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## Education

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### University of Maryland, College Park, MD

**Expected Graduation: May/2026**

Bachelor of Science in Computer Science, Minor in Data Science & Technology Entrepreneurship | GPA: 3.794

**Relevant Courses:** Discrete Structures; Linear Algebra; Computer Systems; Applications of Statistics and Probability; Algorithms; Advanced Data Structures; Software Engineering; Intro to AI; Intro to ML

## Skills & Certificates

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**Programming Languages:** Python, Java, C/C++, SQL, HTML/CSS/JS, RStudio

**ML & Web:** Pandas, NumPy, Matplotlib, Plotly, Feature Engineering, Flask, React, REST APIs, Webhook

**Cloud & DevOps:** AWS, Google Cloud Platform (Cloud Functions, Cloud Build, Pub/Sub), Docker, Git, ADK

## Work Experience

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### Teaching Assistant | University of Maryland, UMD | (10+ hours/week)

**Oct/2025 – Present**

- Supports instruction for a Python for Data Science course by assisting students with Python programming, data analysis, and data visualization during labs and office hours.
- Guides students through data cleaning, exploratory data analysis (EDA), and debugging Python code.
- Grades assignments and projects and provide clear, constructive feedback to reinforce data science and programming fundamentals.

### Data Science Intern | Hughes Network Systems, MD | (20+ hours/week)

**Jun/2025 – Dec/2025**

- Developed a pipeline to automatically diagnose unmonitored network devices and generate daily diagnostic reports designed using SQL and Python via GCP, improving system reliability and reducing manual troubleshooting time.
- Designed and implemented a reset automation tool for network devices using FortiManager, SSH, and FortiGate integrations to streamline troubleshooting and recovery processes.
- Applied DevOps practices, including Docker containerization and CI/CD pipelines, to automate deployment and ensure scalable, reproducible workflows in cloud environments.

### Software Engineer for Capstone Research | SEAM Lab | (20+ hours/week)

**Sep/2025 – Dec/2025**

- Developed a full-stack neural modeling platform enabling users to construct, train, and simulate attractor neural networks with real-time visualizations using React, Sigma.js, and Python (NumPy, Flask).
- Implemented backend algorithms for Hebbian learning and Hopfield network simulation, supporting dynamic energy plots and live activation updates during computation.
- Collaborated with a five-member engineering team to design the system architecture, test framework, and user interface, improving accessibility of neural network experimentation for researchers.

**Projects:** [github.com/AbdullatifElmuaqqat](https://github.com/AbdullatifElmuaqqat)

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### Breast Cancer Prediction Web App | Full-Stack Machine Learning (60+ hours)

- Built a production-style ML pipeline for breast cancer classification using LightGBM, integrating data preprocessing, feature engineering, and model training, and connecting model inference to a Flask backend with an interactive web interface for real-time predictions.
- Performed comprehensive model validation and analysis using accuracy, precision, recall, F1 score, and confusion matrix visualization, ensuring interpretability and robustness of predictions across classes.

### TradersHub | HTML/JS/CSS/React (30+ hours)

- Built a full-featured stock trading simulator using React with authenticated user sessions and API-driven real-time market data ingestion to support simulated trading and portfolio tracking.
- Designed and implemented transaction logging, state management, and personalized dashboards, allowing users to simulate buy/sell activity and visualize portfolio performance and historical trades through charts.