Lorenz Hofmann-Wellenhof

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EXPERIENCE

Senacor Technologies AG

Software Engineer Implemented several features from scratch for the B2B application of TeamBank

- Optimized and re-engineered existing codebase to improve quality of code and performance
- Used technologies: Java, JavaScript, Spring Boot, Angular, OpenShift

University of Passau

Remote

Berlin

Graduate Researcher at the Chair of Data Science July — December 2019

- Investigated the effects of variational autoencoders and adversarial examples with Professor Doctor Michael Granitzer; funded by the SCCH Made open-source contributions to the tensorflow (TF) library: Migrated adversarial attack methods (FGSM, PGM, SPSA) from TF 1 to TF 2
- Used technologies: Python, tensorflow, Keras

Google Summer of Code

Remote

Google Summer of Code participant with API Client Tools at Google May — August 2019 Implemented the open-source tool gnostic-grpc: A tool that converts OpenAPI descriptions into a description of a gRPC service that can be used to

- implement that API using gRPC-JSON Transcoding (mentored by Tim Burks and Noah Dietz, software engineers at Google) Improved feature completeness of gnostic by converting the compiled Protocol Buffer representation into equivalent types which are processable by plugins
- Wrote a medium blog post that explains how to set up a gRPC API with envoy given an OpenAPI description; accumulated over 1000 readers
- Representation of this work at the API specification conference in Vancouver by Tim Burks in his workshop
- Used technologies: Golang, Protocol Buffers, gRPC, OpenAPI, envoy

csneovias GmbH Passau, Germany March 2016 — July 2018

Software engineer (working student)

- Designed and built student lifecycle management software for the University of Münster and the University of Zurich:
 - Created mobile-first web applications and implemented backend endpoints to provide applications with data
 - Optimized and re-engineered existing codebase to improve documentation, quality of code and performance
- Implemented a voucher generation system for the Goethe-Institut from scratch
- Used technologies: JavaScript, ABAP, SAPUI5, OData protocol

EDUCATION

University of Passau Passau, Germany

B. Sc. Mobile and Embedded Systems, M. Sc. Computer Science

October 2014 — February 2020

- Grade: $1.8 \sim 3.2$ (GPA)
- Top 20% of 2017 graduation class
- Relevant coursework: Machine Learning, Algorithms and Data Structures, Agile Software Development, Computer Networks, Enterprise Software Architecture, Computer Architecture, Programming in Java, Mathematics in Technical Systems I-III, Computer Engineering

Stevens Institute of Technology

New York City, USA August — December 2018

Education abroad in M. Sc. Computer Science

4.0 GPA; top 3 project in Machine Learning class

PROJECTS

bingosounds.com Graz, Austria

Web developer

since May 2020 Collaborated with event manager from Jägermeister and Law's Anatomy on a pro bono online music bingo game, helping local bands during the COVID-19 pandemic; used technologies: Vue.js, GraphQL, Django, AWS Elastic Beanstalk

Telegram Connect Graz, Austria

Creator

since June 2018 Created an open-source Amazon Echo Skill that enables users to send and to listen to messages via the Telegram Messenger; accumulated 1300 users

- Built a web server to connect the Skill to the Telegram API: Set up a REST API with Django and MySQL database; a video of the skill in action
- Used technologies: Python, TypeScript, HTML5, CSS, Sass, Diango, MySQL, DynamoDB, Angular, AWS Lambda, AWS Elastic Beanstalk

Number Stack Graz, Austria

Creator

since March 2020

- Launched a mathematical brain game as Amazon Echo Skill where users compete against each other: accumulated over 180 users
- Used technologies: Python, DynamoDB, AWS Lambda

SKILLS

- Languages & Technologies: Python, Golang, Protocol Buffers, TypeScript/JavaScript, Java, HTML/CSS
- Infrastructure: AWS, Git, DynamoDB, MySQL, GraphQL, Docker, envoy
- Frameworks: Django, Spring Boot, Angular, Vue.js, Keras, tensorflow, gRPC, Alexa Skills Kit SDK, OpenAPI

ACTIVITIES & REWARDS

- Google Hash Code 2018: Rank 1545 out of 3012; Google kick start round B: Rank 1449 out of 2250
- Active member of the student council at the University of Passau: Representing the interests of the students of the faculty
- Volunteer at the TCS New York City Marathon: Handing out drinks to the runners and motivating them
- Google Summer of Code stipend: Awarded \$5400 stipend from Google
- AWS Promotional Credits for Alexa Skill developers: Monthly AWS costs of \$100 are covered
- April 2019 30-Day LeetCoding Challenge: Completed a data structure and algorithm problem every day for 30 days

since October 2020