# Ludovico Federici

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Collaborative **Software and Machine Learning Engineer** with expertise in leading cross-functional projects and applying AI techniques to deliver actionable insights. Motivated by continuous learning and feedback, I am passionate about leveraging tech and entrepreneurial problem-solving to drive innovation and measurable impact.

#### **EDUCATION**

### University of California, Berkeley | Berkeley, CA

Grad. Dec 2024

B.A. Computer Science, B.A. Cognitive Science, Minor in Data Science

3.98 GPA

- Awards and Recognitions: Nova 111 Italy Student List, Sutardja Center Certificate in Entrepreneurship & Technology, Cal Alumni Association Leadership Scholarship (2023/2024), Dean's List, Honors To Date
- Relevant Coursework: Artificial Intelligence, Efficient Algorithms, Database Systems, AI for Healthcare
- Organizations: Neurotech@Berkeley, NextGen Consulting at UC Berkeley, Nova Talent, LeadTheFuture

# TECHNICAL SKILLS

AI & ML: scikit-learn, Deep Learning (TensorFlow and PyTorch), LLMs, CNNs, Hyperparameter Tuning, NLP. Data Science & Engineering: Python (Pandas, NumPy, Seaborn, Matplotlib), SQL, Tableau, BigQuery, dbt, FiveTran. Programming Languages: Python, C, Dart (Flutter), Go, Java, JavaScript, HTML, CSS, x86 Assembly, RISC-V.

#### Work Experience

# Spotify | New York, NY

Jun 2024 - Aug 2024

Data Science Intern, Podcast Mission Insights

- Spearheaded a cross-functional project across 3 teams (product, engineering, and marketing) to pinpoint key success drivers for video content, segmenting creators by video type & shaping video integration strategy for 190M+ MAU.
- Analyzed 358 video shows using SQL, BigQuery, and dbt for ETL, with data analysis and visualization in Python (pandas, seaborn) and Tableau, to identify trends in performance and calibrate parameters for segmentation.
- Designed a predictive metric from key performance indicators to evaluate and forecast video content success, driving data-backed decisions for personalized creator education and content suggestions across **50+ stakeholders**.

# AWEAR (awear.us) | Berkeley, CA

Jan 2024 - May 2024

Software Engineer (Machine Learning) Intern

- Engineered an LLM neuro-coach voicebot with latency <500ms using OpenAI's Realtime API, integrating EEG data from hardware to deliver personalized CBT-based interventions that elevate users' mental well-being.
- Led a team of 4 to craft an MVP real-time GUI in Flutter that connects to hardware through Bluetooth for visualizing EEG waveforms and fluctuations of emotional indices, ensuring cross-platform and device compatibility.

#### **NVIDIA** | Berkeley, CA

Jan 2023 - May 2023

Consulting Engagement Lead

- Managed a team of 5 to explore growth opportunities for **NeMo LLM** in clinical trials by analyzing market trends and developing B2B go-to-market strategies, resulting in a projected \$1.7 billion serviceable market.
- Consulted with 30+ experts to identify clinical trial challenges and proposed NeMo LLM solutions that improved patient matching and enhanced drug-to-drug interaction accuracy, addressing delays that cost up to \$8 million daily.

#### TECHNICAL PROJECTS

# Video Focus with EEG | MUSE S, Python, OpenAI API, React Native

• Won the **NVIDIA x Bakar BioEnginuity Hub hackathon**, creating a program that leverages Open AI API and EEG from **Muse S** to track focus and improve lecture comprehension through real-time engagement analysis.

# CNN for Breast Cancer Diagnosis | Python, TensorFlow, ResNet-50, scikit-learn, NumPy

• Developed a CNN to predict breast cancer severity from 175,000+ biopsy images in Nightingale dataset, achieving 90.8% accuracy; optimized preprocessing, applied class weighting, and adjusted thresholds to enhance clinical use.

#### Assembly Language Classifier | RISC-V, C

• Built assembly classifier for handwritten digit recognition, streamlining matrix operations for low-level hardware.

#### Database Management System Implementation | Java, SQL, NoSQL

Revamped DBMS with B+ trees, join algorithms, query optimization, multigranularity locking, and database recovery.