

# Brian Erlangga

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## Education

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**University of Waterloo**, B.A.Sc. in Computer Engineering

Sept 2020 – Current

*Relevant Courses:* Software Design and Architectures, Machine Learning, Computer Networks, Compilers, Algorithms and Data Structures, Systems Programming and Concurrency, Real-time Operating Systems

*Honors:* University of Waterloo President's Scholarship, Faculty of Engineering Entrance Scholarship

## Work Experience

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**Purolator** | Front End Developer Co-op

Waterloo | Sept. 2025 – Dec. 2025

- **Accomplished a significant reduction in bot activity and stabilized API call thresholds** by integrating the AWS reCAPTCHA SDK and collaborating with DevOps to resolve domain-specific 403 error conflicts.
- **Delivered the first end-to-end site revamps in over two years** for the Marketing Communications team by implementing comprehensive UI designs and engineering a dynamic FAQ component with JavaScript.

**Sun Life** | Associate Front-End Developer

Toronto | Jan 2025 – April 2025

- **Evaluated the viability of Google Lit Web Components** within a React codebase by conducting a technical Proof of Concept using lit-labs/react.
- **Increased performance awareness for 100+ developers** by delivering a technical presentation on Google Light-house and building an Excel dashboard to monitor performance regressions.

**Viral Nation** | Software Developer

Toronto | Jan 2023 – April 2023

- **Integrated over 50 AI content creation tools** via REST APIs for a responsive TechLabs platform and maintained stability across three web projects during fast-paced sprints.

**OANDA** | React Native Software Developer

Toronto | Sept 2021 – Aug 2022

- **Developed an assets holding list for forex and crypto services** using React Native, TypeScript, and Apollo GraphQL currently used by global customers.
- **Optimized front-end data propagation** by building custom Apollo GraphQL queries and ensured high reliability through JEST test coverage across three trading platforms.

**OpenText** | Software Developer

Waterloo | Jan 2021 – April 2021

- **Engineered a search query for the OpenText CSS library** and implemented a dynamic folder widget using Angular and Sass, both adopted for internal use.

## Projects

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**Reciplan** | AI-Driven Recipe Extraction Platform

Front-end | Back-end

- **Architected a multi-layered Android application** utilizing a Pipe-and-Filter processing pipeline to transform TikTok video URLs into structured recipe data.
- **Engineered a 6-stage extraction pipeline** by integrating OpenAI Whisper, GPT-4, and PaddleOCR to achieve high-accuracy data structuring from raw multimedia inputs.
- **Developed a responsive UI with Kotlin and ViewModels** while optimizing an "Offline-first" architecture using Room DB to deliver search results in under 500ms.

**Music Submission Platform** | Next.js Developer

[github.com/automated-dev/saucemafia](https://github.com/automated-dev/saucemafia)

- Developed a web platform using Next.js and Google Cloud for music producers to manage accounts and automate music file submissions via Stripe API.

## Skills

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**Languages:** C++, JavaScript, TypeScript, CSS, HTML, Java, Python, Swift, Kotlin

**Frameworks/Tools:** React, React Native, Angular, Node.js, Next.js, Apollo GraphQL, Git, JEST, Sass

**Platforms/Databases:** AWS, Google Cloud, Firebase, Supabase, MongoDB, PostgreSQL, Room DB