# **Gaetan Almela**

My name is Gaetan. I am 22 years old and passionate for writing good code, and solving meaningful problems. I'm looking for a job in Software Engineering in the finance industry.

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#### **WORK EXPERIENCE**

**SIG** — Large scale trading software

Philadelphia | Jun 2023 - Aug 2023

- Implemented a data syncing system for software used by hundreds of traders every day.
- Developed and deployed a remote REST API to keep track of data relations between independent instances of the trading system, all in C#.
- Learned invaluable lessons working with larger teams, code bases, and shipping software that scales.

## **Arandis** — Data science in finance

France | Mar 2021 - Apr 2021

- Developed over **60 fully automated** Selenium web scrapers to extract ETF fund data every day.
- Performed data analysis in Numpy and Pandas on over 45,000 data points from hundreds of different sources.
- Learned how to work in a team of other developers.

## Amazon Marketplace — Scraping the web

France | Jan 2019 - Mar 2019

- Developed a fully automated scraper to extract **over 30,000 data points** from competitors.
- Learned valuable lessons in structuring and writing larger programs.

#### **PROJECTS**

## Wave Function Collapse — Safety meets performance

GitHub 20

Implemented the Wave Function Collapse algorithm in Rust with compile time type checking, parallel processing, and arbitrary dimensional space and input type.

# **obx** — Object manipulation done right

GitHub / npm | 2022

obx is a fast, tiny, well documented, and battle-tested object manipulation library for JavaScript with over 1000 tests. It is used in many of my projects including some listed below.

# Accents — Accent support for Chrome

GitHub / Web Store 20

Co-founder of Accents, an extension for Chrome that adds easy accents to the keyboard. It emulates the accent system of MacOS while adding keyboard shortcuts and functionalities. At its peak, the extension had over **40,000 users**.

#### **EDUCATION**

## University of Maryland

Fall 2019 – Spring 2024

Computer Science and Mathematics Double Major. Expected to graduate May 20<sup>th</sup> 2024.

CMSC320 Data Science, CMSC420 Data Structures, CMSC422 Machine Learning, CMSC424 Database Design, CMSC451 Advanced Algorithms, STAT410 Probability Theory

### **SKILLS**

 ${\it Web}~{
m React, Redux, GraphQL, MongoDB, PostgreSQL, Actix Web}$ 

Data Science Numpy, Pandas, SciKit Learn, SciPy, Jupyter

Programming Languages Rust, JavaScript, Go, Python, Shell

*Other* Efficient with GNU/Linux, Fluent in English and French, Rubik's Cube World Championship 2017 Contestant.