# Thomas Lam

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# **EDUCATION**

#### **AMHERST COLLEGE**

B.A. Math, Computer Science GPA: 3.8/4

Expected May 2018 | Amherst, MA

#### THE LOOMIS CHAFFEE SCHOOL

Grad. June 2014 | Windsor, CT

#### Programming bootcamps:

MakeSchool | Summer 2014 HackReactor | Summer 2015

# **SKILLS**

#### **PROGRAMMING**

#### Languages

Java • Javascript • Python • R Go • OCaml • Racket MATLAB • Octave • SQL HTML/CSS • Sass Objective C • C

#### Libraries/Frameworks

MEAN stack: MongoDB • Angular • Express • Node.js jQuery • Bootstrap Selenium • PhantomJS JUnit

#### Toolkits/Platforms

Git • Vim • Grunt • Gulp • Linux

#### **LANGUAGES**

Vietnamese: native or bilingual proficiency Spanish: elementary proficiency

#### AWARDS &

# **SCHOLARSHIPS**

- Amherst International Student Scholarship
- Cum Laude Society member
- Henry Kravis Scholarship

## **WORK EXPERIENCE**

#### **AUDIBLE INC.**

#### SOFTWARE DEVELOPMENT INTERN | SUMMER 2016

- Develop a service that creates Audible bot accounts and abuses free trial and gift credit system
- Project used to measure effectiveness of my team's approach to detecting and preventing abusive customer behavior
- Use Java, Selenium, PhantomJS, JUnit and Mockito
- Learn internal build and deployment tools at Amazon/Audible, unit testing, scrum agile development, industry standard software development cycle

#### COMPUTER SCIENCE DEPARTMENT

#### TA GRADER FOR INTRO TO CS II

- Develop bash script to automate grading labs
- Email students with any lab related issues

### **PROJECTS**

# **HOTLINEBING** | SMS SERVICE FOR QUICK BING SEARCH AND HOTEL RESERVATION

- Back end: NodeJS, MongoDB
  - APIs: Microsoft's Bing API, Twilio API, PriceLine API, BrainTree API, HP-HavenOnDemand Entity Extraction API
  - Won best hack using PriceLine API, 2nd best hack using HP-HavenOnDemand API at YHack 2015

#### **IMAGELY** | IMAGE-BASED LANGUAGE LEARNING WEB APP

- Front end: Angular, Back end: Nodejs, MongoDB
- APIs: Clarify visual recognition API, Yandex Translation API

#### GOD OF GOLF | PUZZLE/SPORTS BASED IOS GAME

- Design, code and publish an original game to the App Store
- Objective-C, Cocos2D, Spritebuilder

#### ROCK, PAPER, MYO | IOS GAME USING INPUT FROM MYO ARMBAND

- Integrate Myo API to translate armband gestures into game inputs
- Won best hack using Spritebuilder framework at YCHack 2014

# **ORGANIZATIONS**

#### AMHERST CS CLUB

#### **EXCUTIVE BOARD MEMBER**

- Help with CodeJam initiative bringing together students interested in web or app development
- Lead a workshop on web technology
- Maintain biweekly CS club newsletter