

# Tyler Will

## Data-Focused Software Engineer

**SUMMARY:** Software Engineer with 3+ years of experience working with high-volume vehicle performance data, system validation, and backend infrastructure for NASCAR. Experienced in SQL, REST APIs, and Azure cloud services. Built internal tooling, notification systems, and custom logging pipelines to support QA and data integrity across engineering teams. Passionate about data accuracy, technical collaboration, and building systems that help teams analyze, trust, and act on data effectively .

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## WORK EXPERIENCE

### Frontend Software Developer Self-Employed

01/2025 - Present

Austin, Texas

*Achievements/Tasks*

- Developed scalable React applications and custom React components, enhancing UI/UX for clients
- Optimized web performance by implementing efficient state management and reducing latency and increasing efficiency
- Integrated RESTful APIs and third-party services, improving backend communication and data handling

### Full-Stack Software Developer General Motors - Motorsports

09/2022 - 10/2024

Austin, Texas

*Achievements/Tasks*

- Collaborated with Race Vehicle Engineers (RVE) to integrate massive sensor datasets via APIs into a custom Electron-based desktop simulation app
- Validated telemetry and sensor data across front-end views and backend services
- Worked with SQL and LiteDB to query, store, and manage simulation data; collaborated with race engineers to ensure accurate dataset representation across scenarios
- Designed and built a notification system using Grafana, Azure, and C# to monitor data flows and system health

### Software Engineer - Quality Assurance General Motors - Manufacturing

06/2021 - 09/2022

Austin, Texas

*Job Duties*

- Designed and authored comprehensive documentation to enhance knowledge transfer and software maintainability
- Reported data defects, documented results, and worked to ensure validated business logic and data flow accuracy
- Led test automation for critical manufacturing applications across 80+ facilities globally, improving test coverage

## EDUCATION

### Bachelor of Science - Computer Science Colorado State University

02/2019 - 07/2021

3.5 GPA

## TECHNICAL SKILLS

### Data/Infrastructure

SQL, Azure Storage, Azure DevOps, LiteDB, Grafana

### Languages

C#, JavaScript, TypeScript

### Frontend

React, Electron, Material UI

### Backend

REST APIs, Node.js

### QA/Support

Custom logging (C#), Manual testing, Jira

### Soft Skills

Cross-functional collaboration, Mentorship, Technical documentation

## ACHIEVEMENTS

### Backend Service Optimizations

*Boosted simulation performance by 86% through backend data processing improvements and optimized telemetry input handling*

### Grafana-Based Notification System for Azure Data Pipelines

*Designed and implemented a real-time notification system using Grafana , Azure storage containers , and custom C# logging to monitor race simulation data flows*

### Refactored Shared Components

*Increased maintainability and UI consistency by converting core elements to stateless Material-UI components*

### UI Overhaul with React Grid System

*Reduced frontend latency by 40% by implementing a React-based Material-UI Grid system for a cleaner, faster interface*

## KEY PROJECTS

### Echo Drift (09/2024 - Present)

- Implemented pathfinding algorithms and enemy AI behavior using Finite State Machines (FSMs) for a stealth-based game with custom echo shader mechanics

### OverViu (03/2025 - Present)

- A custom React library built using TypeScript, React, Babel, and Material UI. Allows users to import the library, wrap their frontend components, and view a popup displaying the component's logic