## WORK EXPERIENCE

#### **Google Stadia**

Staff Software Developer, Toronto, 02/2017 - present

- Technologies: Java, C++, Go, JavaScript, etc.
- Overall TL for team of 6 developers improving Stadia's developer tools.
- Identified product gaps, proposed features, demonstrated value, and got buy in for Stadia's cloud-first developer features.
- Led 35 person summit; drove cross-team collaboration and buy-in for new features.
- Introduced agile sprint planning process and drove adoption for team.
- Full stack development to add features, scale, and monitor the service.

#### **Google Fiber**

Senior Software Developer, Toronto, 04/2015 - 02/2017

- **Technologies:** Java, C++, Go, JavaScript, etc.
- Architected and implemented infrastructure to support porting phone numbers.
- Designed OAuth-based authentication method for Fiber, Google Home, and Google Voice devices.
- Added support for NAT traversal to legacy infrastructure

#### Upverter

Software Developer, Toronto, 09/2013 - 04/2015

- Technologies: Python, JavaScript, Google Closure, Git
- Built and optimized frontend and backend operations
- Researched and Implemented 2D polygon intersection for PCB flood algorithm.
- Designed and implemented first-user tutorials to ensure smooth onboarding.

#### **Walk Score**

**Software Developer**, Seattle, 09/2012 - 12/2012

- Technologies: Python, SQLAlchemy, Flask, JavaScript, jQuery mobile, Git
- Extended and refactored back-end data imports to improve data quality, storage model, reduce duplication, and to
  ensure scalability.
- · Full stack implementation of mobile website; numerous features on desktop website.

## **Mozilla Corporation**

Software Developer: Release Engineering, Toronto, 01/2012 - 04/2012

- Technologies: Python, Flask, SqlAlchemy, jQuery, Git, Mercurial
- Excelled as a member of a globally distributed team, automating and simplifying the release process for Mozilla's Firefox and Thunderbird.
- Designed and Implemented the web-based interface for Mozilla's new update server.
- Extended signing infrastructure to automate digital signing of builds on OSX and facilitate the transition to OSX 10.8 for Firefox.

## **Side Effects Software**

**3D Software Developer**, Toronto, 05/2011 - 08/2011

- Technologies: C++, SVN
- Research and Development on the flagship 3D Modelling product: Houdini.
- Collaborated with teammates to design and implement a performance monitor.
- Implemented low level hooks to monitor work done by individual threads, stored performance data for efficient retrieval and generated and rendered visualizations of performance information.

#### **Behaviour Interactive (previously Artificial Mind and Movement)**

Game Developer, Montreal, 01/2010 - 04/2010 and 09/2010 - 12/2010

- Technologies: C++, LUA, PS3 and X360 SDKs and APIs, Perforce
- Debugged and redesigned features in the stabilization stage of the video game NaughtyBear within weekly product submission deadlines.
- Refactored and improved existing code and designed and implemented new features in early development stages.
- Corrected and improved highly critical issues in many aspects of the game, notably the HUD, audio support, menu flow, and gameplay.
- Interacted with audio and game designers to arrive at the best solution within constraints such as time available, existing code and specification.

## **E**DUCATION

**Bachelor of Mathematics, Computer Science, Co-op Program.** 

University of Waterloo, Waterloo, ON, 09/2008-08/2013

### **B**uzzwords

• Languages: C++, Java, Go, TypeScript, Python, Javascript, C

- Version Control: Git, Mercurial, SVN, CVS, Perforce
- Platforms: Linux, OS X, Windows

# OTHER PROJECTS

# **Maze Generator and Visualizer**

- Visualizer for a variety of Maze generating and solving algorithms, implemented using Javascript and HTML Canvas.
   Demo available at www.erickdransch.com/maze and source at www.github.com/EkkiD.

## Project Neutral, Toronto, Ontario

- Carbon Footprint Calculator (www.projectneutral.org)
   Developed mechanism for testing updates to emissions factors and calculations.