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EDUCATION

University of Massachusetts Amherst

Amherst, Massachusetts, USA

Bachelor of Science in Computer Science

December 2026

- GPA: 3.5/4.0.
- Relevant Coursework: Artificial Intelligence, Project Management, Software Entrepreneurship, Intro to Algorithms, Software Engineering, Physical Computing, Discrete Math, DSA, Calculus I, II, III.

WORK EXPERIENCE

Chewy

Boston, Massachusetts, USA

AI Engineering Intern

June 2025 – Present

- Automated AI driven triage of routine pet prescriptions, slashed review turnaround from **72 hours to 6 hours** (10x acceleration), mitigating **\$35M+** in monthly revenue loss from pharmacy delays/rejections.
- Developed a production-grade machine learning prediction model (XGBoost) utilizing 120+ engineered KG features, achieving **95% accuracy** in approval-likelihood predictions.
- Engineered AWS Neptune **knowledge graph** linking **billions** of clinical data records, powering LLM reasoning for drug interaction checks, product recommendations, and an AI-driven veterinary copilot.
- Leveraged Python API pipelines and Snowflake to ingest, clean, and standardize **800M+ records** across 500 columns of raw data for downstream analytics, ML, and LLM workflows.

Intuit Credit Karma

Charlotte, North Carolina, USA

Software Engineering Intern

May 2024 – August 2024

- Architected 8 cross-platform TypeScript React pages, integrating Apollo GraphQL for efficient backend communication and implementing strict security standards to protect member data.
- Deterred **over 1,000** fraudulent dispute attempts - yielding an estimated **\$20K-\$50K in savings** - by leveraging GCP analytics to drive data-informed messaging and friction-optimized UI design.
- Cut member service calls by **10%** through guided, friction-optimized pages, reducing operational costs.

LEADERSHIP EXPERIENCE

BUILD UMass

Amherst, Massachusetts, USA

Project Lead

September 2023 – Present

- Led team of 11 developers and 4 product managers in developing a React Native app for a nonprofit.
- Hosted workshops to upskill junior developers enabling team productivity and self-sufficiency.
- Coordinated U.S. - India development and collaborated with global stakeholders on app functionality.

PROJECTS

RocketReels

Automated Generative Media Pipeline for Short-Form Video Creation

- Designed and implemented a modular pipeline for automatic scriptwriting, voice synthesis, image composition, and synchronized subtitle alignment from minimal text input.
- Applied prompt engineering, NLP segmentation, and audio-visual mapping techniques.

TECHNICAL SKILLS

- Languages/Frameworks: Python, SQL, TypeScript, JavaScript, Java, C, C++, React, NextJS, Flask.
- Data: XGBoost, OpenCypher, pgvector, Snowflake, DynamoDB, AWS Sagemaker, LangChain.
- Cloud: AWS Lambda, AWS S3, Docker, Redis, GraphQL, AWS API Gateway, AWS Neptune.