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EDUCATION

Wheaton College, Norton, MA

Double Major: Computer Science and Data Science.

| Expected: May 2026

Relevant Coursework: Database Management Systems, Data Science, Statistical Analysis, Mobile Computing, Methods of Data Analysis, Linear Algebra, Operations Research, Machine Learning, Applied Artificial Intelligence, Algorithms.

Massachusetts Institute of Technology, Breakthrough Tech Al

Program: Machine Learning and Al Studio

| May 2024 - May 2025

PROJECTS

Hepatitis C Outbreak Simulator (R Studio)

- -Built and analyzed a Susceptible-Exposed-Infectious-Recovered (SEIR) model to predict infection trends using simulations and differential equations.
- -Visualized infection patterns to derive actionable public health insights.

Dynamic Insights Explorer (Python)

- Designed an interactive data visualization tool with Pandas, Matplotlib, and Streamlit, enabling users to identify trends and correlations efficiently.
- Improved accessibility for non-technical users with intuitive dashboard features.

NASA Sponsored COSGC Robotics Competition (Arduino)

- Implemented sensor systems for navigating complex terrains in robotics applications.
- Awarded "Outstanding Demonstration of Advanced Autonomy" for innovative technical designs.

Wheaton Marketplace (Android Development)

- Developed a mobile app for campus-wide item exchanges, featuring secure login and real-time database synchronization using Java and Firebase.
- Incorporated analytics to study user engagement and optimize functionality.

EXPERIENCE

USDA Grant Research Assistant - Wheaton College

September 2023 - Present

- Compiled and cleaned county-level data for 20 states from diverse digital and census sources.
- Standardized and analyzed datasets with over 100 variables for use in policy research.

Machine Learning Fellow - NeoViews

August 2024 - December 2024

- Analyzed and developed ML models to estimate positions and locations using tracking data, leveraging regression techniques and multivariate distribution estimation to address missing data challenges.

Teaching Assistant – Al for Good

June 2024 – August 2024

- Mentored pre-college students in data science concepts and practical AI applications, emphasizing ethics and societal impact.
- Supported students in developing and presenting project-based solutions using AI tools.

LEADERSHIP EXPERIENCE

Social Media Manager - Intercultural Board Club, Wheaton College

- Managed events and analyzed engagement metrics, increasing audience interaction by 20%.

Residential Advisor - Pine Residential Hall, Wheaton College

- Fostered a collaborative and inclusive community for 50+ residents, coordinating events and resolving conflicts.

SKILLS

Programming Languages: Python, SQL, R, Java, C++

Technical Tools: Mathematica, Tableau, MongoDB, Microsoft 365 and Google Workspace

CERTIFICATIONS:

Machine Learning Foundations: Cornell University