# Benjamin Ledoux

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## Education

#### Northwestern University

Sep 2024 - Dec 2025

MS in Computer Science

o GPA: 3.74/4.0

• Coursework: Algorithms, Artificial Intelligence, Machine Learning, Deep Learning, NLP, Parallel Computing, Agent Based Modeling, AI in Software, OOP

#### Connecticut College

Sep 2020 - May 2024

BA in Computer Science

o GPA: 3.86/4.0

• Coursework: Algorithms, Software Engineering, Computer Architecture, Data Structures, OOP, Digital Sound Processing, Game Design, VR Environments

# Experience

IT Support

Beverly, MA

Massachusetts Task Force 1

 $June \ 2023 - Aug \ 2023$ 

Mapping out local fiber network

o Setup and maintenance of security camera network

### Ammerman Scholar

New London, CT

Ammerman Center for Arts and Technology

Jan 2022 - May 2024

• Competitive certificate program

 Conducted independent study of intersection of art and technology, developing a world generation framework for Unity

#### Teaching Assistant

New London, CT

Connecticut College Computer Science Department

Sep 2022 - May 2024

- Tutoring of Intro, Computer Architecture, and Entertainment Software courses, including office hours and conducting labs
- Used proficiency with Python, C#, and Unity to guide students in assignments and projects

# **Projects**

## Bot Bowl Evolution

- Evolved a competitive agent for Bot Bowl 🗹 using a genetic algorithm to refine an expert system.
- o Tools Used: Python, OpenAI Gym

#### Digit Recognition Neural Network

- Simple NN trained on MNIST data to classify handwritten digits.
- o Tools Used: Python, NumPy, PyTorch

#### Music Box 🗹

- o Developed a program to download tracks and play them with modern functionality.
- o Tools Used: Python, TKinter, yt\_dlp

#### **Technologies**

Languages: Python, C++, C#

Technologies: Neural Networks, Unity