Kenneth Wong

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EDUCATION

West Lafayette, IN

Purdue University

Aug 2019 - May 2023

- Major: Computer Engineering, B.S.C (GPA: 3.96)
- Minor: Computer Network and Information Technology
- **Semester Honors** (8/8) Semesters **Dean's List** (8/8) Semesters
- Programming Coursework: Algorithms and Data Structures, Networking, OOPs, Systems Design, OS

SKILLS

Programming Languages: Python, Javascript, C, GO, SQL, HTML, CSS

Frameworks: ReactJS, NodeJS, Flask, Svelte, Express, SQLAlchemy

Tech: RestAPI, Git, Linux, PostGreSQL, MongoDB, Google Analytics, VSCode, AWS S3, Docker, Postman, PyTorch

Language Competency: English, Cantonese, Mandarin, Spanish

EMPLOYMENT

Software Engineer, Intern

TikTok Inc.

May 2021 - Aug 2022

- Improved efficiency and transcoding latency of video processing workflow by 35% by implementing a serverless function that optimizes RPC calls made in transcoding workflow.
- Reduced 5x unnecessary downstream traffic RPC calls to a core service by improving code quality of microservices.
- Estimated to increase JSON parsing speed by 60% by migrated existing JSON parsing library to Sonic.
- Migrated backend of company internal application "BuddyTok" to flask, connected services to external APIs.
- Built own CI/CD pipeline for intern project for rapid deployment of serverless function to production.

Software Engineer

Merck

Aug 2021 - July 2022

- Solved a double labelling issue within Merck facilities by developing a web application that has an inhouse qr-code generator and qr-code scanning function for test vile and test sample lookup.
- Designed a platform for scientists to batch upload .csv files containing legacy sample data and parse it and store into AWS S3 and pipeline files through databricks for data visualization.
- Increased scientists sample labelling efficiency by 50% within Merck Facilities through the web application.
- Integrated AWS PostGreSQL as RDS and AWS S3 bucket for data redundancy of csv files and forum inputs.
- Containerized application with docker and deployed it on a kubernetes orchestrator.

Software Developer, Part-time

Purdue Agriculture

Oct 2021 - Nov 2021

- Used Svelte, Typescript and Tailwind css to build front-end of web application.
- Fixed bugs related to site navigation to provide farmers a smoother user experience.

Web Developer, Intern

Alco Holdings Limited

Jun 2021 - Jul 2021

- Utilized NodeJS, ReactJS, HTML, CSS, Javascript to create companies' websites to display latest products.
- Daily standups with CEO and marketing team to ensure website encapsulates the goal of the product.
- Scheduled meetings with graphics design team to retrieve graphics and logos to implement on the website.

RELATED EXPERIENCES/ PROJECTS

Full-Stack BootCamp - Deep dive into Modern Web Development

- Exercised Token Authentication with JWT and Bcrypt for secure user authentication.
- Created full-stack web application chat website using socket.io and the MERN stack.