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EDUCATION

Tufts University - Medford, Massachusetts, United States

September 2023 – May 2027

Computer Science and International Relations Double Major

- 3.97 GPA, Dean's List 4x, Hemispheres Managing Editor, Tufts Debate Society Treasurer + Mentor, JumboCast commentator
- Relevant Coursework: Data Structures, Algorithms, Machine Structure & Assembly, Data Science

EXPERIENCE

AirPLAi Sports - Seattle, Washington, United States (Remote)

September 2025 – Present

Software Engineer

- Tech lead for a full-stack React custom dashboard with multi tenant architecture which generates \$75,000 in annual per client revenue
- Designed and built airplaisports.com using Figma, Figma MCP, Next.js, and GCP Cloud Run
- Architected agentic data retrieval system for flagship AI product, serving up to 1K daily AI-powered queries with 700ms target latency

Data Driven Decision Making @ Tufts (D3M@Tufts) - Medford, Massachusetts, United States

January 2025 - Present

Undergraduate Research Assistant

- Developing Engineering Diplomacy, a problem-solving framework which integrates numbers and narratives to tackle complex problems
- Managing Harvard student researchers as part of the **Radcliffe Fellowship** to complete the Engineering Diplomacy book

Ludus Language - New York, New York, United States (Remote)

September 2025 – November 2025

Founding Engineer

- Led technical development and infrastructure for a new language-learning platform focused on simplicity and targeted learning
- Created and integrated wikiglot, decreasing hosting costs by 50%, increasing search accuracy by 30%, and adding 11 languages

Cerebro Sports (a Mark Cuban company) - Fourney, Texas, United States (Remote)

February 2025 – September 2025

Software Engineer Intern

- Led automation of data upload and validation process, reducing time per upload by 97% with TypeScript + Python
- Completed redesign of new database schema, increasing query performance by 50% through relationship restructuring and indexing
- Managed the database backfill process from the old SQL database to the new GraphQL one, ensuring 100% data integrity

SKILLS

Programming Languages: Python, C++, C, JavaScript, TypeScript, SQL, SQLite, Swift, HTML, CSS Libraries and Frameworks: React, Arduino, GraphQL, Pandas, SwiftUI, Next.js, Node.js, REST

Software & Tools: Monday.com, GCP, Supabase, Vercel, WebFlow, Wordpress, Canva, Microsoft Excel, GitHub, Figma

Languages: English (native), Spanish (DELE B1, advanced), French (DELF B1, intermediate), Italian (beginner)

PROJECTS

Wikiglot — free & open-source translation API (TypeScript, Node.js)

- Engineered a multilingual translation API with 350 weekly downloads built on Wikimedia HTML dumps to replace paid dictionary APIs
- Published as an NPM package and open-sourced on GitHub, enabling developer collaboration and ongoing community contributions

Safar iOS App — social travel app (Swift, SwiftUI, Foundation Models)

- Built a city-ranking social app where users compare cities using binary search and share ratings, photos, and notes with friends
- Integrated Apple's new Foundation Models to generate AI travel recommendations personalized by friends' preferences

Text-to-Braille — hackathon-winning accessibility device (Arduino, C++)

- Won Mad Hacker Track at JumboHack 2025 for innovation in accessibility technology
- Developed a hardware-software system that converts digital text or PDFs into physical braille using mini servos and Boost ASIO

LEADERSHIP EXPERIENCE

Tufts Student Life

January 2025 - September 2025

Global Orientation (international student orientation) Coordinator

- Planned and coordinated a \$65,000 budget, logistics, catering, events, venues, and transportation for 200 participants
- Recruited and trained a 32-person peer-leader team to lead their groups and welcome the students to Tufts