

# EDWARD BAKER

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## PROFESSIONAL SUMMARY

Statistically minded problem solver with experience leading teams, working in agile environments, and communicating with non-technical audiences. I have a diverse portfolio of programming and mathematical experience applied in both the classroom and industry.

**Languages:** Python, R, SQL, MATLAB, Java, C, HTML, JavaScript

**Concepts:** Algorithms, Data Structures, Hypothesis Testing, Probability, ML, NLP

**Certifications:** AWS Certified Cloud Practitioner

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## EDUCATION

**M.S. in Analytics** May 2024  
Institute for Advanced Analytics, NC State University, Raleigh, NC

**B.S. in Computer Science, Minor in Religious Studies** May 2023  
University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill, Chapel Hill, NC

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## PRACTICUM

**U.S. Department of Education** September 2023—April 2024  
Team Leader

- Implemented custom network clustering algorithm based on KNN techniques to construct social networks by connecting individuals across 30+ attributes for 300K+ individuals
- Delivered well-documented and reproducible Python code to client to create new network data for 45M+ customers
- Estimated the effect of one's social network on 5 long-term student outcomes using logistic regression, decision trees, and chi-square tests

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## EXPERIENCE & PROJECTS

**UNC-CS Department** Chapel Hill, NC  
Undergraduate Learning Assistant – Foundations of Programming August 2022—May 2023

- Pioneered a new assignment and facilitated a workshop for 50+ students to understand MVC architecture
- Hosted office hours for 6hrs/week to help students debug code and ask technical questions
- Graded 100+ student exams and assignments

**Xylem Inc.** Raleigh, NC  
Data Science Intern May 2022—August 2022

- Developed 3 new web application screens for a Xylem Data Lake product to drive revenue growth
- Integrated customer data with an Angular based application using SQL and AWS
- Developed Python scripts to analyze security concerns for 1K+ Xylem employees

**RamVision** Personal Project  
Angular – Firebase - JS

- Created a student-focused website that displays historical grade distribution data
- Real-time database integration with the ability for users to query results and upload new data
- Intuitive and modern UI allows for a seamless user experience