

Education	Ohio State University			
	Masters of Science in Computer Science & Engineering			2008 - Present
	•Concentration in Machine Learning and High Performance Computing			
	•Passed Comprehensive Masters Exams Spring 2009			
	•3.60 GPA			
	Bachelor of Science			2003-2008
	•Economics: Major GPA 3.50			
	•Political Science: Major GPA 3.49			
	•Significant additional coursework in Mathematics, Statistics and Computer Science			
Technical Course Work Summary	Numerical Methods	Parallel Computing	Data Mining	
	Artificial Intelligence	Machine Learning	Theory of Computation	
	Calculus	Analysis of Algorithms	Computer Graphics	
	Operating Systems	Linear Algebra	Computer Architecture	
	Multivariate Statistics	Stochastic Processes	Statistical Computing	
Technology Skills	C/C++, OpenMP, MPI, CUDA, Java, C#, MatLab/Octave, R, EViews, Linux, Unix, MS Windows, MS Excel, L ^A T _E X, SAS, SQL, Maple, SVN			
Certifications	Chartered Financial Analyst Program			2007-Present
	•Passed the Level I Exam in December 2007			
	•Sat for the Level II Exam in June 2009			
Selected List of Projects	Kernel Methods on the GPU			Spring 2009
	In Progress. Development of novel algorithm adaptations for the efficient training of Support Vector Machines and Regularized Least Squares Classifiers on the GPU using CUDA.			
	Hierarchical Bayesian Model for Portfolio Weight Selection			Winter 2009
	Applied hierarchical Bayesian models to estimate posterior predictive distributions of asset returns in order to choose appropriate portfolio weights.			
	Comparison of Parallel Algorithms for Support Vector Machines			Winter 2009
	Identified performance bottlenecks, and compared the speed and scalability of algorithms for solving Support Vector Machine problems.			
	Cluster Analysis for Portfolio Diversification			Autumn 2008
	Employed clustering methods to diversify a portfolio. Also completed a related OpenGL visualization.			
Work Experience	Journal of Money, Credit, and Banking			Research Assistant
	Columbus OH			Summer 2007
	•Replicated and verified the statistical analyses of published manuscripts			
	Ohio Department of Job and Family Services		Web Application Development Intern	
	Columbus OH		Summers 2004-2006	
	•Performed basic web maintenance			
	•Created a set of classes in ASP to decrease development time of common tasks			
	•Developed an enterprise wide application in C# to manage a complicated workflow			
Extracurricular	Club TECH CORPS			2009
	•Introduce elementary school students to MS Office, basic hardware, programming, and robotics			
	Franklin County Board of Elections			2008
	•Assisted citizens in the voting process on election day			
	•Served as part of the bipartisan Ballot Transportation Team to secure the ballots			