# Nathan Holt

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#### **EDUCATION**

## Rochester Institute of Technology

Rochester, NY

MS in Applied and Computational Mathematics, BS in Computational Mathematics

2014 - 2019

• Areas of research include: dynamical systems, partial differential equations, scientific computing, cryptography, bioinformatics, and data assimilation

## Franklin Community High School

Franklin, IN 2010 - 2014

## Work Experience

## L3Harris Technologies

Image Science Engineer

January 2019 - Present

- Maintained an active TS/SCI clearance
- Became an Integrated Product Team leader, responsible for the technical execution of a small group of 3-5 other people
- Developed and maintained many software libraries and tools in Python, and followed DevOps best practices
- Gave regular technical and high-level briefings to government agencies and internal stakeholders
- Created new mathematical models and metrics for the creation and analysis of spatiotemporal GPS datasets, now in use by the US intelligence community
- Improved machine learning and artificial intelligence capabilities for object tracking and Markov prediction

Software Engineering Intern

May 2018 - August 2018

- Big data analysis using Python and R
- Applied research for synthetic data generation and analysis using tools from data science, calculus, statistical physics, and spectral graph theory

## Rochester Institute of Technology

Research Assistant

May 2016 - May 2018

- Studied the nonlinear dynamics of cardiac arrhythmias, and simulated the propagation of a partial differential equation model using MATLAB and Fortran
- Applied for and received funding from the National Science Foundation (NSF) for parameter estimation of cardiac models using state augmentation methods applied to the Local Ensemble Transform Kalman Filter
- Culminated in my master's thesis, "Parameter Estimation of a Cardiac Model Using the Local Ensemble Transform Kalman Filter"

#### Projects

## Chaotic Cryptography: Applications of Chaos Theory to Cryptography | statistical analysis, Python

- Provided a mathematical introduction to chaos theory and its novel application to cryptographic algorithms
- Created a cryptosystem and pseudo random number generator based upon a modified Logistic Map
- Performed statistical analysis on the derived cryptosystem for resistance to cryptographic attacks

#### A Probabilistic Model for the Mafia Party Game | mathematical modeling, dynamical systems, Python

- Developed a mathematical model for the Mafia party game (also known as "Werewolf") using partial difference equations
- Generated figures to illustrate the model, and performed mathematical analysis on the model
- Successfully "cheated" at the next game night using this model for risk assessment

#### TECHNICAL SKILLS

Languages: Python, SQL, R, MATLAB, HTML/CSS, C#, Java, PHP, LATEX

Developer Tools: Git, BitBucket, Visual Studio, PyCharm, Spyder, RStudio, vim, Sublime Text, PHPStorm

Libraries: NumPy, pandas, matplotlib, lxml, SciPy, TensorFlow, PyTorch, BeautifulSoup

Mathematical Skills: mathematical modeling, dynamical systems, linear algebra, data science, cryptography