# ANDREW SIMONSON

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## **EMPLOYMENT**

#### Data Scientist

#### Ecolab

- 📋 January 2024 December 2024 🎈 Saint Paul, MN
- Liaison for Microsoft in 100-member AI accelerator to establish General Manager Copilot AI for restaurant industry
- Developed platform and ETL to route data from 3 vendors with scalability and ease of monitoring
- Built anomalies and recommendations modeling, resulting in a 20% increase in throughput and speed of service performance



### Data Engineer

#### **Dow Chemical**

- **January 2023 May 2023**
- Lake Jackson, TX

Visual Basic

- Produced data processing suite for Reactive Chem analysts, replacing 4 separate deprecated tools
- Designed report abstractions to preserve data integrity across 9 experimental variations
- Product became the interdepartmental data standard with >1,020 hours (~0.65 FTE) saved annually in pilot demo

MS Azure

Posit Connect/Rstudio

Docker

## PROJECTS

#### RIT Hotspots | **(7** HotspotsRIT

- Geographic migration map of live occupancy data at RIT
- Produced population density predictions and movement stats for advanced population control around 30 localities

#### Slate | 🖸 Slate

- Event coordination via calendar vector projection, developed to help CSH coordinate meetings between 80 members
- Pioneered new CI/CD in house services for seamless integration, cutting maintenance pressure points from 6 to 2

## AWARDS AND CERTIFICATIONS

#### Hackathons | <br/> devpost.com/asimonson1125

- CSHacks Best Use of AI by Paychex
- The Tiger Games Social Impact Category Winner
- HACK.COMS '24 Accessibility Category Winner

#### Certifications | ( asimonson.com/certs

- Career Essentials in Data Analysis by Microsoft
- Docker Foundations Professional Certificate
- Career Essentials in GitHub Professional Certificate
- RIT Entrepreneurial Certificates (x3)

# **EDUCATION**

#### Rochester Institute of Technology Data Science M.S. **Computer Science B.S.**

**(B.S.)** December 2024, **(M.S.)** December 2026 Rochester, New York

#### **Undergrad Results:** GPA: 3.63

Dual Cluster in Data Science and AI Minor in International Relations Independent Study in Probability Theory

### SKILLS

Python SQL R MATLAB
JavaScript Rust C# LATEX
MS Azure Databricks Apache Spark
Pytorch Pandas Numpy ArcGIS
Scikit/Sklearn Docker Kubernetes

### ACTIVITIES

#### **Computer Science House** Presenter | 🌐 Csh.rit.edu

- 苗 May 2021 Present Rochester Institute of Technology
- Technical community emphasizing hands-on learning and a strong social atmosphere
- Presented 4 seminars on web scraping and open source analytics
- Created 3 web services to support house activities, collaborated to maintain others

### **BHS VEX Robotics**

#### President and Team Lead

- September 2015 September 2021
- Boonsboro High School
- Created and led development in 3 teams for annual regional VEX Robotics Competitions
- School record for highest state ranking, laid groundwork for community outreach

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