleansing, and model creation
- Created predictive forecasting models and classifiers using Python and R, hyper tuned parameters to inform business decisions regarding supplier reliability
- Drove the creation of automated updates for models and dashboards using Python and SQL

## LEADERSHIP

**Excel Mentorship Program**

Jan 2020 – Dec 2021

*Health and Wellness Mentor*

- Mentored and helped students with intellectual disabilities
- Met with students on a one-on-one basis, helped teach them skills needed to become self-sufficient
- Aided the development of skills such as grocery shopping, healthy eating, and exercising

## DATA SCIENCE PROJECTS (LOCATED ON GITHUB)

**Drug Classification** - Created a classifier exploring regression, neural net, KNN, SVC, random forest, gradient boost, naïve bayes, and decision tree models to predict which medication to prescribe heart disease patients

**World Leader Image Classification** - Created a classifier using SVMs to distinguish between world leaders

**Car Price Prediction** - Created and tuned a linear regression model used to predict car price

**Mushroom Classification** - Created an artificial neural network model to classify if mushrooms are edible

## SKILLS

<b>Tools:</b>	Python, SQL, R, Alteryx Core Certification, Advanced Microsoft Excel Certification, Tableau, Power BI, Gurobi, SAP
<b>Concepts:</b>	Big Data, Data Engineering, Neural Networks, Random Forest, Regression/Forecasting, Bayesian Models, K-Means Clustering, SVM, Linear & Nonlinear Optimization, etc
<b>Clubs:</b>	Consult Your Community (CYC), Investments Committee (IC), Excel Mentorship
<b>Communication:</b>	Leadership, presentations, reporting, research papers, group project work