MATTHEW OHANIAN

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Profile

Full-stack data scientist with expertise in machine learning, cloud computing, and data engineering. Proven track record of developing production-grade ML models and data pipelines, with experience in healthcare, e-commerce, and biotech domains. Strong foundation in both technical implementation and business impact, delivering scalable solutions that drive measurable outcomes.

EXPERIENCE

• Qventus San Francisco

Data Scientist, Intern

February 2025 - Present

- Developing machine learning models to predict case response status and optimize healthcare operations using AWS SageMaker
- Building risk prediction models for case cancellations using healthcare datasets
- Implementing data pipelines using Snowflake and AWS (S3, Lambda) to process and analyze healthcare data

 Raydiant San Francisco

Data Scientist, Intern

October 2024 - February 2025

- Developed and optimized ETL pipelines using AWS (S3, Glue, Lambda, Athena) to process customer data, reducing processing time by 30% for 3M+ records
- Built customer churn prediction model using Python and scikit-learn, achieving 85% accuracy and identifying key factors driving customer retention
- Created interactive executive dashboards using Python and Tableau, providing real-time analytics for cross-functional teams

Axaitech Cape Town, South Africa

Data Scientist, Intern

July 2022 - August 2022

- Collaborated with team to optimize ML model, reducing gene expression analysis from 58,000 to 16 genes, leading to 75% cost reduction and 60% faster processing
- Built cancer classification model with 95% accuracy using minimal gene expressions, enabling faster diagnosis and reducing false
- Conducted data cleaning, visualization, and feature selection using Python, improving model performance by 25%

 DataRes Los Angeles

Data Scientist, Consultant

October 2022 - May 2023

- Built Python Streamlit dashboard to provide real-time feedback on home descriptions, analyzing 10,000+ listings to identify key factors for content improvement, resulting in 30% higher engagement rates
- Developed and tuned OCR model for reading wine labels, processing images for accuracy, and creating visualizations to communicate results to stakeholders

Matt's Tutoring Services

Los Angeles, CA

Math Instructor

September 2021 - Present Tutored 25+ students in subjects including Algebra, Geometry, Calculus, Linear Algebra, Statistics, and Data Science, improving grades

- by average of 20-30%
- Managed and delivered tutoring sessions both in-person and virtually via Zoom, maintaining high student engagement

PROJECTS

Kaggle Competition: Advanced Machine Learning 2025 (USF Course Project)

- Secured 5th place out of 90 students in Advanced ML competition using Matrix Factorization (Funk SVD) and Neural Networks for predicting childhood growth curves
- Achieved 92% accuracy through advanced feature engineering, hyperparameter optimization, and model stacking techniques

• Fingerhut: Cart Abandonment Prediction (UCLA Capstone Project)

- Led data preparation and cleaning for ML model to predict cart abandonment, achieving 85.7% accuracy with Light Gradient Boosting model
- Provided detailed insights and recommendations to stakeholders on reducing cart abandonment and boosting revenue

• AI-Powered Weight Loss Chatbot Web App

- Designed and built AI-driven weight loss chatbot using FastAPI, PostgreSQL, and React with LLM-based natural language processing
- Implemented macro/calorie estimation, user profile tracking, and interactive visualizations for weight/nutrition trends

EDUCATION

University of San Francisco

San Francisco, CA

Master's of Science in Data Science (MSDS)

Expected July 2025

Coursework: Linear Regression, Relational Databases, Computation in Python, Statistics, Data Structures and Algorithms, Distributed Computing, Machine Learning, Deep Learning, Experimental Design, Distributed Data Systems, Data Engineering

University of California, Los Angeles (UCLA)

Los Angeles, CA

Bachelor of Science in Data Theory

June 2023

- Roles: Data Scientist at UCLA DataRes and Vice President at UCLA's Club Sampling Club
- Coursework: Machine Learning, Math Modeling, Python and Technologies for Data Science, Data Analysis and Regression, Statistical Programming with R, Algorithms, SQL

SKILLS

- Cloud & Infrastructure: AWS (EC2, Lambda, S3, Glue, Redshift, Athena, SageMaker, ECS, ECR), Snowflake, Postgres, MongoDB
- Programming: Python (NumPy, Pandas, Seaborn, Matplotlib, Scikit-Learn, PyTorch, FastAPI, Flask), R, SQL, Git
- ML & AI: Deep Learning, NLP, Computer Vision, LLMs, Feature Engineering, Predictive Modeling, A/B Testing, Time Series Analysis, Ensemble Methods, Gradient Boosting, Random Forests, Neural Networks, MLFlow
- Data Engineering: ETL/ELT Pipelines, Data Warehousing, Data Modeling, Data Quality, MLOps, Model Deployment & Monitoring, Data
- Big Data: Apache Spark, Distributed Computing, Parallel Processing, Real-time Analytics, Stream Processing
- Visualization: Tableau, Plotly, Interactive Dashboards, Storytelling with Data