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### **Education**

Grade Point Average: 3.9/4.0

## Polytechnic Institute of New York University

New York

M.Sc., Computer Science

2011 - 2013

Relevant courses: Operating System, Algorithm, Computer Architecture, Artificial Intelligence,
Machine Learning, Interactive Computer Graphics, Big Data Analysis and Management etc.

# Singapore Management University

Singapore

B.Sc., 1<sup>st</sup> major Info. Sys. Management; 2<sup>nd</sup> major Advanced Business Solutions

2006 - 2010

 Relevant courses: Enterprise Web Solution, Database Management, Computer Networks, Information Security, Enterprise Information System, etc.

### Skills

Familiar with: C, Python, PHP, Java, SQL

Basic Familiarity in: VB, C#, Objective-C, ActionScript, JavaScript, HTML, CSS, MATLAB, IATEX,

Common LISP

Operating Systems: Linux (Debian, Ubuntu, OpenSUSE), Mac OS, Windows

## **Projects**

NewsFlashed.com NewsFlashed Inc.

Designed the architecture, implemented a API crawler, and machine learning algorithms

2012

- Description: Collecting and analysing user's interests for personalized news recommendation
- Technology: PHP, Python, C, node.js, mongoDB, MySQL, WordPress, Amazon EC2 and S3, etc.

Ponon! Artlans

Designed the game storyline and developed twitter integration part

2010

- Description: Create a block falling game for iPhone / iPod Touch / iPad
- Technology: Objective-C, iOS API, Twitter API, etc.

Terrapin SMU IS Department

Developed the automation script, Ajax, and Mantis integration

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- Description: Integrate the version controlling, bug tracker, and peer grouping and evaluation systems for auto course preparation
- Technology: Java, PHP, MySQL, bash, Apache, JavaScript, SVN, Mantis, etc.

Xport Xtreme Coding 2008 Competition

UI designer and developer

2008

- Description: Develop a Adobe AIR app for extreme sports devotees to share videos, communicate, and plan events online
- Technology: Java, MySQL, Adobe AIR, Google Map API, Apache, etc.

BVL 2.0 Standard Chartered Bank

Improved the business process and implemented the new design with the team

2008

- Description: Build a internal knowledge sharing system for Standard Chartered Bank
- Technology: Microsoft SharePoint, C#, .Net AJAX framework, JavaScript, etc.

ezVET Pets Lover Club

Implemented backend logic and the frontend for both desktop and mobile platform

2007

- Description: Build a platform providing a better solution for veterinarians to schedule and cooperate to serve their customers
- Technology: Java, MySQL, JavaScript, Google Gear and Map APIs, Android, SMS Web Service, etc.

## **Pet Projects**

iOS Infophile

in progress, not released yet

2012

- Description: A iOS App and service for better personalized information retrieval.
- Technology: Objective-C, Python, Cassandra, Nginx

### Unix as IDE in Chinese

Sphinx

Open Source

2012

- Description: Translation of a serial of article about using Unix as IDE.
- Technology: Sphinx
- URL: https://github.com/ConanChou/Unix-as-IDE-Chinese-

wp-dropcaps Wordpress Open Source 2011

- Description: A plugin for Wordpress to make drop-cap effect in the post.
- Technology: PHP, CSS
- URL: http://wordpress.org/extend/plugins/wp-dropcaps/

rt2xTwitter  $Open\ Source$ 2010

- Description: A plugin for TweetNest to forward tweets to other SNS like renren, sina, fanfou, renjian, and zuosha.
- Technology: PHP, MySQL
- URL: https://github.com/ConanChou/tweetnest-with-rt2x

### Work Experience

Lead developer and Architecture Designer (Inter	rn) NewsFlashed Inc., US
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in charge of architecture design, crawler, and machine learning algorithms

Research Assistant on Cloud Security

SMU, Singapore

in charge of the experiments implementation and data analysis

2010

2012

- Project Paper: On Trustworthiness of CPU Usage Metering and Accounting

### in charge of Research and Development

Artlans, China

2009 - 2010

Teaching Assistant of course Enterprise Web Solution in charge of the lab session

SMU, Singapore 2009

System Developer (Intern) in charge of the feature implementation Standard Chartered Bank Regional HQ, Singapore

IT Administrator (Part-time)

Chief Technology Officer

Success Human Resource Center Pte Ltd, Singapore

IT support and business solution consultant

2007

### **Awards**

CS Department Scholarship 2011, 2012 Lee Kuan Yew Global Business Plan Competition the 4<sup>th</sup> Place 2008 China the 6<sup>th</sup> Challenge Cup Silver Award 2008