

HAYDEN HOUSEN

Machine Learning • Computer Vision • Web Development

High school senior with extensive experience in computer science. Possesses impeccable organizational skills and excellent knowledge of programming languages. Has conducted scientific research in the field of machine learning.



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EXPERIENCE

Lecture2notes
Sept 2019 - Present

○ **Summarizing Lecture Videos by Classifying Slides and Analyzing Text**

Conducted scientific research & created a state-of-the-art system to summarize classroom lectures using machine learning, computer vision, and NLP. Code available at github.com/HHousen.

Will I Have A Snow Day.com
Dec 2019 - Sept 2020

○ **Predicting Snow Days with Machine Learning**

Created an AI-powered automatic snow day predictor website that improves itself overtime using user feedback. Learned about machine learning models and data processing techniques.

TransformerSum
Mar 2020 - Aug 2020

○ **Open-Source Neural Summarization Library**

Furthered research in neural-network text summarization models, specifically in less researched areas such as long document summarization. 4.45x smaller than state-of-the-art but 94% as accurate. High code quality and thoroughly documented at github.com/HHousen.

PicoCTF
Sept 2019 - Jun 2020

○ **Cybersecurity Challenges**

Placed 609 out of 15,817 during the competition. Continued to complete all 121 challenges and reach rank 39 out of nearly 100,000 participants. Learned ethical hacking skills including cryptography, forensics, reverse engineering, and binary exploitation.

Fast.ai
Sept 2018 - Jul 2019

○ **Deep Learning Fundamentals**

Developed an understanding for deep learning concepts by building state-of-the-art models & writing machine learning functions from scratch. Read deep learning books & took online courses at Stanford.

FreeCodeCamp & CTY
Jun 2018 - May 2019

○ **Web Development & Java**

Completed about 400 hours of front-end coursework. Built 10 front-end projects. Completed 347 coding challenges. Completed Java courses through Johns Hopkins Center for Talented Youth.

EDUCATION

ADVANCED REGENTS DIPLOMA W/HONORS
Sept 2017 - Jun 2021

○ **PAWLING CENTRAL HIGH SCHOOL** - GPA: 4.0

Always enrolled in highest level courses. Conducted research into machine learning & computer vision through Science Research program. Took every available computer science course.

ACTIVITIES

VARSITY CROSS COUNTRY
2018-2021

○ Practiced daily and accomplished personal running goals, motivated teammates to reach their potential, enhanced team spirit through communication and attitude.

MATH TEAM
2017-2021

○ Studied advanced mathematics and competed against other schools.

BIBLE CLUB
2017-2019

○ Facilitated charitable service activities, conversations, discussions, activities, and debates.



PROJECTS



See machine learning experiments, full-stack websites, and front-end designs at haydenhousen.com

Hayden's self-motivated work ethic led him to take 12 AP classes and every honors class available. He developed his passion for teaching machines to learn as a member of the Science Research program at PHS/UAlbany. By developing and contributing to open source projects, Hayden furthers the state-of-the-art in machine learning research. When he is not programming he enjoys running cross country in the fall and skiing in the winter.

SKILLS



Understands full-stack web development and enjoys creating state-of-the-art machine learning models.

PYTHON	●●●●●●●●●●
PYTORCH	●●●●●●●●○○
LINUX	●●●●●●●○○○
HTML, CSS, JS	●●●●●●●●○○
GIT	●●●●●●●●○○
PHOTOSHOP	●●●●●●○○○○
OPEN SOURCE	●●●●●●●○○○

HONORS



Regeneron STS Top 300 Scholar - 2021
1st Computational Sciences at Eastern JSJS - 2021
2nd Computational/Physical Sciences at Upstate New York JSJS - 2021
Somers Science Fair 3rd Place in Computer Science/Mathematics - 2019
Principal's Honor Role x12
 CB National Rural & Small Town Scholar - 2020
 Rensselaer Medal - 2020
 Award Winning Graphic Designs (T-Shirts, brochures, bookmarks)
 AP Scholar with Distinction Award - 2020
 Pawling Varsity P (x2) - 2018/2019
 RIT Computing Medal - 2020
 Math National Honor Society Treasurer
 Science & Spanish National Honor Society Member