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SUMMARY

Recent Graduate from the University of Michigan, specializing in computational and statistical programming, with hands-on experience with Machine Learning, Web Systems, and ETL development. I am passionate about applying data engineering techniques to solve complex problems and drive meaningful insights. I am eager to contribute to Big Data projects with innovative solutions and a diversified perspective.

EDUCATION

University of Michigan, **August 2023**
Bachelor of Science in Engineering in Data Science, Minor in Mathematics
Relevant Coursework: Computer Security, Data Mining, Linear Regression, Machine Learning, Web Systems

SKILLS

Programming: Bash, Cairo, C++, C#, CSS, HTML, JavaScript (React), Python, R, Rust, SQL
Technologies: Apache Kafka, Apache Spark, AWS, Azure Databricks, Docker, Git, Github Actions (CI/CD), MySQL, VMWare
Operating Systems: Windows, Linux
Languages: English, Spanish, French
Certifications/Certificates: Databricks Certified Associate Data Engineer, Confluent Apache Kafka Accreditation

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

DataAnnotation – Contract Coding Prompt Engineer
October 2023 - Present
- Simulating user-chatbot dialogues by creating intricate Python code generation prompts and formulating accurate responses
- Crafting prompts for dual-chatbot evaluations, focusing on code explanation, bug resolution, and framework selection
- Assessing model performance using metrics such as verbosity, harmfulness, correctness, and instruction following

Rovisys - Software Engineering Intern
June - August 2022, Aurora OH
- Collaborated with team to design, build, and launch a full-scale data reporting Windows Service for FirstEnergy in C#
- Programmed a data collector that retrieved data from governmental websites using Newtonsoft and HTTPClient
- Configured a PI Data Archive which stored and organized the service's collected data using PISDK
- Provided FirstEnergy with real-time updates on Midwest power plant metrics, boosting operational efficiency

PROJECTS

Decentralized Event Management System - StarkHack Hackathon Project (TSX, Cairo)
- Creating a decentralized event management system on Starknet using Scaffold Stark front end and Cairo Smart contract backend
- Expanding to a stake-to-attend paradigm using OpenZepellin's ERC20 Components to minimize user no-shows for events
- Configuring the UI to make read and write operations to the Cairo Smart Contracts using Starknet React hooks

Land Use and Land Cover Classification – Personal Project, October 2023
- Designed a multi-class Image Classifier using a PyTorch 2-D CNN on a Google Colab Notebook
- Trained, validated, and tested the model on remotely sensed images from the EuroSAT dataset, scoring a test accuracy of 84%
- Wrote a comprehensive report on the project exploring the data, model architecture, and training and eval processes

Autonomous Drawing Arm – Team Project (Python), December 2022
- Built a robot arm that autonomously drew squares on flat, angled, or rotated surfaces within a designated workspace
- Engineered the 3 degrees of freedom arm using a foamcore body and dynamixel motors, controlled by the JoyApp framework
- Calibrated the arm using Inverse Kinematics to compute interpolated joint angles to manage end effector placement

Simulated Search Engine – Team Project (Python, Bash), December 2022
- Constructed a scalable search engine using MapReduce to create segmented inverted index creation from Wikipedia data
- Implemented Python MapReduce programs for data processing, including text cleaning and term frequency computation
- Deployed an Index Server to process search queries, leveraging a RESTful approach to generate real-time JSON results
- Integrated PageRank and TF-IDF for enhanced search result relevance, balancing query dependent and independent factors
- Enabled concurrent processing in a Search Server, optimizing parallel Index Server queries for expedited results