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EDUCATION

University of Southern California | GPA 3.82 Los Angeles, CA
B.A in Intelligence & Cyber Operations | Minor: Human Security & Geospatial Intelligence May 2028
Affiliations: Management Leadership for Tomorrow, NSBE, ModernGuild x Deloitte, Marsh P.R.E.P, ColorStack, Rewriting the Code
Honors & Awards: Dean's List (x4), Questbridge National College Match Scholar, Wahlberg Goldsmith Family Scholar
Relevant Courses: Python Programming, Global Economy, Spatial Data Analysis, Writing and Critical Reasoning
Study Abroad: University of Burgundy, Dijon, France May 2026-June 2026

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

CybOrg Consulting | *Cybersecurity Consultant* | *Client: Beamlink* | Los Angeles, CA February 2026-Present
• Conducted 10+ vulnerability scans across cloud infrastructure, preventing an estimated \$25K in losses for a telecom startup
• Delivered 3 client-facing security assessment reports for internal engineering and leadership teams, translating technical findings into prioritized remediation for 8+ critical risks
Extern | *Extern, Amazon Operational Strategy & People Analytics* | Los Angeles, CA January 2026-Present
• Analyzed feedback from 175+ Amazon Fulfillment Centers using Python, surfacing inefficiencies for cross-functional leaders
• Synthesized 140 employee reviews using Pandas, translating workforce sentiment into HR retention recommendations for leadership
The Akoma Foundation | *Events and Logistics Coordinator* | Atlanta, GA November 2025-Present
• Spearheaded annual outreach in Accra, Ghana by developing a structured volunteer framework to deliver first aid training to 450+ students across 9 classrooms
• Developed 3+ event proposals and coordinated cross-campus teams to prepare and distribute 350+ community care kits to underserved communities
Charlotta Bass Journalism & Justice Lab | *Senior Research Assistant* | Los Angeles, CA September 2024-Present
• Optimized 2 AI-powered chatbots by designing 15+ beta-testing questions, improving accuracy ahead of successful go-live
• Synthesized data across 3 research initiatives on U.S. food deserts, producing data-driven insights for a public podcast series
Bulk Oil Storage & Transportation LTD | *Corporate Planning Intern* | Accra, Ghana May 2025-July 2025
• Leveraged 3+ years of market research data in Power BI to conduct competitive analysis of 4 distribution companies, informing executive strategy on industry and market positioning
• Reengineered an internal SLA for the Research & Strategy Unit, streamlining operational workflows across 4+ departments

TECHNICAL PROJECTS

IBM SkillsBuild x Rewriting the Code | *AI Agent Development Project* July 2026
• Designed an AI agent in IBM watsonx.ai using a 5-step workflow to automate business processes and enhance decision-making
• Strengthened AI governance using MLflow across 5 ethics dimensions to increase adaptability to evolving technology systems
USC TAC 325: Ethical Hacking | *Enterprise Security Assessment Project* June 2026
• Led security assessments across 5 simulated enterprise environments, identifying 8 critical/high-risk vulnerabilities and delivering a 91-page report with mitigation strategies
• Partnered on a 2-person cybersecurity team to evaluate network and system risks, converting technical findings into stakeholder-focused recommendations to enable remediation for 100% of documented risks

LEADERSHIP & PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT

ModernGuild | *Deloitte Consulting Accelerator Participant* | Los Angeles, CA July 2026-August 2026
• Selected for a competitive Deloitte consulting accelerator, completing 3 coaching sessions and a live mock interview to build consulting and recruiting readiness
• Engaged in 4 coffee chats and 2 Deloitte-led workshops on consulting, AI, and emerging technologies, strengthening industry knowledge, case-interviewing, and professional networking skills
Extern x PwC | *Extern, Data Storytelling & Visualization (AI)* | Los Angeles, CA July 2026-August 2026
• Evaluated 500 startups across 12 financial metrics using Excel pivot tables, isolating market share as the strongest predictor of profitability at 27x funding
• Implemented the SCQA business storytelling framework to develop executive-ready recommendations to PwC employees in Canva and Flourish

SKILLS & INTERESTS

Technical Skills and Tools: Power BI, Python, Canva, Claude, Flourish, PyCharm, Microsoft Office Suite, Google Workspace
Business Skills: AI Governance, Exec Comms, HR & Workforce Analysis, Risk Mitigation, Market Analysis
Language & Certifications: French (DELFI B2), Microsoft 365 Excel Essential Training, IBM AI Fundamentals
Interests: AI, Cybercrime, Marginalia, Faith-Based Literature, Shonen Anime, Mango Gelato (especially from Amorino)