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- BAR ADMISSION CALIFORNIA, License #330684 (inactive)
- WORK EXPERIENCE INSTITUTE FOR LAW & AI, Cambridge, MA  
*Director of Research* April 2024–present
- OPENAI, San Francisco, CA  
*Research Lead (Policy Frontiers)* December 2023–April 2024
- ♦ Set research priorities for team of seven researchers focused on emerging issues in AI governance
  - ♦ Led research on enhancing societal resilience to shocks from advanced AI
- Research Scientist (Governance)* April 2022–December 2023
- ♦ Developed proposals for international governance of computing hardware to prevent misalignment
  - ♦ Led forecasting efforts regarding strategic variables in advanced AI governance
- Counsel (Policy & Governance)* February 2021–April 2022
- ♦ Helped develop internal compliance programs
  - ♦ Analyzed emerging intellectual property issues in AI
  - ♦ Organized employee benefits transactions
  - ♦ Drafted corporate governance improvements
- Research Scientist (Policy)* August 2019–February 2021
- ♦ Drafted proposals for organizational distribution of benefits from advanced AI
  - ♦ Analyzed and developed solutions for key strategic legal challenges to developing beneficial AGI
  - ♦ Led various internal efforts to improve emphasis on and adherence to corporate values
- AFFILIATIONS CENTRE FOR THE GOVERNANCE OF AI, Oxford, UK  
*Research Affiliate* August 2018–present
- ♦ Legal and policy research and strategizing on implications of advanced artificial intelligence
  - ♦ Managing six-person research team authoring major report on novel AI policy proposal
- EDUCATION HARVARD LAW SCHOOL, J.D. cum laude, May 2019  
HONORS: Dean's Scholar Prize, Constitutional Law: First Amendment  
Dean's Scholar Prize, Cyberlaw Clinic  
ACTIVITIES: Harvard University Effective Altruism, President
- UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN—ANN ARBOR, B.S. with Distinction, Ecology & Evolutionary Biology and Highest Honors in Philosophy, May 2016  
HONORS: Phi Beta Kappa  
William K. Frankena Prize, for excellence in the Philosophy major  
James B. Angell Scholar, for consecutive all-"A" terms  
University Honors  
ACTIVITIES: Michigan Ethics Bowl, Co-captain & National qualifiers  
Sexual Assault Prevention and Awareness Center, Volunteer  
The Hastings Center, Emily Murray Student Fellowship
- ONLINE COURSES  
*Artificial Intelligence*
- DEEPLARNING.AI, Certificate: Structuring Machine Learning Projects, April 30, 2020  
Verifiable at <https://coursera.org/verify/U47QQVYE3VCA>
- DEEPLARNING.AI, Certificate: Improving Deep Neural Networks: Hyperparameter Tuning, Regularization and Optimization, April 16, 2020  
Verifiable at <https://coursera.org/verify/VPK8DV6VWVWLH>
- DEEPLARNING.AI, Certificate: Neural Networks and Deep Learning, February 28, 2020  
Verifiable at <https://coursera.org/verify/T8KWQ95CQJLJ>

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STANFORD UNIVERSITY VIA COURSERA, Certificate: Machine Learning, November 9, 2017  
Verifiable at <https://coursera.org/verify/6SDF6KFDXM2W>

*Economics and  
Related Subjects*

YALE UNIVERSITY VIA COURSERA, Certificate: Financial Markets with Honors, May 17, 2020  
Verifiable at <https://coursera.org/verify/LNUAFJ9BM2YJ>

SDGACADEMYX, Certificate: Macroeconomics for a Sustainable Planet, May7, 2020  
Verifiable at <https://courses.edx.org/certificates/af40a1698bca4c40b4a45a8ba724cfe7>

OXFORDX, Certificate: From Poverty to Prosperity: Understanding Economic Development,  
January 5, 2020  
Verifiable at <https://courses.edx.org/certificates/c5a44c605b194fc4a1bdca7c7e951cf1>

UNIVERSITY OF PENNSYLVANIA VIA COURSERA, Certificate: Introduction to Financial Accounting,  
November 7, 2019  
Verifiable at <https://coursera.org/verify/DRAEE4NYHHKJ>

UNIVERSITY OF PENNSYLVANIA VIA COURSERA, Certificate: Microeconomics: When Markets Fail,  
October 10, 2019  
Verifiable at <https://coursera.org/verify/TNEGTMVDXL75>

UNIVERSITY OF PENNSYLVANIA VIA COURSERA, Certificate: Microeconomics: The Power of Markets,  
September 12, 2019  
Verifiable at <https://coursera.org/verify/4WPQRMM6565F>