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EXPERIENCE

NIWC, Naval Information Warfare Center Charleston SC, Software Engineer, TS/SCI Security Clearance May 2018 – Present

- Built multiple ETL pipelines in Clojure/Java for our data analytics service that used Natural Language Processing libraries to extract information from unstructured text-based data sources.
- Implemented A/B testing for machine learning models on our generalized recommender system. Built methods to compute the AUC score, f1 score, precision, and recall for information retrieval metrics.
- Ran IA scans using static code analysis tools to identify and fix vulnerabilities in project applications.
- Designed and implemented Java APIs to serve data from a client's external SQL and Mongo datastores to our recommender system.
- Designed and implemented Java APIs for our data analytics service resulting in maximum throughput for a client and a reduction of a VM on their virtualized system.
- Iteratively improved build and deployment pipelines within Jenkins CI/CD.
- Addressed regular production bugs and improvements in project applications utilizing Jenkins CI/CD to deliver results.
- Designed applications to be performant within a disconnected, Intermittent, limited bandwidth environment.
- Designed and implemented a containerized data science lab using docker and docker-compose for teaching upcoming marine analysts under MOS 2659.

Euterpe Solutions LLC Freelance Work July 2018 – Present

- Created a WordPress website for a client showcasing artwork for sale with a WooCommerce plugin.
- Created a WordPress website for a client's historical restoration, architecture, and construction company.
- Created an improved backend dashboard/administrative system for a homeschool accountability association using PHP, MySQL, HTML, JS, and CSS deployed on AWS.

Center for Digital Humanities, University of South Carolina Columbia, SC Software Development Intern September 2016 – April 2018

• Designed, developed, and updated websites for the Center for Digital Humanities using Django and the MEAN stack.

Naval Information Warfare Center Charleston, SC Security Engineering Intern, Software Engineering Intern, Data Engineer Intern May 2015 – August 2017

EDUCATION

UNIVERSITY OF SOUTH CAROLINA, SCHOOL OF ENGINEERING AND COMPUTING Columbia, SC Bachelor of Science in Computer Science May 2018

CERTIFICATES

Machine Learning by Stanford University and offered through Coursera **Openshift Beginner** by KodeKloud Training and offered through Udemy

PROJECTS

Quantify - A simplified Mint clone using GoLang, ReactJs, Firestore, and GCP. Sign-in using GCP identity platform, sandbox financial data using Plaid API. Code hosted on bitbucket with a Jenkins CI/CD pipeline on GCP.

cli-gdrive-downloader - (open source) Minimal clojure utility to download shared compressed files from Google Drive.

clj-lexrank - (open source) Clojure LexRank implementation for extractive document summarization.

SKILLS

PROGRAMMING LANGUAGES – Clojure, Java, Python, Golang, ReactJS, JS, HTML, CSS, PHP, Angular, C/C++ SOFTWARE – JetBrains IDE (PyCharm, Intellij), VsCode, Git, Atlassian Suite, Jenkins, Nexus Repository, VirtualBox, VMWare OPERATING SYSTEMS – CentOS, Ubuntu, Arch, Gentoo, Windows DATABASES – MySQL, Mongo

CLOUD COMPUTING - Amazon Web Services, Google Cloud Platform

CONTAINERIZATION TOOLS – Docker, docker-compose