

# Leo Kamino

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Software engineer with experience in full-stack development, automation, and software testing. Proficient in Python, JavaScript, React, and DevOps tools. Completed multiple internships, contributing to enterprise web applications, system optimization, and AI-driven solutions. Seeking software development opportunities.

**Interests:** Software engineering, Software Architecture, DevOps.

## PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

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### UBC APPLIED SCIENCE DEAN'S OFFICE

Vancouver, BC

#### Work Learn Program - Front-end Web Developer

2021-Present

- Led maintenance and optimization of UBC Applied Science websites, with 6,000+ weekly visitors, ensuring seamless performance.
- Built custom Drupal modules in PHP to implement site-specific functionality.
- Created a scalable Sass-based design system to ensure consistent and modern UI/UX.
- Developed dynamic UI components using Twig and JavaScript.
- Delivered custom websites for research groups and engineering teams, aligning with stakeholder requirements.
- Improved SEO scores by 20%, from 75% to 95+, through strategic optimizations.

### MOTOROLA SOLUTIONS

Vancouver, BC

#### Software Engineer Intern

May - Sep, 2024

#### Front-end Software Engineer Co-op

Jan - Sep, 2023

- Designed and debugged scalable features using Ruby on Rails (MVC) and React.
- Developed an automated Selenium web scraper for broken link detection and HTML integrating automatic alerts using Atlassian Bamboo CI.
- Built RSpec and React Testing Library suites to improve code reliability.
- Performed end-to-end, functional, and exploratory testing, addressing critical bugs for high-quality releases.

### UBC COMPUTER ENGINEERING DEPARTMENT

Vancouver, BC

#### Teaching Assistant - Software Construction

Sep-Dec, 2023

- Led weekly labs for 40+ students, provided one-on-one support during office hours, and graded assignments.

### CHANCE HEALTHCARE

Vancouver, BC

#### Software Engineer Co-op

May-Dec, 2022

- Enhanced an internal web tool using Angular and .NET, semi-automating packaging of new update releases to streamline the creation and availability of medical device software patches.
- Performed rigorous sanity testing on medical device software patches, ensuring compliance with strict quality standards.

## EDUCATION

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### UNIVERSITY OF BRITISH COLUMBIA

Vancouver, BC

#### BASc in Computer Engineering (GPA 90/100)

2020-2025

**Activities:** Teaching Assistant (Software construction), Work Learn, Launchpad Design Team

#### Awards

- Trek Excellence Scholarship (Top 5%)
- Outstanding International Student Award
- Thomas Beeching Scholarship
- Faculty of Applied Science International Student Scholarship
- Dean's Honour List
- Martin Sikes Memorial Scholarship in Electrical and Computer Engineering

## RELEVANT PROJECTS

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### EMERGENCY AI RESPONSE SYSTEM

FastAPI (Python), React, Next.js, Docker, MongoDB, Docker

Capstone project in collaboration with TELUS.

- Designed a real-time AI-driven system to classify the priority of 911 calls to improve emergency response efficiency.
- Developed speech diarization with Whisper transcription and LLM-based speaker ID to isolate caller audio for ML training.
- Created a Docker container to deploy AI-powered back-end services.
- Implemented live audio recording and real-time transmission to a FastAPI backend using WebSockets, enabling seamless real-time processing of 911 calls for priority classification.

### DISTRIBUTED KEY-VALUE STORE

Java, Distributed Systems, JUnit, AWS EC2

- Designed and implemented a scalable distributed **key-value store** using **consistent hashing** for efficient load balancing and fault tolerance.
- Developed a **group membership service** using an **epidemic protocol** to manage node failures and maintain a dynamic cluster.
- Deployed the system on **AWS EC2**, leveraging network emulation to test robustness under high latency and packet loss.

### LANGSYNC

Java Android, Node.js, OpenAI API, mongoose, Azure

1st Place on CPEN 321 - Software Engineering project competition.

- Led a team of 4, taking ownership of architecture design to build a match-making **Android app** for language learners.
- Developed core features: recommendation algorithm, **Google OAuth2** authentication, Calendar integration, and video calling.
- Integrated **OpenAI API** to provide grammar suggestions during live messaging

### ENHANCED UDP FILE TRANSFER IMPLEMENTATION

C, Socket Programming, Network Protocol Design

- Designed and implemented a reliable data transmission protocol over **UDP** using packet acknowledgment (ACK), retransmissions, and sequence numbering in **C**.
- Developed timeout and retransmission mechanisms, **achieving 83.32% bandwidth utilization** and improving network reliability.
- Implemented packet sequence numbering to ensure ordered data delivery and prevent data corruption.
- Optimized bandwidth utilization and throughput efficiency, reaching 17.47 Mb/s throughput on a 20 Mbit/s link, **surpassing the 70% bandwidth requirement**.

## SKILLS

**Programming Languages:** Python, JavaScript, Ruby, Java,

**Web Development:** React, Next.js, Typescript, Ruby on Rails, HTML5, CSS, Sass

**Back-end Development:** Node.js, FastAPI, Express.js, SQL, NoSQL

**Developer & DevOps Tools:** Git, GitHub Actions, Docker, Jira

**Software Methodologies:** Agile/Scrum, Test-Driven Development (TDD), Continuous Integration/Continuous Deployment (CI/CD)

## RELEVANT COURSEWORK

**Software Testing** - CPEN 422

**Introduction to Cybersecurity** - CPEN 442

**Computer Networks** - ELEC331

**Algorithm Design and Analysis** - CPSC 320

**Design of Distributed Systems** - CPEN 431

**Software Engineering** - CPEN 321

**Relational Databases** - CPSC 304

**Applied Machine Learning** - CPSC 330