Adam McDaniel

Graduate student and software developer at the University of Tennessee



University of Tennessee, Knoxville — Graduate Research

JUNE 2023 - PRESENT

Researching the compressibility of memory allocations in programs. Created a heap allocator which profiles applications by tracking and compressing RAM data to find routines with inefficient memory usage.

University of Tennessee, Knoxville — Undergraduate and Graduate Teaching Assistant

AUGUST 2021 - PRESENT

Teaching computer science lab classes. Advising students on how to complete assignments and troubleshoot their programs during lab and office hours. Grading student assignment submissions.

Oak Ridge National Laboratory, Oak Ridge — Software Developer Intern

MAY 2019 - AUGUST 2019

Developed Rusty-CI, a general purpose GitHub and GitLab continuous integration tool. Contributed to the ASGarD (Adaptive Sparse Grid Discretization) project, a partial differential equation solver for exascale architectures.

• **University of Tennessee,** Knoxville — *Software Vendor* **SEPTEMBER 2018 - JUNE 2019**

Helped develop the Simulated Electronic Fetal Monitoring app in JavaScript, and rewrote the application in Dart to run natively on mobile and desktop.

NOTABLE CREATIONS \mathscr{A}

Dune — Portable Working Environment For Developers

github.com/adam-mcdaniel/dune

Implemented a shell with features such including: syntax-highlighting, automatically formatted tables, lists, standard library functions, lambdas, and macros. Dune runs on all major operating systems, and on Android. Result: I use this tool daily to navigate my operating system.

Sage — Compiled Language With Web Playground

adam-mcdaniel.net/sage

Wrote a compiler from scratch for a typesafe C-like language. Created a web-demo "code playground" with a compiler and interpreter built into the browser. Created a blog post with the playground embedded. Result: I successfully created a language for my web and desktop applications.



SKILLS AND ACHIEVEMENTS 🏆



Proficient in Rust, Python, C, C++, Bash, PowerShell, Git version control.

Daily Linux user.

Shell scripting experience.

Professionally experienced with both GitHub and GitLab.

Created multiple 600+ star repositories on GitHub.

Proficient in Spanish, spoken since 2021.

High school Valedictorian with 4.857 GPA.

EDUCATION

 University of Tennessee, Knoxville — Bachelor of Computer Science

AUGUST 2020 - DECEMBER 2022 Graduated in December of 2022 with a 3.95 GPA (Summa Cum Laude).

Pellissippi State Community College, Knoxville — Computer Science Major

JANUARY 2019 - MAY 2020

Took 1.5 years of dual enrollment towards my Bachelor's degree at Pellissippi during high school.