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## **EDUCATION**

## University of Massachusetts Amherst

Amherst, MA

B.S. Computer Science — GPA: 3.971

May 2026

• Relevant Coursework: Object Oriented Programming, Data Structures and Algorithms, Statistics, Discrete Math, Linear Algebra, Calculus, Quantum Information Science, Information Retrieval

## EXPERIENCE

# **UMass Theory Group**

Amherst, MA

 $Undergraduate\ Researcher$ 

June 2024 - Present

- Implemented advanced algorithms to solve NP-complete problems, achieving a **60% increase** in computational efficiency for linear separability and Boolean satisfiability (SAT) problems
- Conducted in-depth research on the geometric properties of linear separability, analyzing datasets to determine their separability
- Integrated machine learning techniques, specifically using SVM, achieving a 95% accuracy rate in linear separability analysis on benchmark datasets

# National Center for Technology and Dispute Resolution

Amherst, MA

Software Engineer

February 2024 - Present

- Designing a mobile disaster relief app intended for over 100,000 first responders, utilizing Firebase and Flutter, enabling offline first capabilities and seamless communication during emergencies
- Optimizing cloud based infrastructure on **Google Cloud Platform** (GCP), leveraging services like Cloud Firestore and user authentication to ensure scalability
- Implemented **Agile** methodologies within a collaborative team, completing biweekly sprint goals and achieving a **20**% reduction in development time through efficient project management and continuous integration practices

# PROJECTS

ImprovAI | TensorFlow, Python, React.js, Flask, Music21, SQL

- Developed a jazz improvisation platform utilizing a **TensorFlow Keras LSTM** model with time-series note sequence prediction at 90% accuracy, achieved through hyperparameter optimization, including **learning rate** decay and temperature scaling
- Constructed a data pipeline using Music21 to process **50,000+** musical lines, leveraging note tokenization, sequence encoding, and batched data augmentation, resulting in a **45**% improvement in model training and generation

#### RetrieveIt | Python, Matplotlib, Numpy

- Engineered a search engine by optimizing web crawling, tokenization, and indexing strategies, achieving a 30% improvement in document retrieval and ranking precision
- Implemented and evaluated retrieval models (BM25, various language models), optimizing performance by 45%, while employing metrics such as IDCG, F1 score, and Zipf's law to assess model efficacy using Matplotlib

## BetIt | Python, React, Flask, OpenAI, AWS, Firebase

- Built a full stack productivity platform, integrating **OpenAI API** for high-efficiency text summarization, optimizing response times by **40**% through advanced backend architecture and API call optimization
- Integrated AWS Rekognition to label and categorize images with 95% accuracy, while leveraging Firebase for real time data synchronization and seamless user authentication

## TECHNICAL SKILLS

Languages: Python, Java, C, JavaScript, SQL, HTML/CSS Frameworks: React, Flask, Firebase, TensorFlow, Keras

**Developer Tools**: Git, Linux, OpenAI API, Google Cloud Platform, AWS Libraries: Pandas, NumPy, Scikit-learn, Music21, Matplotlib, TensorFlow

Awards: Chancellor's Scholar, Best Sustainability Hack, Wolfram Alpha Letter Award, AP Scholar with Distinction

Interests: Jazz Trumpet