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SKILLS

Programming Java · Python · C++ · Solidity · \LaTeX
Web/Media HTML/CSS/Javascript · Adobe Photoshop · Adobe Illustrator

EDUCATION

Depaul University, Chicago, IL

Bachelor of Science, Computer Science, 2020; *GPA: 3.5*
Concentration in Software Development

PROJECTS

Bank Telemarketing ML Project

- Built classification models using machine learning algorithms (decision trees and k-NN) to predict whether or not bank clients will subscribe to a term deposit. Sourced data from the UC Irvine Machine Learning Repository.
- Paper can be viewed at rikeshp.github.io/Projects/BankTelemarketing

Firearm Visualization

- Data visualization of NICS Firearm Background Check Data using D3.js to analyze the demand for firearms in America over the past two decades.
- Can be viewed at rikeshp.github.io/Projects/demandforguns

SimpleEtherEscrow

- SimpleEtherEscrow is a solidity contract with a simple web interface (HTML/JS) that allows two parties (buyer and seller) to engage in trade with an intermediary agent to insure fairness.
- The contract runs on Ganache, a simulated and private version of the Ethereum Network

WORK

Math and English Tutor *James B. Conant High School* Oct '15 - April '16

- Started an after school daily tutoring club during my senior year of high school
- Provided free practice tests for students who were looking to improve their SAT and ACT scores
- Went over specific questions with students and explained personal test taking strategies

RELATED COURSEWORK

- Accelerated Python Programming
- Data Structures I
- Fundamentals of Data Science
- Blockchains and Smart Contracts

HONORS AND AWARDS

- Dean's List
- National Merit Commended Scholar
- AP Scholar

EXTRACURRICULAR ACTIVITIES

- ACT Tutoring Club Founder & Tutor
- Illinois Premier Boys' State, elected County Treasurer
- HOSA Nationals, Biomedical Debate, finished 7th