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## EDUCATION

### University of Miami

Coral Gables, FL

Bachelor of Science in Artificial Intelligence and Data Science, Minor in Mathematics

Bachelor of Science in Business Administration in Business Technology

Expected May 2027

- **GPA:** 3.95 / 4.0
- **Honors:** Dean's List, Provost's Honor Roll (all semesters)
- **Relevant Coursework:** Neural Networks; Linear Algebra; Discrete Math; Python Programming & Algorithms; Applied Probability and Statistics; Interaction (and UX) Design; Multivariable Calculus

## EXPERIENCE

### Viewpoints AI

Mountain View, CA

Software Engineering and Marketing Intern

June 2025 – August 2025

- Led redesign and development of the Viewpoints AI website, implementing responsive front-end with HTML/CSS/JavaScript to enhance user engagement and product visibility
- Contributed to B2B chatbot engineering using Python and developed strategic marketing content to amplify brand reach and market engagement

### University of Miami Frost Institute for Data Science & Computing

Coral Gables, FL

AI Developer

January 2024 – Present

- Founded first AI developer role at the Virtual Experiences Simulation Lab (VESL), growing from weekly advisor meetings to leading a 10-person development team; oversee AI integration across all lab projects (35 members)
- Lead development of LexiLearn, an AI-powered VR literacy application for K-12 education using Unity and C#; presented at Stanford University's Accelerate EdTech Summit; rolling out to Miami-Dade school districts

### Intelligent Computer Systems Research Institute (ICSRI) Fellowship

Coral Gables, FL

AI Research Assistant

January 2024 – Present

- Selected as one of six undergraduates for competitive research fellowship; co-authoring IEEE paper analyzing cognitive trade-offs between reasoning and general-purpose LLMs
- Designed evaluation framework measuring computational efficiency, metacognition, and reasoning alignment across 40+ tasks; developed Token Efficiency Ratio and Energy estimation formulas

### Miami Project to Cure Paralysis

Coral Gables, FL

Research Assistant

September 2025 – December 2025

- Applying DeepLabCut for automated pose estimation to quantify fear responses in traumatic brain injury research under Dr. Dan Liebl's lab at Miller School of Medicine

## PROJECTS

### Vehicle Positioning & LoS/NLoS Classification

| (Python, PyTorch, Pandas, scikit-learn, NumPy)

- Implemented and compared machine learning and neural network approaches for vehicle positioning in underground parking using Channel State Information (CSI) data
- Developed CNN classifier achieving 99.7% accuracy for line-of-sight signal classification and CNN regressor for position estimation (3.78m RMSE)

### Q-Learning and Deep Q-Network (DQN) for Maze Navigation

| (Python, PyTorch, Pygame, NumPy)

- Designed and evaluated Q-Learning and DQN algorithms for maze navigation with epsilon-greedy exploration
- Conducted hyperparameter analysis showing Q-Learning converged faster than DQN

## SKILLS

**Languages:** Python, Java, Javascript, C#, HTML/CSS, LaTeX

**Frameworks/Technologies:** Pandas, Numpy, scikit-learn, Figma, Git, PyTorch, Unity, Jupyter Notebook, PlasticSCM, MetaQuest SDK

**Activities:** ICSRI Fellows Program, The VESL, Future Realities Research Lab (FRL)