Aidan Boyne

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EDUCATION

University of California, Los Angeles

BS Bioengineering, Mathematics Minor

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Expected June 2023
Westwood, CA

■ 3.86/4.00 GPA

EXPERIENCE

UCLA Biochemistry May 2021 - Present

Research Assistant Westwood, CA

- Analyzed yeast RNA modification mechanisms under Dr. Guillaume Chanfreau.
- Independently implemented procedures reducing RNA post-processing time by over 40%.
- Currently investigating effects of metal ion stress on RNA splicing factors and exosomes.

Institute For Myeloma and Bone Cancer Research

April 2021 – June 2021

Research Assistant

Hollywood, CA

- Conducted research on the immune response to COVID-19 vaccines in active cancer patients
- Implemented an online database to track over 10,000 blood and bone marrow samples.
- Edited research papers prior to publication in journals including Blood and Hematological Oncology.

Bruin Quants November 2020 – December 2021

Founding Partner and Program Developer

Westwood, CA

- Codeveloped a 5-week workshop project introducing quantitative finance using Python.
- Utilized Pandas and Matplotlib packages for stock market data visualization and exploration.
- Recruited 70+ members within a week of the workshop's announcement.

UT Northeast Biomedical Research Center

June 2018

Research Intern

Tyler, TX

- Investigated biomechanical mechanisms of myosin protein.
- Used motility assays to determine possible roles of myosin defects in Epstein and Fetchtner disorders.

ZS Associates Starting June 2022

Incoming Strategy and Management Intern

San Diego, CA

INTERESTS & OTHER EXPERIENCES

- **Teaching:** Taught math at Westwood Elementary school. Taught circuit design and coding bootcamps at underserved LA middle schools. Independently tutored over 40 students in math, chemistry, and physics.
- **Volunteering:** Developed a database and storage system for a bookstore benefitting medical nonprofits. Provided free tutoring to children of healthcare workers affected by the COVID pandemic. Volunteer at Claris Mobile Health Clinic. Mentorship chairman for UCLA Biomedical Engineering Society.
- Cooking: Worked as a cook at a steakhouse and a Mexican restaurant. Bartended in Texas and Sweden.
- Music: Played guitar and piano in rock, folk, and jazz bands.

PROFICIENCIES

- Languages: English (native), Spanish (working), Swedish (working).
- **IT:** Python (NumPy, Pandas), C++, MATLAB, Fusion 360, Microsoft Excel, PowerPoint.
- **Biomedical:** Immunoassays, PCR, Cloning, Blotting techniques, Cell Cultures, Instrument design.