

# Felipe Lorenzi

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## WORK EXPERIENCE

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### Graduate Student Researcher

UC San Diego

**Apr. 2024 – Sep. 2025**

San Diego, CA

- Conducted research investigating robust and trustworthy data analytics under Dr. Babak Salimi.
- Co-authored a paper submitted to VLDB 2025 introducing a framework for simulating data quality issues and exposing crucial vulnerabilities often overlooked in even the most robust ML pipelines.
- Led two research projects on conformal prediction, a robust uncertainty quantification method for AI/ML models.

### Data Analyst

Hagerty Consulting

**Dec. 2022 – Oct. 2023**

San Diego, CA

- Built tools and processes from scratch in Python, Excel, and VBA for regulatory compliance in an improvised, emergency response setting.
- Mediated communications with stakeholders and cross-functional teams belonging to four different organizations.
- Enhanced data collection processes for improved availability and accuracy while achieving speed ups of over 60%.
- Conducted QA/QC and developed remediation plans to reduce data discrepancy rates from over 10% to less than 5%.

### Data Scientist Intern

**Apr. 2022 – Jul. 2022**

Neighborly

Waco, TX

- Utilized SQL, statistics, and machine learning models in Python to model franchise success rates in a self-led analysis.
- Presented analytical findings to C-suite executives and collaborated to conceive actionable insights.
- Streamlined survey design and data collection pipeline for efficiency and compatibility with future company datasets.
- Managed project timelines independently while working closely with the business intelligence team.

### Intern

**Jun. 2020 – Oct. 2020**

Catavento Book Distributor

São Paulo, Brazil

- Trained and deployed a machine learning model in Python to rectify genre misclassifications of more than 30,000 books by leveraging natural language processing transformer models.

## Projects

- Data Management:** Collaborated in a team of three to create recommender system trained on tens of millions of data points scraped from Goodreads using Python, Docker, PostgreSQL, Neo4j, and Qdrant. (2025)
- Forecasting:** Built database of daily car sales from Cars.com by creating web scraper in Python and analyzed for trends, saving money when purchasing a car a few months later. (2023)
- Machine Learning:** Analyzed brain EEG signals when listening to music using signal processing and machine learning in Python using libraries such as mne, scipy, librosa, and pytorch. (2022)
- Statistical Inference:** Analyzed dataset of NYPD civilian complaints using Python to uncover evidence suggesting systematic bias against certain minority groups. (2021)

## EDUCATION

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### University of California, San Diego

MS, Data Science

**April 2026 (expected)**

San Diego, CA

- Graduate research in robust and trustworthy data analytics (uncertainty quantification for AI).

### University of California, San Diego

BS, Cognitive Science with Specialization in Machine Learning

**August 2022**

San Diego, CA

- Data Science minor. 3.7 GPA