## JASON FLORES

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## **EDUCATION**

# Illinois Wesleyan University | Bloomington, IL

Dean's List

Bachelor of Science, May 2026

- Major: Computer Science | Minor: Mathematics & Business Administration | Certificate: Data Analytics
- Relevant Courses: Deep Learning; Artificial Intelligence; Software Development; Computer Networking; Computer Architecture; Programming Languages; Discrete Mathematics; Data Analytics & Visualization
- Certifications: Full Stack Software Developer by IBM
- Chapter Lead, Artificial Intelligence Club, Computer Machinery Association & Latino Student Association

## INTERNSHIP & EMPLOYMENT EXPERIENCE

Computer Science Teaching Assistant | Illinois Wesleyan University | Bloomington, IL January 2025 - Present

- Support 35 students in mastering concepts like recursion, induction, data types, and data structures
- Grade assignments and quizzes, ensuring accurate and timely feedback to facilitate communication

#### **Business Analyst Intern** | *Driving Forward* | Remote

January 2025 - March 2025

- Leverage technology solutions on case study to enhance product sustainability for a major brand
- Develop market research strategies for actionable recommendations
- Pitch data-driven solutions to panel of experts on Microsoft Teams
- Attend weekly sessions with Tech Consulting industry leaders for skill-building and network expansion

# **Artificial Intelligence Intern** | FOREO | Remote

August 2024 - December 2024

- Utilized AI to drive digital marketing innovation in the beauty-tech industry
- Developed AI-driven solutions using Python and APIs, optimizing performance and scalability
- Led the development of an AI-powered anti-aging app with a responsive voice chatbot

## IT Services Associate | IWU Information Technology | Bloomington, IL

August 2023 - August 2024

- Assisted 50+ walk-in clients and managed 100+ calls with technical questions
- Resolved 85% of technical issues on first contact, with 95% of online inquiries answered within 24 hours
- Documented client interactions across all mediums and escalated/referred as needed

## **Artificial Intelligence Trainer** | *Outlier* | Freelance

May 2023 - August 2023

- Assessed AI-generated content for accuracy, reviewing approximately 50 pieces of content per week
- Provided feedback to development teams to improve content quality by 15% over three months
- Monitored and identified areas for a 10% model efficiency increase through performance analysis

## **TECHNICAL SKILLS**

- Programming Languages: Python, C++, JavaScript, MySQL, Haskell, Prolog, Forth
- Tools and Technologies: HTML/CSS, Bootstrap, Git, Flask, Pandas, Bulma, Rest APIs, PyTorch

#### TECHNICAL PROJECTS

Personal Finance Tracker | Python(Flask, Pandas), MySQL, HTML, Jinja2, CSS(Bulma), JavaScript

 In PyCharm, using Agile methodologies developed a full-stack website that allows users to manage finances by tracking income, expenses, savings goals, budget limits, categorizing transactions, and viewing spending trends over time via interactive charts

## American Sign Language Recognition | Python(PyTorch, NumPy, Matplotlib, Seaborn, Pandas)

• Used transfer learning with ResNet18 to classify 29 ASL signs, optimizing performance by preprocessing 87k+ images, reducing training data, and automating data import with custom DataLoader pipelines.

## Sentiment Analysis | Python(Flask), HTML, JavaScript

 Developed Python Web Application using Flask and integrated Embeddable Watson AI libraries to make the Web Application showcase AI-based abilities