

# Kelvin Jiang

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## SKILLS

- **Languages:** Java, Python, C/C++, Scala, HTML/CSS, Javascript, XML
- **Frameworks and APIs:** PLAY for Java/Scala, JQuery, Bootstrap
- **Tools:** Vim, Git/Mercurial, PostgreSQL, IntelliJ IDEA, Eclipse, YourKit Java Profiler, Apache JMeter

## EXPERIENCE

### Developer – Visier Inc.

Jan. 2015 – Apr. 2015

Vancouver, BC

- Improved Java server performance by caching the rows used in calculations for client provided data filters which reduced HTTP request times by 46%
- Extended the server calculation engine to support calculations involving multiple currency codes for app localization
- Implemented metadata generation within the server calculation engine for zero and null data values
- Added client-side functionality to hide data points on graphs in a single click

### Developer – Visier Inc.

May. 2014 – Aug. 2014

Vancouver, BC

- Led the development of an automated tool that builds and sends email reports to customers containing business data pulled from the server built using Scala's PLAY template
- Reduced server initialization time by 30% by using topological sorting to remove invalid calculated values stored in tables
- Fixed bugs and refactored code in Java/Scala backend and Actionscript/Flex frontend

## PROJECTS

### Quadtree simulator

2014

- A web app that simulates efficient collision detection between large amounts of objects using QuadTrees

### 2048-tris

2014

- A fusion of 2048 and Tetris built in 24 hours using JavaScript for the HackWaterloo hackathon

### GraviSim

2014

- A gravity simulator with a custom Python physics engine with PyGame used for graphics

### Scribbler 2 Robot Project

2013

- Programmed a robot to autonomously navigate a maze using Python

### Open Defence

2013

- A game similar to Tower Defence programmed in Java with enemies that can attack towers

## AWARDS AND ACHIEVEMENTS

### Most functional hack – 2048-tris at HackWaterloo

2014

### Certificate of Distinction – Canadian Computing Competition

2013

### Top 30 in Canada – Euclid Mathematics Contest

2013

### Finalist – University of Toronto Chemistry and Physics provincials

2013

## EDUCATION

### Candidate for Bachelor of Software Engineering

Sep. 2013 – Apr. 2018 (expected)

University of Waterloo, Waterloo, ON

- Dean's honour list (Fall 2013)

## INTERESTS

Hackathons, game design, mathematics, piano, music composition, skiing, gaming