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EDUCATION

Brown University Providence, RI

Bachelor of Science, Applied Math - Computer Science, GPA: 4.00/4.00

Sep 2021 - May 2025

- Relevant Courses: Computer Systems, Parallel Computing, Web Development, Machine Learning, Computer Vision, Natural Language Processing, Stochastic Operations Research, Numerical Methods for Differential Equations, Real Analysis
- Awards & Certifications: Robinhood Hackathon Bronze, FINRA Securities Industry Essentials, AIME Qualifier

EXPERIENCE

LightspeedData Science Intern

Jan 2024 - Current
Providence, RI

- Analyzed Easter sales trends from over 10,000 restaurant transactions using BigQuery, uncovering sales patterns
- Developed sales and tip trend analyses using Google Cloud Platform Dataform and SQL, with Looker for strategic planning
- Led initiative to optimize table pacing, leveraging data science libraries in Python, reaching over 5,000 restaurants

Susquehanna International Group

Jun 2024 - Aug 2024

Quantitative Trading Intern

New York, NY

- Explored options theory, financial markets, and financial instruments to understand trading strategies and market dynamics
- Participated in simulated electronic mock trading sessions, applying real-time trading strategies and risk management
- Conducted a **Python** project to analyze the impact of attention effects on stock trends leading up to earnings and events

Brown University Aug 2022 - Dec 2023

Undergraduate Teaching Assistant

Providence, RI

- Designed over 10 assignments for natural language processing, functional programming, and machine learning courses
- Supported over 300 individuals by moderating an online question forum and providing guidance during office hours

JPMorgan Chase & Co.

Jun 2023 - Aug 2023

Software Engineer Intern

Jersey City, NJ

- Leveraged Splunk and AWS to construct a robust data pipeline for extracting and preprocessing call center log data
- Implemented outlier detection and classification models, achieving over 90% accuracy identifying irregular and bad calls
- Created time series models to find general trends in problematic calls across various regions, supporting over 50,000 users

Visual Prosthesis Lab

Sep 2022 - Dec 2022

Undergraduate Research Assistant

Providence, RI

- Researched and implemented Python computer vision frameworks to aid visually impaired individuals in navigation
- Developed prosthetic devices by leveraging YoloV5 for object localization, Text2Voice for intuitive grasping, and OCR

Western Digital May 2022 – Aug 2022

Software Development Engineer Intern

Milpitas, CA

- Designed test prioritization algorithm using **Python** and **machine learning**, increasing test cycle efficiency by over 50%
- Constructed regression, random forest, XGBoost, and neural network models to predict test failures with 95% accuracy
- Utilized FastAPI and SQL queries to access and post algorithm performances on Elasticsearch

PROJECTS

Jreamboard | React, Node.js, JavaScript, Express 😱

- Developed a podcast and audio-based social media web application for the Jream Foundation
- Prototyped frontend using Figma and implemented UI using React, designing a login and audio posts page
- Built backend architecture with **Express** and **PostgreSQL** to store audio and account information

IntelliGin | Python 🖸 🛂

- Developed a Double DQN (Deep Q-Network) reinforcement learning model for Gin Rummy
- Implemented custom environment in RLCard for Gin Rummy, including engineered feature extraction
- Trained models using self-play and adversarial strategies, performing well against random and rule-based adversaries

Caching I/O | C

• Designed caching system for file reading and writing, achieving 31% faster performance than C's standard library

Goodbot Slack | Python 😱

• Utilized **Python** to create workplace satisfaction Slack bot implementing polls and sentiment analysis for mental health

SKILLS

Languages: Python (proficient); JavaScript, HTML, CSS, ReasonML, (intermediate); C/C++, SQL, MATLAB (novice) Frameworks & Tools: React, TensorFlow, PyTorch, Git, Docker, Google Cloud Platform, Amazon Web Services, Figma