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EDUCATION

Stanford University

B.S. Computer Science, minors in Linguistics & Education; GPA: 3.92/4.00
Relevant Coursework: Personal Finance for Engineers

Stanford, CA

Sep 2024–Jun 2028

WORK EXPERIENCE

Lake Street Capital Markets

Investment Banking Summer Analyst

Minneapolis, MN

Jul 2025–Sep 2025

- Reviewed reports and filings for 20+ public companies, identifying earnings trends, sector developments, and valuation drivers.
- Observed 20+ client and earnings calls, closely analyzing guidance revisions, management tone, and market reactions to evaluate broader industry dynamics and the impact of management communication on investor confidence and pricing trends.
- Gained exposure to advanced financial modeling concepts such as DCF and comparable company analysis while actively engaging with research, trading, and banking teams to understand cross-functional workflows and collaborative synergies.
- Met with 10+ small-cap management teams at an in-person conference to assess capital structure, strategic positioning, IPO plans, and overall business fundamentals, evaluating financing needs, market outlook, and potential deal opportunities.

EduNLP (Education Natural Language Processing) Lab

Stanford, CA

Data Pipeline Research Assistant

Sep 2025–Present

- Recognized by the project manager for initiative in assuming key responsibilities as the youngest team member, effectively coordinating workflows, onboarding and mentoring new researchers, and improving overall data reliability.
- Lead the recruitment and comprehensive training of 4 research assistants, maintaining standardized data management and documentation systems that significantly increase efficiency, accuracy, and reproducibility in large-scale analytical environments.
- Optimize data pipelines capable of processing 1,000+ hours of classroom video, developing rigorous validation and error-handling procedures to ensure data integrity and consistency in datasets used for quantitative education research.
- Collaborate with 25+ educators and program leads nationwide to manage submissions, track milestones, and monitor deliverables, ensuring full regulatory compliance, timely execution, and effective cross-institutional communication.

EXTRACURRICULAR ACTIVITIES

Affiliated Stanford Entrepreneurial Students

Stanford, CA

Launchpad Organizer

Nov 2024–Apr 2025

- Organized Launchpad, a two-day entrepreneurship program for 35+ Bay Area high school students, curating hands-on workshops and a live pitch competition judged by venture capitalists to introduce participants to the startup industry.
- Designed and led interactive workshops on problem identification and value proposition design, guiding 6 student teams through structured frameworks for business modeling, competitive analysis, and effective presentation strategy development.
- Collaborated with 5+ organizers to coordinate event logistics, speaker lineups, and participant engagement initiatives, ensuring execution, networking opportunities, and collaboration between student participants and industry leaders.

The Stanford Daily Newspaper

Stanford, CA

Education Data Reporter

Nov 2024–Present

- Coded a Python-based script to transform multi-quarter Stanford enrollment data into interactive reports highlighting high-demand GSB and GSE courses, delivering data-driven insights to thousands of students, faculty, and administrators.
- Conducted qualitative interviews and data analysis to publish a feature on language instruction, synthesizing lecturer and student perspectives to examine the academic, cultural, and institutional role of language education at Stanford.

Code in Place

Stanford, CA

Section Leader

Apr 2025–May 2025

- Led live coding sessions for a 15-student cohort in Stanford's global CS106A initiative reaching 20,000+ participants, teaching Python fundamentals and applied problem-solving through data-driven problems and real-time analysis.
- Guided students through debugging logic, optimizing code efficiency, and interpreting outputs, strengthening quantitative reasoning, technical fluency, and analytical modeling skills applicable to financial and investment contexts.

ADDITIONAL

Awards/Certificates: Harvard Prize Book; J.P. Morgan & Bank of America Investment Banking Job Simulations (Forage)

Computer Skills: Python, C++, Java, Excel

Interests: Foreign languages, mountaineering, DJing, tennis