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SKILLS C C++ Objective-C Ansible Bourne-Shell Ruby Python Java Lua

LATEX Emacs-lisp Haskell Scheme Matlab

ToastMasters

EDUCATION

Texas A&M University College Station Texas USA

May 2017

Bachelor of Science in Computer Engineering, Computer Science Track

EXPERIENCE

Groupon Palo Alto California USA

June 2016 - Present

FreeBSD ZFS MySQL Postgres Poudriere R Ansible Shell

- Systems Engineering intern at Groupon working with FreeBSD-based database hosts.
- Devised method of mirroring upstream packages with pkgng team members.
- Benchmarking produced significant (8-10x) performance increase in MySQL setups.
- Created automated OS install image building process for automating regression tests.
- Work with external consultant (iXsystems) to update host provisioning system

SELECTED **PROJECTS**

Click-Bait Blocker

Google Chrome Javascript convnetJS HTML CSS

- Google Chrome extension to block "Click Bait", or pointless articles
- Blocks posts on Facebook and tweets on Twitter
- ConvNetJS in-browser neural nets are used for classification
- A supervised neural net is trained with RSS feeds and Amazon Mechanical Turk

MythNAS

FreeBSD/NAS/pfSense Mac OS X MythTV MySQL ffmpeg OpenSSH rsync

- Use TV tuners together in a custom DVR with 8 simultaneous 1080i recordings
- Launchd scripts are used to tunnel out from the client to nearest mirror
- Use ffmpeg and MythTV perl API to cut commercials out of TV shows
- rsync syncs remote laptop and DVR if network connectivity is available
- Make use of VPS in New York, New York and Frankfurt, Germany as mirrors
- Usage locations include Yuzhno-Sakhalinsk, Russia; Basra, Iraq; Dubai, UAE

iTerm2 Badge Mod github.com/gwydirsam/iTerm2-Mod Objective-C

• Submitted Pull Request to iTerm2 Author (now issue #3508)

emacs-mac-borderless github.com/gwydirsam/emacs-mac-borderless Objective-C Emacs-Lisp

- Removed normal OS X cocoa border to match iTerm2's "no title bar" option
- Fixed bug where window did not respond to mouse clicks

Spacemacs qithub.com/syl20bnr/spacemacs

Emacs-Lisp Ruby

• Several small bug fixes and issues submitted

Github github.com/gwydirsam