Noah Trupin

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EDUCATION

Purdue University

West Lafayette, IN

Bachelor of Science in Computer Science (Honors)

August 2023 - May 2026

Minor in Mathematics

Awards: Computer Science Endowment Scholarship

Relevant Coursework: Intro to Artificial Intelligence, Intro to Relational Database Systems, Data Structures & Algorithms, Systems Programming, Computer Architecture, Competitive Programming I and II, Abstract Algebra

EXPERIENCE

Software Engineer Intern

Summer 2025

 $Capital\ One$

McLean, VA August 2024 – Current

Undergraduate Research Assistant
Cognitive Robot Autonomy and Learning Lab at Purdue University

West Lafayette, IN

- Implemented OpenCV image processing and PyTorch inference pipeline for dynamic grasp detection with ggcnn.
 - Developed high-performance state machines on NVIDIA Warp kernels and Fabric to execute task-space objectives.
 - Constructed an environment for training UR5e robots for path-finding and grasp tasks in NVIDIA Isaac Lab.
- Undergraduate Teaching Assistant

January 2025 – Current

Purdue University Department of Computer Science

West Lafayette, IN

- Managed two two-hour labs per week, providing structured lessons and project guidance to 43 students.
- Hosted weekly office hours sessions, offering 590 enrolled students in-person and virtual assistance.

Undergraduate Research Assistant

October 2023 - March 2024

Yang Group at Purdue University

West Lafayette, IN

- Researched scalable, parallelizable adaptations of classic algorithms for solving linear systems involving large sparse matrices for use in seismic tomography on Purdue's Bell Computing Cluster.
- Implemented a parallel conjugate gradient routine in Fortran with OpenMP and OpenMPI, achieving a 29.2% improvement in runtime and 70.5% decrease in memory usage over previous solution across test batches.

Founding Engineer

April 2023 - November 2023

Straato

Ithaca, NY (Remote)

- Designed and implemented backend for an experimental trading environment, including user onboarding and PayPal-integrated transactions, on top of an AWS (EC2, S3, Cognito, Lambda, etc.) and MySQL stack in Python.
- Developed landing, signup, and login pages using ReactJS and TailwindCSS.
- Facilitated partnership with Cornell Blackstone Launchpad, gaining financial and mentorship support.

Projects

noahgrad, a neural network library from scratch | Python

- Developed a machine learning library complete with tensors, autodiff, backpropagation, loss functions, optimizers, extensible modular layers, and activations for building neural networks in Python with NumPy.
- Constructed and trained classic networks such as XORNet, GPT-2, and image classification MLPs using library.

Sentinel: Full-stack NodeJS framework for students to create interactive simulations, paired with a mobile web app.

Text-to-Image VAE: BERT embeddings and from-scratch conditional variational autoencoder, PvTorch.

Hexdump Utility: Command-line hexdump featuring colored output, buffering, and side-by-side text written in C.

Lambda Calculus: Compilers and interpreters for the lambda calculus in C, Rust, Go, Mathematica, and JavaScript.

Personal Website: Full-stack Flask/PostgreSQL website where I edit and display my projects, writing, and info. Lore Browser iOS App: iOS app to search/read Destiny 2 lore by scraping the Ishtar website, written in Swift.

TECHNICAL SKILLS

Proficient Languages: C, C++, Fortran, Python, Java, SQL, Swift, Ruby, JavaScript, Bash, R

Related Technologies: AWS, Google Cloud, Docker, Jupyter, Linux, SLURM, Git, GitHub CI/CD, OpenMP, CUDA

Relevant Libraries: PyTorch, MLX, NumPy, Matplotlib, Pandas, OpenMPI, Flask, NodeJS