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David Lauer posted this · 2mo

The first few months of the [Urvin Finance](#) journey have been exciting, and our company has come a long way. I'd love to talk to any fellow founders who have recently raised a seed round, as it's coming up for us, especially in [#web3](#), [#social](#), [#edtech](#), or [#fintech](#).

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About

Urvin Finance has built the only fully-integrated social platform offering individual investors access to professional-quality data, tools and education in a collaborative community environment. We empower retail investors, with a focus on responsible investing and long-term wealth creation.

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Experience



CEO
Urvin Finance · Permanent Full-time
Jun 2021 - Present · 1 yr 2 mos

Urvin Finance is building The Terminal - the only finance-focused social platform with professional quality data and tools, enabling collaborative research, globally.



Founding Editorial Board - AI and Ethics Journal

Springer Nature

Jun 2020 - Present · 2 yrs 2 mos

AI and Ethics seeks to promote informed debate and discussion of the ethical, regulatory, and policy implications that arise from the development of AI. It will focus on how AI techniques, tools, a ...see more



Co-Founder

Plia

Oct 2019 - Present · 2 yrs 10 mos



Co-Founder

Urvin AI

Apr 2019 - Present · 3 yrs 4 mos

Greater Philadelphia Area

We partner with you to provide artificial intelligence and machine learning expertise, guidance and tools to solve your most pressing business problems. Our specialties include natural-language und ...see more



Managing Partner

Mile 59

Nov 2017 - Present · 4 yrs 9 mos

Collingswood, NJ

Mile 59 is a technology and finance consultancy providing services to a diverse range of firms. These services include customized data science and machine learning, financial regulatory compliar ...see more

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Education



Esade

MA, International Economics and Finance

2002 - 2003



Brandeis International Business School

MA, International Economics and Finance

2002 - 2003



Brandeis University

BA, Economics, Minors: Computer Science and Philosophy

1998 - 2002

Activities and societies: Researched in DEMO (Dynamical & Evolutionary Machine Organization) lab with Jordan Pollack, studying evolutionary mechanisms for educating children. Founded Brandeis ...see more

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Volunteering



Founder

WAGS Rescue

Sep 2010 - Sep 2015 · 5 yrs 1 mo

Animal Welfare

WAGS advocates for pet adoption and seeks to educate the public about the abuses taking place in Puppy Mills.

Licenses & certifications



Computational Neuroscience

Coursera

Issued Jun 2013 · No Expiration Date

Skills

Python



Endorsed by 4 colleagues at Cloud FastPath



31 endorsements

Java



Endorsed by 2 colleagues at Cloud FastPath



28 endorsements

Trading Systems



Endorsed by Brad G. and 1 other who is highly skilled at this



Endorsed by 2 colleagues at Cloud FastPath



21 endorsements

Show all 35 skills →

Recommendations

Received

Given



Jon Flynn · 2nd

Sports Data & AI Nerd at Microsoft

May 4, 2015, Jon managed David directly

Dave has the brains of a rocket scientist with ability to boil incredibly complex pieces of information into useable, understandable pieces. This makes him a brilliant asset to any sales cycle by having the ability to remove the complexity and have the value of the solution shine through. Dave understands the financial services space like the back of his hand, and has built a stellar reputation within the ...see more



Frode Sørmo · 3rd

Senior Software Development Manager at Amazon Alexa AI

April 11, 2014, Frode was senior to David but didn't manage David directly

Dave has been leading our development effort in financial services, and in doing so have impressed me with his technical skills, leadership ability and knowledge of the financial services industry. He has the deep technical understanding of high-performance computing architecture that allows him to design systems well, but also the hands-on ability to implement them himself when necessary. Wher ...see more



Jerico Mele · 3rd

Freelance Writer/Copy Editor

June 10, 2009, Jerico reported directly to David

David is a quick thinking, imaginative business owner, always looking for the next opportunity to come his way. He is generally thinking several steps ahead of everyone else and has a knack for identifying potential profit in the most unlikely places.

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Courses

Archaeology's Dirty Little Secrets

Brown University

Computational Neuroscience

University of Washington

Machine Learning

Stanford University

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Projects

Cowbird

Mar 2011 - Present



Associated with Cowbird, Inc.

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A public library for the human experience.

Languages

spanish

Causes

Animal Welfare · Children · Education · Politics · Science and Technology

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Influencers

Companies

Groups

Schools



Arianna Huffington · 2nd

Founder and CEO at Thrive

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