

# David Thong Nguyen

# Software Product Engineer

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### Summary

Driven software product engineer, with experience in fast-paced environments and ability to work independently or with a team.

Interested in developing meaningful human-computer interactions on any platforms.

### Education

Rochester Institute of Technology B.S. Software Engineering 2018

Focus: Software Usability, Psychology GPA: 3.26

## **Skills**

**FRONTEND TECH**: Angular\*, RxJS, React, JavaScript, TypeScript, SCSS, Animation

BACKEND TECH: Node, Java, C#, GraphQL

DATABASE: MongoDB/NoSQL, SQL

PLATFORMS: Google Cloud Platform,

Heroku, Slack Apps, Wordpress

**SYSTEM**: GitHub version control, Linux command line

**ENGINEERING**: Scrum/Agile lead\*, UML architecture design, usability testing

FAVORITE TOOLS: Trello\*, Slack, Toggl

(\*): key skills

## **Key Projects**

#### AlgoVisuo - Demo | GitHub

An algorithm visualizer, inspired by Clement Mihailescu (CEO of AlgoExpert). The project serves as a mean to review data structures and algorithms, as well as to further knowledge of reactive programming with RxJS. Previously implemented popular sorting algorithms and currently making Dijkstra and A\* pathfinding visualizer.

#### QuizWhizz - Demo | GitHub

Hyper-casual math game, in which problems and questions are produced by reverse engineering any randomly-generated integer values. Each question and answer is sent from and re-solved by the server in real time to ensure the integrity of user requests. Developed as an internship challenge to showcase creativity and execution.

#### Chess Game - GitHub

Game of chess served as a medium to learn real-time multiplayer game development on the web. Experimented GraphQL Subscriptions and Firebase Realtime Database to maintain connections game session. Developed with security and performance tradeoffs in mind.

#### Airline-Seat Styled Room Selection (sponsored by StarRez) - Website

Informative dorm room selection app, where students can easily interact with the canvas-based, admin-provided floor plan and find their dream room. As main duty, decoupled ASP.NET's inefficient MVC by leveraging Angular's performant asynchronous and two-way binding features. Led team as Scrum Master for this capstone project sponsored by StarRez, a world-leader in student housing solutions.

## **Employment**

MARCH 2019 - PRESENT

#### Globalinx LLC (Hillside Farms), CA - Software Engineer Intern

Renovating legacy sites for 3 brands of pet treats manufactured and sold by the company. Building a functional product catalogue for the Private Label sector.

AUGUST 2016 - MAY 2017

#### Fancy Pants Group, NY - Web Development Intern

Spearheaded an API-aggregation software - Job The Builder (featured in this <u>blog</u>) - which consistently streamlined the project startup process for Creative Producers. The result was an 83% of startup time saved per project.

MAY 2016 - AUGUST 2016

#### Undergraduate Admissions Office at RIT, NY - Web Development Intern

Unified designs for a news aggregator that would appear on the University's homepage. Completely renovated the Undergraduate office's homepage.

## **Volunteering**

MAY 2018 - AUGUST 2018

#### **VATO E-Commerce Corporation, Vietnam**

Joined the Board of Directors to discuss technological strategies - regarding the ride-hailing app in the short term and its e-commerce ecosystem in the long term. Developed a private authentication server to cut company expenses on Google Firebase.