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SUMMARY

Computer Science major (BS) with minors in Cybersecurity and Mathematics, specializing in AI/ML and software engineering. Developed embedded systems for RoboMaster's combat robotics (C/C++) and fine-tuned LLMs (DeepSeek, Llama) for Hugging Face. Proficient in C++, Python, Java, React, and TensorFlow, with experience deploying quantized models for Apple Silicon and low-resource devices.

EDUCATION

New York University, Tandon School of Engineering, Brooklyn, NY

Expected Graduation 2025

- Candidate for B.S. Major in Computer Science, Minor in Cybersecurity and Mathematics
- Relevant Coursework: Machine Learning, Artificial Intelligence, Software Engineering, Application Security, Network Security, PenTesting and Vuln Analysis, Design and Analysis of Algorithms, Databases, Design Project
- Awards: 2022 Gunter Georgi Award Outstanding General Engineering Design (Pi Glove)
- Amazon 2023 Mini-Hackathon (3rd Place)
- NYU Tandon Spring 2024 Data Science Bootcamp

Monsignor Farrell High School, Staten Island, NY

Honor Roll, National Honor Society, First Generation Student

Graduation 2021

• Awards: Academics in Mathematics and Accounting

WORK & LEADERSHIP EXPERIENCE

RoboMaster Team: UltraViolet, Brooklyn, NY

2023-2024

Embedded Software Engineer: CSE Team

- Designed, wrote, tested, and maintained code in C/C++ for the Sentry/Hero robot's movement and attack functionality to compete in RoboMaster (an international robotics competition).
- Documented software reports and presented bi-weekly updates/improvements to lead managers and directors.

NYU COIN Hall Council (MOCHA), Brooklyn, NY

2022-2023

Representative

- Coordinated engaging weekly events for NYU Tandon, enhancing campus life.
- Oversaw budget, strategically allocated funds for key improvements and additions along with faculty.

5 Star Cheese Steak & Pizza, Manhattan, NY

Co-Manager 2021-2022

- Oversaw day-to-day operations and interacted with delivery workers and cooks.
- Handled food deliveries, shipments, and transactions, and interacted with customers.

Cashier 2018-2021

• Interacted with customers, handed transactions and resolved customer inquiries and discrepancies.

PROJECTS & VOLUNTEER

Hugging Face Co, *LLM Model Contributor*

Fall 2024-Present

- Fine-tuned distilled reasoning models, such as DeepSeek and Llama, by leveraging task-specific datasets to enhance their accuracy on targeted reasoning tasks using cloud computing for open-source community use.
- Quantized distilled reasoning models to GGUF/MLX formats, optimizing performance on Apple Silicon devices and low-resource intensive devices for public download.

NYU Cyber Security Club (NYU SEC), Member

2022-2023, Fall 2024-Present

• Participated in weekly Capture the Flags, and meets with industry professionals from Deloitte, Amazon, Meta, FBI

Institute of Electrical Engineers (IEEE)(2023), Society of Hispanic Professional Engineers (SHPE)(2023-Present), NYU MexSA (2023-Present), Member

TECHNICAL SKILLS

- Computer Languages: (Python, Java, C, C++, React, Swift, SQL, HTML, CSS, PHP)
- *Tools:* (Wireshark, Nmap, Snort, OpenVAS, Ollama, Git, Postman, Docker, UTM, Parallels, HuggingFace)
- Interests: (Machine Learning, Artificial Intelligence, Natural Language Processing, Data Science, LeetCode)
- Software: (AWS, Azure, Figma, MySQL, LMStudio, IBM SPSS, AutoCAD, Microsoft Outlook, Powerpoint)
- Other Languages: (Conversational Spanish, Intermediate Italian)