Matt D'Souza

Skills

- o Fluent in Python, OCaml, Java, C++, Scala, Ruby, SQL
- o Passionate about compilers, programming languages, and databases
- o Broad range of experience in backend, infrastructure, data, and full-stack engineering

Experience

Jan-Apr 2019 Software Engineering Intern | Facebook | Menlo Park, California

- o Built a more reliable and robust VSCode extension for Pyre, Facebook's Python typechecker
- o Reduced Pyre's startup time by as much as a factor of 8 using a more efficient build process
- o Improved support for incremental changes, allowing Pyre to process new & changed files incrementally

May-Aug 2018 Software Engineering Intern | Snowflake Computing | San Mateo, California

- o Implemented compiler and client support for multi-statement query execution
- o Optimized SQL client's handling of array binds to protect the database from degraded performance
- o Created a UDF to automatically parse and infer the file format and schema of CSV files
- o Improved SQL client telemetry to support real-time client monitoring and troubleshooting

Sep-Dec 2017 Relevancy Engineering Intern | Wish | Toronto, Ontario

- o Reduced the time to build product image similarity graph from 20 hours to 30 minutes
- o Developed a versioning scheme for Redis to enable simultaneous data updates across all Redis nodes
- o Implemented backup, restore, and monitoring of graph databases using AWS and Prometheus
- o Created a system to monitor changes in the performance of machine learning models

Jan-Apr 2017 Data Platform Engineering Intern | Shopify | Toronto, Ontario

- o Built and maintained connectors to extract data from Google Cloud databases and third-party APIs
- o Reduced overlap between incremental extraction jobs by 95% after using Spark to investigate late-arriving data from historical logs
- o Automated environment setup and project build process to improve developer efficiency

May-Aug 2016 **Software Engineering Intern** | *Veeva Systems* | Toronto, Ontario

- o Built a service to asynchronously batch and publish backend metrics to Google Analytics
- o Spearheaded a rewrite of the application's breadcrumb navigation system

Projects

2018 **Tiger Compiler** | **O** DSouzaM/OCaml-Tiger

OCaml implementation of the Tiger language

2017 **Language Analysis** | **O** DSouzaM/LanguageAnalysis

Investigating programming language use-cases by scraping and clustering keywords from GitHub repositories

Education

2015–2020 Candidate for Bachelor of Software Engineering, 4.0 GPA | University of Waterloo

o Undergraduate Research Assistant (2016): Experimented with Bazel and Java 9 compatibility for the Checker Framework, an annotation-based type-checking framework

Interests

- o Court & beach volleyball
- o Acoustic guitar, electric keyboard
- o Programming language design and implementation