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EDUCATION

University of Pennsylvania | Philadelphia, PA

Master of Science (MSE) & Bachelor of Science (BSE) in Computer Science

May 2025

GPA: **4.0**/4.0

- Relevant Coursework: Data Structures and Algorithms; Object Oriented Programming; Computer Systems; Machine Learning; Operating Systems; Databases; Big Data Analytics; Blockchain; Functional Programming; Artificial Intelligence; Automata, Computability, & Complexity; Probability; Linear Algebra
- *Technical Skills:* C++, Java, Python, TypeScript, Git, C, SQL, MongoDB, Haskell, OCaml, Kubernetes, Docker, PyTorch, React, Django, Node.js, Flask, FastAPI, AWS (EC2, S3, ELB), Apache Spark, UNIX Command Line

RELEVANT EXPERIENCE

Martian | Software Engineering Intern | San Francisco, CA

Oct 2022 – Present

- Improved EdTech tool's website speed by over 150% by refactoring its codebase, using React & Express
- Implemented entire backend in <u>FastAPI</u> & <u>MongoDB</u> for core product in a single weekend (+4198/-1289 lines) that supports account creation, Stripe payment, API key creation, and team creation for companies.
- Developed models using <u>PyTorch</u> and Hugging Face by finetuning existing LLMs to help with tasks such as redacting personally identifiable information from prompts and generating web code given just a description
- Wrote Python & Node.js packages to enable developers to easily integrate the core product into their codebases

Penn Labs | Team Lead, Backend Developer | Philadelphia, PA

Feb 2022 – Present

- Lead teams for Penn Mobile and Portal, catering to over 10,000+ active student users, by designing and developing Django REST backend and data architecture in collaboration with iOS/Android teams
- Built a notification system to enable other Penn Labs products to send alerts to the app (with optional delays using <u>Celery</u>) and implemented a caching system with <u>Redis</u> to enable faster API response times (up to 95% faster)
- Manage team developing analytics engine in $\underline{C++}$ to process and analyze data usage across all products

University of Pennsylvania | Teaching Assistant / Instructor | Philadelphia, PA

Aug 2022 – Jan 2023, Aug 2023

- Previously served as a teaching assistant for CIS 2620: Automata, Computability, & Complexity (130+ students)
- Developing curriculum and assignments for my upcoming role as an instructor for CIS 1962: <u>JavaScript</u> for which I will deliver lectures, lead a team of TAs, grade assignments, and hold offices, all on a weekly basis

University of Pennsylvania | Research Assistant | Philadelphia, PA

May 2022 – Aug 2022

- Analyzed and organized Ethereum blockchain data using <u>SQL</u>, <u>Python</u>, and <u>BigQuery</u>
- Developed a dashboard with <u>TypeScript</u>, <u>React</u>, <u>Express</u>, and <u>MongoDB</u> to automate fuzzing programs on new smart contracts on the Ethereum blockchain, resulting in a 75% reduction in analysis time for the research team

PROJECTS

Esoteric Language Compiler: Invented generic abstract language syntax to be compiled directly into ARM assembly. Built parsers for two separate esoteric languages to be translated into internal representations of logic. Ensured correctness by writing corresponding interpreters and using property-based testing with QuickCheck. (Haskell, ARM Assembly)

Forecasting Stock Prices: Developed an ensemble model that used the ARIMA & Transformer architectures for predicting future stock prices. Achieved an average MSE of \$2.63 per stock (with prices in the thousands) and R² of 0.94. Outperformed the prior best Kaggle submission whose LSTM + GRU model had an average MSE of \$15.67. (PyTorch)

PennOS: Implemented a UNIX-like operating system that ran as a single process on a host OS, using the ucontext library to implement a basic Round Robin priority scheduler, simulating multiprocessing. Programmed shell for OS that supports foreground/background processes, stdin/stdout redirections, multi-process pipelines, and async job control. (C, Linux)

Book Nexus: Wrote complex SQL queries to generate book/author recommendations based on users' preferences. Enabled account registration/login through Google, Facebook, and custom process, storing user details in MongoDB. Established a CI/CD pipeline for automatic app deployment on repository updates. (React, Express, MySQL, MongoDB)

GPT Code Critic: Set up Docker & Kubernetes-based app using GPT-3.5 for code analysis. Also, published a GitHub action on the GitHub marketplace which checks code changes during pull requests. (Docker, Kubernetes, GitHub Actions)

Car Price Predictor: Consolidated & refined a dataset of cars' attributes and prices. Employed feature engineering using techniques like PCA and created models using random forest regressors and FCNNs. (NumPy, Pandas, Seaborn, PyTorch)