# **Preston Bied**

# **Aspiring AI/ML Professional**



#### PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

# Capstone Project | Ipelint | August 2024 - December 2024

- Developed a Multi-Model AI Solution integrating CPC classification, keyword extraction, and prior art search, cutting manual patent analysis time.
- Optimized Classification of 200K+ patents with transformer-based NLP and Random Forest, processing each in ~12ms and delivering sub-2-minute overall runtime.
- Streamlined Prior Art Retrieval by combining patent text analytics with external APIs (USPTO, IEEE) for real-time similarity scoring.
- Presented the project at a capstone expo and gave a formal presentation to an industry panel.

## MDB Capital Group | Dallas, TX & Managua, Nicaragua | June 2021 - June 2023

- Composed IP Landscape & Prosecution History Reports using PatentVest, enabling informed investment decisions on early-stage technology companies.
- Conducted Financial & Technical Due Diligence to assess market viability, competitive landscapes, and potential returns for clients.
- Collaborated Cross-Functionally with senior analysts, gaining international experience at the Managua office while refining global IP research strategies.

#### **ACTIVITIES**

#### Alpha Sigma Phi | Texas A&M | August 2021 - May 2024

Director of Scholarship | May 2022 - May 2024

- Coordinated a chapterwide academic challenge that incentivized members to achieve personal GPA goals 75% of participants reported improved study habits, leading to a measurable increase in overall chapter GPA.
- Coordinated weekly executive board meetings and introduced a peer-mentoring program to sustain academic momentum.

## **SKILLS**

- Programming Languages: Python, C++, Java, JavaScript, Haskell, Prolog
- Al/ML: PyTorch, TensorFlow, Keras, Scikit-Learn
- Data Analysis: NumPy, Pandas, Matplotlib, Seaborn
- Mathematics: Statistics, Linear Algebra, Real Analysis, Abstract Algebra

#### **EDUCATION**

# The University of Texas at Austin - McCombs School of Business | January 2025 - July 2025

Post Graduate Online Program in Artificial Intelligence and Machine Learning: Business Applications

- Specialized in Machine Learning, Deep Learning, Generative AI, and Model Deployment. Hands-on experience with tools like TensorFlow, Python, and NLP libraries.
- Received hands-on mentorship and worked on 8 projects & 40+ case studies.

# Texas A&M University | College Station, TX | August 2020 - December 2024

Bachelor of Science, Computer Science with Mathematics minor

- GPA: 3.527, Engineering Honors Program.
- Studied abroad in Barcelona, Spain and Singapore, fostering strong cultural adaptability and global perspective.