

# PIOTR YORDANOV

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## EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

I am an accomplished python and typescript ninja with over 10 years of experience shipping high quality code. I have helped hedge funds and prop firms to create backtesting systems, build algorithmic strategies, deploy them in docker, and visualize them in web UI's. In the process, I have managed teams of around 5 people.

## PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

### Cultivating Alpha

Senior Quant Trader and Algorithmic trader

Dubai, UAE

MAR. '23 – Present

I help prop firms and hedge funds solve their trading and quant challenges.

- Maintainer of [quant.bt](#), a hyper efficient python backtesting library that uses numba
- Deployed strategies in dockerized containers on ECS using custom made CDK and boto scripts
- Created strategies that work on CME futures, CFD contracts, and crypto assets
- Built visualization dashboards using react, typescript, tailwind, echarts, hosted on vercel with next.js

### WN Capital

Quant Trading and Research (Delta one trading)

Dubai, UAE

OCT. '22 – MAR. '23

- Supported the quant traders in conducting research to find alpha
- Built a set of tools to visualize and enhance backtest results, as well as monitor live results
- Created API's to connect with wine based Metatrader Instances

### Hyperion Fintech

Backtest engine creator

Zug, Switzerland

JAN. '22 – SEP. '22

- Built a **backtesting system** from scratch using backtrader and vectorbt in python.
- Created a UI to visualize the backtesting system

### TWIG Finance

Technical director

Dubai, UAE

AUG. '20 – JAN. '21

I was hired by this finTech startup to help release the MVP of their platform.

- Interviewed external agencies
- Managed a team of web, mobile, and quantitative developers
- Ensured continuous communication between business co-founders and tech partners

### AKTEK

Senior Frontend Engineer

Remote (EU)

DEC. '14 – SEP. '17

From junior engineer, to senior engineer, and finally Engineering Manager. I played an impactful role both in coding, and building the team from the ground up over the course of 3 years.

Built, test and deploy cutting edge B2B web solutions in react

- Hired and managed the tech team, conducting weekly standup to put tech and business on the same page.

### BeeplApp

Co-founder & CEO (*The first contact bookmark management app*)

USA

SEP. '12 – DEC. '14

- **Crowdfunded** \$8,000 to fund early stage developments
- Developed the MVP, and growth hacked the early stages of the startup

## PUBLICATIONS

Proactive Indoor Navigation on Mobile Devices (Google funded at Carnegie Mellon University)

## EDUCATION

MBA Finance de marché, Trading

— ESLSA

Paris, France

— MAR. '21 – SEP. '22

Master in Entrepreneurship

— Draper University of Heroes

San Francisco, USA

— SEP. '13 – OCT. '13

Electrical and Computer **Engineering**

— American University of Beirut

Beirut, Lebanon

— OCT. '13 – OCT. '12

*Graduated with Distinction & 3 Times on **Dean's honors list***

## LANGUAGES AND SKILLS

French (Native) — English (Native) — Lebanese Arabic (Native) — Russian (Good) | Piano & Music composition