

# KEN GARBER

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## SKILLS

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**Languages:** Python, Java, Javascript / Node.js, Go, C++, Clojure

**Experience:** Docker, GraphQL, Microservices, SQL, NoSQL, RabbitMQ, Redis, React, Linux, Pub/Sub

**Interests:** Distributed Systems, Big Data, Full Stack Web Apps

**Other:** Fluent in English, Russian; Proficient in Spanish

## EDUCATION

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**Boston University College of Arts and Sciences**

Boston, MA

Bachelor's Degree – Computer Science – 3.97 GPA

May 2019

## RELATED EXPERIENCE

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**Facebook, Software Engineer**

Sep 2019 – Present

- Built on-prem agent for network device management in C++ with a Docker deployment.
- Architected a microservices-based architecture with a GraphQL backend.
- Designed end to end platform for network management.

**Facebook, Software Engineer Intern**

Aug 2018 – Nov 2018

- Contributed to a distributed queue service with billions of jobs per day in C++.
- Wrote queue administration scripts in Python.
- Designed and implemented throttled bulk deletion feature.

**Investment Technology Group, Software Engineer Intern**

Jun 2018 – Aug 2018

- Built messaging service in C++ with a Pub/Sub API.
- Interfaced with high performance C++ messaging middleware.
- Focused on effective library usage, cross platform compilation, and technical specification.

**Hariri Institute at Boston University, Software Engineer Intern**

Jun 2017 – Aug 2017

- Utilized Apache Spark on 6 terabyte economics dataset analysis.
- Sped up search queries over 2000% using a Spark Cluster.

**Biomedical Engineering Research Laboratory at BU, Software Engineer**

Feb 2017 – May 2017

- Built streaming API for biological sensor data.
- Created Cloud UI for viewing and sharing experiment data.
- Visualized experiment results in the cloud with D3.js.
- Implemented caching and fault tolerance for important data.

**RSM, Programming Teacher**

Mar 2016 – Jul 2016

**aPriori Technologies, IT Intern**

Summer 2014, 2015

## OTHER PROJECTS

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- **Big Data** – search a set of over 100,000 resumes by skills using big data algorithms from the FLANN library (Fast Library for Approximate Nearest Neighbors).
- **Web sockets** – Online multiplayer game using Node.js and socket.io.
- **Messaging software** – transmit text messages using audible sound playback (won 3<sup>rd</sup> place).
- **Algorithms** – physics simulation, enciphering messages, solving Sudoku, computer-generated art.
- **Organizer of BostonHacks** – 350 person Boston hackathon (2017 and 2018).