EDUCATION

University of California, Irvine - Irvine, CA

BS, Informatics, Human-Computer Interaction

BA, Business Economics

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

California Thrift Store - Irvine, CA

Consultant Dec 2023 - Present

California Thrift Store is a small business retailer that specializes in selling second-hand items at affordable prices. A staple in its community for over a decade, leaning into the allure of sustainability and hidden treasures.

- Built an online ecommerce presence, achieving a 5% lift in quarterly sales revenue.
- Optimized SEO for the flagship Shopify website, leading to a 25% increase in organic traffic, and 2000% increase in impressions.
- Pared down product listing efforts by 16 hours per 100 products by automating listings across multiple digital media channels.
- Drove a 150% increase in web traffic through social media ad campaigns, adjusting content based on performance analytics.
- Leveraged Shopify's measurement/analytics solutions to revamp website content, resulting in a 2% boost in conversions.

Capital Group - Irvine, CA

Product Manager II Apr 2023 - Dec 2023

Capital Group is a multinational investment management firm with over \$2.5T assets under management, on a mission to improve people's lives through successful investing. Ownership of multiple web-based productivity and data technology products.

- Managed roadmap driven feature launches of a data governance platform used for 400+ portfolio managers and executives.
- Directed rollout of an enterprise calendar web application, improving scheduling for 9000+ associates and supporting global analytics stakeholders across HR, Operations and Engineering teams.
- Guided 5 engineers on web development using .NET, AngularJS, SQL, and cloud-based solutions like Jira and Bitbucket.
- Established stronger development practices for team to improve collaboration and product quality, including clear documentation, timeline estimates, Agile development, "no-meeting Fridays", and regular bug triaging.

Product Manager Aug 2021 - Apr 2023

Led product initiatives within Global Business Services IT department to bolster talent development, KPI collection, and product analytics practices. Directed outsourced development teams and evangelized solutions to internal cross-functional stakeholders.

- Launched data platform from 0-1 to consolidate multiple HRIS data sources, yielding annual savings of \$750K+.
- Improved 360 review satisfaction rates by 30% by successfully integrating a 3rd-party SaaS, which strengthened data instrumentation techniques through surveys and questionnaires.
- Contributed to all phases of implementation, including requirements gathering, technical specifications, biweekly demos, quality
 assurance and user acceptance testing.
- Engineered automated Alteryx workflows to fortify quality assurance and data consistency, resulting in 99% data accuracy.

LEADERSHIP EXPERIENCE

Siliconian Showdown - Irvine, CA

Founder - https://siliconianshowdown.com

Jul 2021 - Present

Jun 2021

Siliconian Showdown is a web-based monster battling massive multiplayer online video game which has drawn over 700 registered players and hosted over 2000 battles worldwide. Self-taught in web development technologies and methodologies.

- Founded and grew an international online community to 350+ members in 6 months.
- Created combat system using WebM file playback technology, leading to a 30% uptick in monthly battles.
- Designed and incorporated a single-player AI bot, leading to 30% more games played on average per user session.
- Collaborated with 3 community volunteers turned team-members to organize polls, surveys, and events.
- Developed website using ReactJS, NodeJS, ExpressJS, NextJS, Typescript, Socket.IO, Python, MongoDB, NGINX, Linux, SSL, JWT,
 CLI, PM2, and Github.

TECHNICAL SKILLS

- Languages: Java, Python, JavaScript, TypeScript, HTML5, CSS3
- Web Technologies / Frameworks: .NET, AngularJS, ReactJS, NodeJS, ExpressJS, NextJS, Socket.IO, REST API, Agile, Scrum
- Developer Tools / Databases: SQL, MongoDB, Git, Jira, Confluence, VS Code, Figma, Axure, Alteryx, ChatGPT, Canva