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Summary

6 years of experience as a full-time software engineer in the United States. Extensive experience in privacy engineering and generalist backend engineering. Proficient in developing on top of large-scale distributed systems.

Work Experience

Senior Software Engineer - Stripe, Inc.

2018-2022

- Designed and acted as tech lead for format-agnostic data schema annotations
 → delivered robust and ongoing compliance with privacy and data regulations
- Was responsible for the tools used to set and enact automated S3 deletion
 - → saved \$10+ million USD in blob storage costs, deleted 400TB per day
- Drove backfilling ownership metadata for 100+ teams' S3 datalake usage spanning 10+ years
 → achieved 90% attribution of data within 1 year
- Rewrote privacy metadata aggregation service to use company standard rails
 → freed 15 hours/week of bandwidth for other projects due to reduced maintenance burden
- Helped build and roll-out secure egress proxy infrastructure
 - → prevents data exfiltration from internal services
- Was granted elevated reviewer permissions due to feedback quality (top 15%)
 - → demonstrated ability to raise code quality of peers
- Interviewed 100+ engineering candidates and provided detailed feedback
- Mentored 3 new grads and 1 intern, helping each to become productive in under 1 month

Senior Software Engineer - Salesforce Inc

2016-2018

- Scaled some SalesforceIQ services for expected 30x increase in load
 → allowed onboarding large customers from Salesforce to SalesforceIQ products
- Responsible for a majority of the technical GDPR effort for legacy products at SalesforceIQ
 → ensured regulatory compliance with global privacy laws
- Provided critical infrastructure for SalesforceIQ products and services
 → enabled continued revenue from legacy app while migrating customers

Various Internships

Summers 2012-2015

Performed bug fixes across the software stack for Ruby on Rails webapps

Tyemill

• Implemented a reverse proxy server with page caching, A/B testing, edge side includes, and rate limiting

RetailMeNot, Inc.

• Wrote C89 on embedded devices to mitigate hardware bugs Inspectron Tools

• Built a proof-of-concept pattern recognition module Accurate Technologies, Inc.

Solo Projects

Homebrew Garbage - https://homebrewgarbage.com

TypeScript / Svelte
Tabletop RPG ruleset with character creation and combat management tools

takeout-travel-history - https://github.com/Riizade/takeout-travel-history
Tiny open-source CLI for extracting travel history from Google Maps Timeline

macrobin Rust

Input emulation framework with gamepad support, screen-reading, and YAML configuration

Education

University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, MI Bachelor of Science in Engineering in Computer Science

Graduated August 2016