# **Forest LeBlanc**

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## **Relevant Experience**

<b>Booz Allen Hamilton</b> Lexing	ton Park, MD	Engineer	Feb 2021 - Present	
<ul> <li>Designed and troubleshooted ML/DS pipelines.</li> <li>Contributed to design of advanced network routing protocol showcased at company convention.</li> <li>Worked across the technical spectrum to plan and document large-scale software environment migration.</li> <li>Improved speed of critical production software testing process by approx. 40%.</li> <li>Rel. skills/tools: Docker, Tensorflow, Pandas, AWS, Jenkins, Python, .NET, Agile, Node JS</li> </ul>				
Advanced Computing Group	Orono, ME	Special Project Assistant	May 2019 - Jan 2020	
<ul> <li>Configured web servers on cloud-based virtual machines; Researched cloud/cluster computing methods and ML applications; Contributed to infant stages of 'Evergreen AI' for ML-based health monitoring of Maine's forests. (<i>ML/DS, cloud platforms, research, technical communication</i>)</li> </ul>				
University of Maine	Orono, ME	Teaching Assistant	Dec 2018 - May 2019	
<ul> <li>Directly advised 19 students on embedded programming projects. (Engineering, test equipment, programming, technical communication, education)</li> </ul>				
Wireless Sensing Networks Lab	Orono, ME	Undergraduate Research Assistant	May 2018 – Dec 2018	
<ul> <li>Contributed to research and development of 3 projects for medical and aerospace purposes. (ML/DS, Engineering, circuits, research, programming, technical communication)</li> </ul>				

## **Education**

<b>Harvard University Extension School</b> Cambridge, MA	Master of Liberal Arts, Data Science	Jun 2023 - Present
<b>University of Maine</b>	<b>Bachelor of Science, Computer Engineering</b>	Aug 2015 –
Orono, ME	(Minor in Mathematics)	May 2019

**Honors:** Francis Crowe Society; Rajendra & Neera Singh Engineering Scholarship; Norman B. Stetson Scholarship; University of Maine Flagship Scholarship; Dean's List.

Activities: Students for the Exploration and Development of Space; Engineers Without Borders; IEEE Student Branch; UMaine Black Bear Robotics

### **Certifications & Clearance**

- Top Secret clearance (Nov. 2021 Present)
- AWS Certified Cloud Practitioner (AWS, 2021 2024)
- Security+ Certification (CompTIA, 2021 2024)
- Certified Professional Foundations of DevOps (ICAgile, 2021)
- **Deep Learning** Specialization Certification (DeepLearning.AI, 2020)

### Misc. Abilities

- Languages: Python, C#, C/C++, HTML/CSS, Javascript, VHDL/Verilog, Go, Java, MATLAB, R
- Concepts/Methods: Algorithms, Machine Learning/DS, Data Structures, Git, SQL, Linux/UNIX, Agile
- Tools/Libraries: Keras, Tensorflow, pandas/numpy/scipy/ matplotlib/scikit, Jenkins, AWS