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EDUCATION

Columbia University (The Fu Foundation School Of Engineering And Applied Science): M.S. GPA: 3.8/4.0 Sep 2022 - Dec 2023

University of California - Santa Barbara: B.S. GPA: 3.7/4.0 Dean's Honors List in 2021 Winter.

Sep 2018 - Dec 2021

SKILLS

Python, C, Java, JavaScript, HTML, CSS, Unit Tests, Spring Boot, React.JS, Django, Flask, FastAPI, MySQL, XML, neo4j, MongoDB, Solidity, Full-Stack Development, Spark, Tensorflow, Git, GCP, AWS, Airflow, D3.js, PostgreSQL, REST APIs, TypeScript, OS, Algorithm WORK EXPERIENCE

Amazon: SDE (Software Engineer)

Sunnyvale, CA Feb 2024 - Current

Looking forward to making the world a better place together with Amazon.

Amazon (AWS): SDE Intern (Software Engineer Internship)

Santa Clara, CA May 2023 - Aug 2023

- Created a Smart Reboot and Host Monitoring System that checks the status of our devices globally and reboots eligible devices with adjustable speed and settings. Redundant checks on host health(e.g. BMC, VPC status, etc.) and location health are performed to ensure the reboot will never influence our services and the system is distributed to 10K+ production devices.
- Increased devices' health and reduced DevOps labor requirements. All hosts would be patched or updated every 14 days.
- Completed the project entirely independently with the entire software development cycle from design review, implementation, unit test, integration test, Code review, and monitoring pipeline and deployment to production.
- Write unit tests using pytest and unittest framework for Python Packages. Write unit test using jtest for Java packages. Achieved total unit test coverage of more than 85% of my code in more than 5 different packages written in Python or Java.
- Find bugs from other teams and coordinate with their SDEs to fix them. Also, fulfill needs from other teams for shared packages.

Deepchem Co., Ltd: Python Intern (Software Engineer Internship)

Beijing, China Feb 2022 - May 2022

- Designed and built calculation task distribution systems. Distributing calculation jobs from the distribution server to different calculation servers (Group project, 4 people in total (including one manager)).
- Communicated and collaborated with front-end, and other co-walkers to create a web-based platform. Represented team to communicate with manager Finished building in 1 month.
- Checked job status on the platform and handled manual stop from user with GET. Handling exceptional cases e.g. distribution server offline. Stress tested on all 4 calculation servers.
- Checked front-end job status and submit log content from calculation to the distribution server in real-time with GET and POST. Zip needed calculation results and uploaded files to the distribution server with POST (used for more than 10 jobs in business).
- Increased overall calculation efficiency by 50% 200% (By keeping calculation servers busy during nonbusiness hours).
- Created algorithms to find missing tuples in the database from ID queries CSV. Data filtering and aligning. Extract 3D Cartesian coordinates and get SMILEs with Pybel(OpenBabel) python package.
- Constructed and maintained SQL database. Extract data from XYZ file, CSV file, and convert SMILE and insert it into SQL database(including **checking redundant** data in database).
- Developed an algorithm to automatically audit two-way connections between PC and lab equipment (Heartbeat) with SOCKET.

Cloud Computing Course Project: Concert Buddy

Columbia University, NYC, NY Sep 2023 - Dec 2023

- Implement microservice architecture, each microservice is an REST API. Used Spring Boots in Java to implement Concert MIcro service deploy to Google App Engine. Using PostgreSQL as a database hosting on AWS RDS.
- Set up **AWS API gateway** to redirect requests to different microservices.
- Utilizing AWS S3 and CloudFront for CDN to deliver websites with low latency.
- Write User microservice with Spring Boots and deploy to EC2 using Docker. Use PostgreSQL as a database hosting on AWS RDS.
- Write Finder microservice with **Spring Boots** and deploy to **EC2.** Use **DynamoDB** as a database.

Full stack Course Project: NYC Subway Traffic Analysis

Columbia University, NYC, NY Oct 2022 - Dec 2022

- Full stack **RESTful** web application that displays the entry and exit data of each subway station on an interactive map.
- Wrote Frontend JavaScript, HTML, and CSS that would let the user choose a different time with a slider. Frontend would fetch data from the backend REST API written with Python Flask. The data are processed with Spark.

Course Project: My Own Internet

Columbia University, NYC, NY Nov 2022 - Dec 2022

- Configured OSPF and iBGP to connect 8 routers and 6 hosts in my Autonomous System.
- Configured eBGP to perform different routing policies for inter-AS connection with my provider, customer, and peers. e.g. Achieved no valley routing. Achieved preferred customer routing(preference in this order: customer, peer, provider).