

## Matthew Jones

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### CAREER OBJECTIVE

As a Computer Science undergraduate student at the University of Kentucky, I am deeply passionate about artificial intelligence and the legislation surrounding it. I am eager to leverage my knowledge and skills through internships and summer research opportunities in the public policy of AI and emerging technologies.

### EDUCATION

University of Kentucky, Lexington, Kentucky (4.0 GPA) Projected Graduation, May 2027  
4 Semesters High Honor Roll Dean's List

- Major: Computer Science, 105 Credit Hours Complete
- Minors: Mathematics and Vocal Performance
- Artificial Intelligence Certificate
- Study Abroad Experience in Bilbao, Spain (Universidad de Deusto)

#### Collegiate Activities

- Social media leader, acoUstiKats a cappella
- Treasurer, Tau Beta Pi
- UK Men's Chorus

William Fremd High School, Palatine, Illinois (4.733/3.927 GPA) 2019-2023

#### High School Activities

- Cross Country: All-Conference Varsity Captain; IHSA Scholastic Achievement Award
- Track & Field: IHSA State Qualifier, 4x800M & 4x400M Relays
- Choir: Two-time ILMEA District VII Qualifier

### CORE QUALIFICATIONS

- **Programming & Development:** Proficient in Python for machine learning & AI, SQL for data querying and preprocessing, and full-stack web development (JavaScript, HTML, CSS); experienced with C++ and R.
- **Projects:** Retrieval-Augmented Generation (RAG) AI models, predictive text tools in C++, Arduino hardware integration, and responsive website deployment.
- **Communication and Collaboration:** Public speaking, technical presentations, and team leadership in academic and extracurricular settings; cross-cultural experience from study abroad in Spain (conversational Spanish).

### PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT

- UK AI/ML Research Symposium March 2024, November 2024
- UK Commonwealth Computational Sciences Summit on AI October 2023

### WORK EXPERIENCE

AI Researcher for [ACCESS](#),

UK Center for Computational Sciences (CCS) October 2024 – Present (Including Summer 2025)

- Developed and deployed a RAG model to assist users in drafting allocation requests based on past proposals
- Developed an LLM based tagging algorithm to categorize proposals based on their abstracts
- Improved existing AI models through document verification and retraining

Lavner Education Summer Teacher Intern, British International School Chicago Summer 2024

- Excited students with fun and fascinating STEM facts
- Prepared and taught lessons on subjects ranging from STEM in Medicine to C++

YMCA Sports Camp Counselor, Buehler YMCA, Palatine, Illinois Summer 2022 and Summer 2023

- Helped campers enjoy learning sports by being an exciting leader and ensuring safety

Attractions Host, Legoland Discovery Center, Schaumburg, Illinois Summer 2021

- Enhanced guest experience through interpersonal communication using English and Spanish