

# Nathan Lam

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## EDUCATION

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**University of California, Berkeley**

**Aug 2019 to May 2021**

Bachelor of Arts, Statistics

**De Anza College**

**Sep 2016 to Jun 2019**

Mathematics

## WORK EXPERIENCE

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**California Karate Academy**

**Jun 2016 to Aug 2019**

- Instructed classes to teach karate techniques from the fundamentals to advanced techniques
  - Students were aged 5 and up and included people with special needs and adults
- Office management
  - Wrote contracts, handled payments, and provided customer support

## SKILLS

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**Languages:** R (caret, dplyr, ggplot2, glmnet), Microsoft Office (Excel, Word, PowerPoint),  
Python (NumPy, Pandas, SciPy), MATLAB, SQL

## PROJECTS

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**Statistical Forecasting of Covid-19 Cases**

**May 2021**

*Stat 153: Time Series - UC Berkeley*

- Forecasted the number of Covid cases using time series analysis in R
- Predictions would help medical centers better prepare to meet demands

**Natural Language Processing Analysis of US Legislature**

**May 2021**

*DataGood @ Berkeley - Club*

- Performed NLP analysis to summarize state legislature and measure sentiment of each topic in Python
- Analyzing various bills into the model would enhance readability for untrained readers

**Random Forest Model**

**May 2021**

*Stat 154: Stat Prediction and Machine Learning - UC Berkeley*

- Modelled the severity of car crashes using 3 million data points of raw geospatial data of accidents
- Created data visualizations of various factors to find relationships in Python and Tableau

**Causal Inference Linear Model**

**Dec 2020**

*Stat 151a: Linear Modelling - UC Berkeley*

- Identified significant factors of median income based on college majors using linear regression
- Verified the validity of the model through Cross Validation, ANOVA testing, and bootstrapping
- Found that Engineering, Math, and Biology majors are significant factors in determining median income

## HOBBIES

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Martial Arts (11 years)

- Practicing a variety of self-defense techniques for exercise and self improvement

Sleight of Hand Magic (7 years)

- Performing for audiences on stage or close up using tricks and illusions as entertainment

Archery (5 years)

- Attend social outings to practice with other archers