AUSTIN SHIH

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EDUCATION

University of California, Davis

B.S. Computer Science | B.S. Statistics (machine learning track) | Minor in Technology Management Coursework: Data structures & Algorithms, Object Oriented Programming, Machine learning

EXPERIENCE

IGN Entertainment Jun 2022 - Aug 2022

Software Engineering Intern | San Francisco, CA

- Updated backend to support new user rewards system for 300 million users
- Developed A/B tests ran on 1000+ users to improve site usability
- Prototyped game activity timeline for users to track played games

Advantech Jul 2021 - Aug 2021

Information Technology Intern | Milpitas, CA

- Searched for creative ways to automate tasks with batch and powershell scripts
- Developed automatic computer setup script saving 30 minutes per computer
- Created system to automatically update computer information lists for 200+ employees

LEADERSHIP

#Include at Davis

VP of Technology

Jun 2023 - Present

GPA: 3.98/4.00 | Jun 2025

- Leading 25 developers in development of Content Management System & E-Store Framework
- Teaching industry standards for Next.js and Apollo servers learned from prior internships
- Architecting scalable Next.js & Apollo, Prisma, Postgres codebases
- Developing DevOps pipeline with Github Actions to provide smooth development experience

Technical Lead Jan 2023 - Jun 2023

- Manage cohort of 10 developers in creating a full stack web application for local clients
- Mentor 10 cohort members on best coding practices and perform in-depth code reviews
- Deployed https://ielctutoring.com within 10 weeks

PROJECTS

Music Mood Classifier

Flask, Next.js, Google Cloud, Scikit-Learn, Librosa

Machine Learning music mood classifier

- Trained Random Forest model achieving over 95% accuracy
- Features extracted from averages of MFCC's, mel spectrograms, and chromagrams
- Reliably deployed with Nginx & Gunicorn on AWS EC2

TortlePoll - Live Polling Website

Next.js, MongoDB, Firebase Auth, Pusher, Chart.js

Filter results by demographic group, track your polls, take public polls or keep polls private

- Implemented user authentication for users to keep track of their own polling data
- Dynamic data visualization using Chart.js and Pusher for live updating

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

SKILLS: Full Stack development, Machine Learning, Relational databases, Cloud Computing **FRAMEWORKS:** Next.js, React.js, Express.js, Apollo, Jest, Knex.js, Tensorflow, Unity, Github Actions **LANGUAGES:** C++, JavaScript, TypeScript, Python, Java, C#, HTML/CSS, SQL, GraphQL

TOOLS: PostgreSQL, MongoDB, Firebase, Node, Github