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- software engineer in research computing
- statistical and geospatial science gateways. I work in R, Python, Jupyter, and HubZero
- Experience in HPC: undergraduate research and the student cluster competition at SC18
- Current use: Supporting a lab that is new to using clusters
- Future use: Probably grad school in computational science or an application

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Given my role as research software support, my goals are broad, and most of the sessions have the potential to expose me to technologies that will be useful in future work. It's nice to get hands on experience and understanding of technologies I've never seen before so that I know when it's best to use them and I can have enough background to explore farther on my own in the future.