

# Dario Soatto

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## EDUCATION

**Stanford University** | *Bachelor of Science in Economics, Bachelor of Science in Computer Science*

**Stanford, CA**

**Cumulative GPA:** 4.08/4.0

*Anticipated June 2027*

**SAT:** 1590 (800 Math, 790 Reading/Writing)

**Relevant Coursework:** Linear Algebra and Differential Calculus (A+), Real Analysis (A), Principles of Economics (A+), Economic Analysis (A+), Macroeconomics (A+), Advanced Econometrics (A), Intro to Probability (A+), Programming Abstractions (A), Computer Organization (A)

**Activities & Societies:** Stanford Debate Society, Stanford Marketing Group (SMG), Stanford Pre-Business Association (SPBA), Blyth Fund, Affiliated Stanford Entrepreneurial Students (ASES)

**Polytechnic School** | *High School Diploma*

**Pasadena, CA**

**Cumulative GPA:** 4.0/4.0 (Valedictorian)

*Class of 2023*

**Awards:** Head of School Award, Ardis Schnebly Mathematics Award, Marie Assaf Language Award

## EXPERIENCE

**Context AI** | *Operations & Engineering*

**Stanford, CA** | *June 2025–Present*

- Employee #5. Support all aspects of the company, including frontend and backend engineering, product development, design, growth, and hiring

**Tresidder Capital** | *Managing Partner*

**Stanford, CA** | *September 2024–Present*

- Founded pre-seed/seed stage venture fund and manage all operations, including fundraising, investor relations, founder engagement, and investment
- Raised \$500k to date with 2% management fee and 20% carry from partners at B Capital, Madrona Ventures, Lightspeed Ventures, and Lux Capital
- Invested in early stage companies across AI applications, AI infrastructure, semiconductor design, aerospace, and blockchain. 60% ROI in 9 months

**Lux Capital** | *Associate*

**Menlo Park, CA** | *March 2024–September 2025*

- Youngest employee at Lux Capital, a deep-tech venture capital fund with \$5B+ assets; worked directly with General Partner Shahin Farshchi
- Managed investment deal flow for 100+ startups by reviewing pitches, interviewing founders, analyzing products, and performing market research
- Researched and wrote articles on [algorithmic decision-making in VC](#), [chip design automation](#), and [AI inference hardware](#)

**Mancini Shenk LLP** | *Litigation Intern*

**Pasadena, CA** | *June 2023–September 2023*

- Reviewed documents and constructed organizational charts to analyze the operations of defendants and plaintiffs in over a dozen corporate cases
- Researched case law applicable to specific cases, wrote briefs used directly by the founding partners, and developed high-level litigation strategy

**Cicero Academy** | *Founder & President*

**Pasadena, CA** | *December 2021–June 2023*

- Founded, incorporated, and ran 501(c)(3) nonprofit to allow students from underserved CA communities to participate in speech and debate
- Fostered relationships with schools, developed curriculum, coordinated weekly practices, managed paperwork, and organized volunteer coaches
- Provided over 150 middle school students with improved critical thinking and public speaking skills through speech debate practice and competition

**Camerer Group: Lab for Behavioral & Neuroeconomics Research at Caltech** | *Research Intern*

**Pasadena, CA** | *June 2022–September 2022*

- Worked with Dr. Colin Camerer (Distinguished Professor & MacArthur Fellow) on a project exploring the effects of visual salience on consumption
- Designed product displays, created maps with Saliency Attentive Model, wrote analysis algorithms using MATLAB, and presented models to lab

## LEADERSHIP & STUDENT ACTIVITIES

**Stanford Marketing Group** | *Director of Professional Development & Recruitment*

**Stanford, CA** | *November 2023–June 2025*

- Manage fall recruitment of consultants, organize training workshops, and coordinate Project Managers to oversee progress and performance reviews
- Consulted for Hanwha (\$78.63B AUM) to develop go-to-market strategy targeting American ultra-high net worth individuals and SoFi to increase market share among young professions through market research including user interviews, trend evaluation, and competitive analysis

**Affiliated Stanford Entrepreneurial Students** | *Director of Breakthrough*

**Stanford, CA** | *November 2023–June 2025*

- Selected as one of 30 Bootcamp fellows from an applicant pool of over 300 Stanford students to participate in a 12-week intensive startup program
- Manage all aspects of Stanford's two-unit Breakthrough VC education class, including recruitment, curriculum design, and twice-weekly meetings

**Polytechnic School** | *Student Body President*

**Pasadena, CA** | *May 2022–May 2023*

- Elected as Sophomore, Junior, and Student Body President. Responsible for organizing events, raising funds, and managing student relations
- Raised over \$10k, organized record number of events, and overhauled homework policy, resulting in first student-led policy change in school history

## SKILLS & INTERESTS

**Programming/Software:** Java, Python, C++, LaTeX, Jupyter Notebook, SketchUp, Microsoft Excel, Microsoft Word, Google Suite

**Languages:** English (native speaker) Spanish (native speaker), Italian (native speaker), Cantonese (native speaker), Mandarin (intermediate)

**Interests:** Tennis (high school captain, 2X MVP), soccer (high school varsity), piano (8+ years competitive playing), skiing (advanced), guitar (beginner)

## AWARDS

**Atlas Fellow (2023):** One of 100 fellows out of 13,000+ applicants. Received a \$10,000 scholarship and attended 11-day intensive program

**Regeneron Science Talent Search Scholar (2023):** One of 300 semifinalists in the most prestigious high school research competition

- Independently designed a study, ran full-scale experiments, and wrote the [first ever paper](#) analyzing the minimum wage as a psychological anchor

**World Schools Debating Championships (WSDC) (2023):** Achieved #3 ranking in all of California in the WSDC format

**National Merit Scholar (2023):** Selected as one of top 2500 high school seniors in the United States (1520/1520 PSAT, 1590/1600 SAT)

**PricewaterhouseCoopers Global Case Competition (2022):** 1st in North American and 2nd among 1600+ competitors from 70 countries