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WORK EXPERIENCE

VERIZON Basking Ridge, NJ
AI Scientist - Engineer III July 2025 – Current

- Velocity Assist**:** Led the development and launch of nearly 20 specialized AI skills (e.g., 10-K financial analysis, fraud prevention, and cellular connectivity prospecting) for an enterprise conversational interface designed to accelerate the sales cycle
- AI Quote: Supported the development of an LLM-powered search interface that translates natural language customer prompts into automated cart builds; successfully scales to support 1M+ transactions annually.
- Explainable AI (xAI) Framework: Engineered a low-latency implementation of LLM-generated explanations for Verizon Business customers, providing real-time, profile-based justifications for product recommendations to increase buyer confidence.
- **Publications:** Banerjee et al. (2026). APLE: A Framework for Adaptable and Personalized Live Explainability for Recommender Systems. To appear in the Proceedings of the 18th ACM Conference on Web Science (WebSci'26).

VERIZON Branchburg, NJ
Software Engineering Intern Jun 2023 – Aug 2023

- Developed and deployed scalable automation solutions to monitor Verizon's core network devices, reducing time spent by 50%.
- Engineered robust data pipelines using SQL and RESTful APIs to integrate and process metrics from distributed databases.

VERIZON Basking Ridge, NJ
Machine Learning Intern Jun 2022 – Aug 2022

- Designed and deployed a cloud-native computer vision pipeline for robotic coordination, enabling real-time object tracking
- Integrated AWS-hosted AI models for scalable inference, enhancing autonomous multi-robot navigation.
- Contributed to model lifecycle management, including data preprocessing, model deployment, and performance monitoring.

EDUCATION

CORNELL UNIVERSITY New York, NY
Master of Engineering in Computer Science; Cumulative GPA: 4.0/4.0 August 2024 - May 2025
Relevant Coursework: Deep Learning, Computer Vision, Productizing Machine Learning, Applied Machine Learning

PRINCETON UNIVERSITY Princeton, NJ
Bachelor of Science and Engineering, Magna cum laude August 2020 - May 2024
Major in Computer Science; Minor in Statistics and Machine Learning; Optimization; Cognitive Science
Cumulative GPA: 3.56/4.0; Served as a TA for COS 445 (Economics and Computing)
Relevant Coursework: Natural Language Processing, Computer Vision, Computer System Design, Optimization
Research:

- LLM Evaluation Frameworks: Built custom evaluation pipelines using OpenAI's GPT APIs to assess large language models on robustness, fairness, and prompt sensitivity. Developed tasks spanning classification, reasoning, and demographic variation to benchmark model behavior across real-world use cases.

CERTIFICATIONS & SKILLS

Technical Skills: Python, R, SQL, Java, Go, PyTorch, TensorFlow, Keras, HuggingFace Transformers, XGBoost, OpenCV, Scikit-learn, Pandas, NumPy, AWS, Docker, Git, Linux, OpenAI API; NLP, LLMs, Transformers
Certifications: AWS Certified Developer – Associate (DVA-C02), Obtained July 2024

RECENT PROJECTS

HoneyRoom – LLM RAG Application for Private Equity

- Built a web-based AI assistant that autocompletes the ILPA Due Diligence Questionnaire by indexing and embedding documents from a virtual data room (VDR) using a Retrieval-Augmented Generation (RAG) pipeline.
- Leveraged OpenAI's GPT-4, LangChain, and Neo4j to generate grounded answers with citations
- Designed the front end with Streamlit and deployed backend inference and document handling on AWS Lambda, enabling investors to query and synthesize deal documents efficiently.

Text-to-SVG Pipeline with LoRA Fine-Tuning

- Developed a generative image pipeline using Stable Diffusion fine-tuned with LoRA to produce sketch visuals from prompts.