# Jason Vu

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## Education

## Santa Clara University

Santa Clara, CA, USA

Bachelors of Science in Web Design and Engineering

Expected June 2024

- Major GPA: 3.7/4.0
- School Involvements: SCU ACM, SCU Media Lab, SCU Human-Computer Interaction Lab, Mentor Collective
- Relevant Coursework: Abstract Data Structures and Types, Computer Science 1: Intro to Program Structures, Logic Design, Community-Based Engineering Design, Web Technologies, Web Usability, Web Development

## Experience

## **Undergraduate Lab Research Assistant and Mentor**

June 2021 - Present

Santa Clara University Media Lab

Santa Clara, CA, USA

- Taught students Python/JS data collection with APIs to sentimentally analyze 6.6k+ Reddit/Twitter/TikTok posts
- Use Jupyter Notebook to obtain/train/group dataset of 13k+ tweets from controversial game community hashtags

#### Web Content Management Intern

September 2018 - May 2019

VMware, Inc.

Palo Alto, CA, USA

- Built real-time portal deliverable with **VMware's VMVault content management system** outlining the Global Sales Department's key initiatives, vision, scope, recent accomplishments, solidfying reputation with their partners
- Wireframed and implemented site banners, tabs, and meeting minutes for 9 department profiles with HTML/CSS
- Consulted/interviewed internal business stakeholders and opened IT tickets to troubleshoot ad-hoc site issues

## **Projects**

College Discord Network (GitHub) | HTML/CSS/JS, Node JS, TypeScript, Deno, DigitalOcean, Cloudflare, Nginx

- Administered online forum helping 1,100+ students, 35+ clubs; made publicly discoverable on Discord platform
- Automated verification system via chatbot to save 52 hours of manual authentication for over 95% of students
- Deployed REST web service with OAuth for members to select 140+ college roles, staying below Discord rate limit
- Hosted with DigitalOcean and remote-proxied with Nginx to handle backend requests from Cloudflare domain
- Devised help desk system with Quick.db database, logging 130+ ticket interactions from server members

## **Undergrad Engineering Courseload Optimizer** (GitHub) | Python, CourseAvail API

- Extracted metadata from school API yielding 2,180+ courses fulfilling core curriculum for impacted engineer majors
- Conducted information retrieval of 4,970% more course options against outdated university data from 2 years ago

#### College Admissions Calculator (GitHub) | Vue JS, Bulma CSS, Python, Google App Engine

- Developed search-indexed web app gauging overall admissions into local college with 11ms request/response time
- Utilized Selenium to scrape eligibility requirement thresholds for 130+ majors into comprehensive table
- Decreased load times by 62%, page size by 78%, and HTTP requests by 92% against original college site

# Twitter RSS Feed Scraper (GitHub) | Node JS

- Scripted command-line app allowing users to scrape XML feeds from Nitter as Twitter no longer hosts RSS feed
- Avoided ads, prevented IP/JavaScript fingerprint tracking, and stayed below 60RPS Twitter API rate limit

#### Personal Portfolio Pipeline (Github) | React JS, Bootstrap CSS, LaTeX, GitHub Actions

Leveraged GitHub Actions CI pipeline to auto-deploy my resume and portfolio on commits with Git version control

## **Awards**

#### 1st Place Proficient Level Prize Winner | ACM Summer Challenge 2022

• Presented/demoed live, **scalable O(n)**, user-friendly <u>solution</u> to 30+ club members and board to safeguard millions of college **Discord communities**, highly scoring in aspects of tech, polish, innovativeness, and project completeness

#### Technical Skills

Programming Languages: HTML/CSS, JavaScript, TypeScript, Python, PHP

**Frameworks/Libraries**: Vue JS, Flask, Bootstrap CSS, React JS, Selenium Webdriver **Technologies**: Node JS, Linux/Unix, REST APIs, GitHub, OAuth 2.0, Databases, CMS

DevOps: Git, GitHub Actions, Snyk, Codacy, CI/CD, Google Cloud Platform, DigitalOcean, Cloudflare