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EDUCATION

University of California, Los Angeles (UCLA) — BS, Computer Science - GPA: 3.6 *Expected Graduation: June 2025*

- Coursework: Data Structures, Computer Organization, Software Construction, OS, Algorithms, Machine Learning

EXPERIENCE

Serval Ventures — Intern *Oct 2023 - Present*

- Performed **vital data collection** for funding processes like average household income per postal code in the US etc.
- Developed **financial models** using my researched **data** to help company founders and Serval Ventures cooperate
- Worked on initial due diligence, screening company investor slides and other resources, PowerPoint decks, etc.

Vision Labs — UCLA Machine Learning Research *Sept 2022 - Present*

- Developed experimental segmentation models utilizing **Meta SAM, Grounding Dino, and Controlnet**
- Pioneered a resource-efficient deep learning model for image classification, achieving competitive accuracy with significantly reduced computational demands, and facilitating deployment in constrained environments
- Designed multiple image recognition models for numerous datasets like CIFAR-10 and MNIST

HIGHLIGHTED CODING PROJECTS *Oct 2020 - Present*

What's the Move

- Collaborated with a team to build a **client-centric event application** with features similar to Instagram, such as an **image upload-enabled** posts page and personalized **calendar**
- Implemented privacy features to enable Private, Friends, and Close Friends events with varying visibility levels.
- Utilized **React.js** and **Firebase** to build the application with a focus on back-end user-data management
- Managed version control using **Git**

Superior Apple Alarm

- Developed an app that can set an alarm for a certain date and time instead of just repeating for a weekday, with functionalities like shake and move a certain distance to stop the alarm. Voice memo or iTunes music for alternative alarm sounds.
- Leverage Xcode for iOS

Alzheimer's App

- Developed an app that is centered around the elderly with Alzheimer's to help them through their day.
- Scheduled Alarms, Games, and very simple UI/UX with the elderly in mind.

DIY Drone

- Engineered a drone with stable flight using electrical components totaling less than \$30
- Implemented an **Arduino Nano** and **MPU6050** to record gyroscope and accelerometer data, using PID algorithm to control motion

ACTIVITIES

School Robotics Team Leader — Hardware, Electronics, Code, Team Management *Sept 2018 - June 2022*

- **Led** my team to qualify for the Vex World Championships two years in a row, securing **3rd place globally**
- Directed a **team of 8** to design and build a robot capable of collecting and stacking 12 eight-inch blocks.
- Utilized **Fusion 360** for virtual modeling and led team meetings to strategize and plan.

Fencing *Feb 2015 - Present*

- Canadian National Fencing Team & American Division 1 Level
- Acted as a private coach, youth summer counselor, group lesson coach, and referee

SKILLS

Programming Languages: Python, C++, C, JavaScript, Java, SQL, HTML, CSS, x86-64, Ocaml

Tools/Frameworks: TensorFlow, PyTorch, React.js, Node.js, SQL, Firebase, Docker, Linux, Bash, Git

Other: 170 WPM, Mandarin (Fluent)

HONORS/AWARDS

- **Honors With Distinction AMC 12, 6 points on AIME 2021**
- **13th in Canada** in the UWaterloo Avogadro Chemistry Contest 2022