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Education

B.S. Computer Science, Brown University

Graduating May 2024

- > **GPA**: 4.00.
- > Relevant Courses: Software Engineering, Computer Systems, Operating Systems, Software Security and Exploitation, Prescriptive Analytics, Computer Graphics, Machine Learning, Deep Learning, Data Science, Blockchains and Cryptocurrencies.

Work Experience

Software Engineering Intern

June 2022 - August 2022

Bloomberg L.P.

Head Teaching Assistant for Software Security and Exploitation

April 2022 - Present

June 2021 - Present

Brown University

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Projects Director
Full Stack at Brown

- > Coordinated project teams and hosted weekly stand-ups and 1:1s to facilitate Agile development process.
- > Directly managed several high impact projects, including <u>Hours</u>, a TA hours queue management platform built using <u>GoLang</u> and <u>TypeScript</u> used by <u>1000+ students/month</u>, and <u>The Critical Review</u>, a course review website used by <u>5000+ students/month</u>.

Head Software Engineer

June 2020 - September 2021

VotingSmarter

- > Built and deployed a candidate matchmaker on web using **React**, **Redux**, and **Sass**, drawing in **1000+** users.
- > Engineered an internal portal to manage politician profiles using Node.js, Firebase, and Algolia.
- > Managed the web team and set up CI/CD for the matchmaker and portal with GitHub Actions and Firebase.

Projects

CounterPointer [web]

> Extensible Java-based species counterpoint checker and generator for music theory students, with a powerful TypeScript interactive music editor embedded in a React web app, with CI/CD managed by Docker and Heroku.

Commontime <u>lalexander-ding/commontime</u>]

> Powerful **schedule management solution** supporting room scheduling, meeting announcements, and course schedules syncing with **Google Calendar**, created using **React**, **Redux**, **Firebase**, **Mailjet**, and **Sentry.io**.

YeetBot [alexander-ding/yeet-bot]

> Discord bot active in **100+ servers** that delivers **deep learning** powered image meme-ification services and persistent user settings using **OpenCV** and **dlib**, cloud hosted in a **Docker**-ized **Python** server.

Publications

- > Bryce Blinn, **Alex Ding**, R. Kenny Jones, Manolis Savva, Srinath Sridhar, Daniel Ritchie, "Learning Body-Aware 3D Shape Generative Models." **SIGGRAPH Asia 2022**. *In Review.*
- > **Alex Ding**, Ying Li, Qilei Chen, Yu Cao, Benyuan Liu, Shujiao Cao, Xiaowei Liu, "Gastric Location Classification during Esophagogastroduodenoscopy Using Deep Neural Networks." **IEEE BIBE 2021**.
- > Alex Ding, Yan Gu, "An Evaluation of UPC++ by Porting Shared-Memory Parallel Graph Algorithms." MIT PRIMES.
- > Contributed to and created a Chinese translation of **Python Like You Mean It**, an online resource for **Python**.

Skills

Languages: Java, GoLang, Python, C++, C, JavaScript, TypeScript, Node.js, HTML, CSS, SQL, Racket.

Front-End: React, React Native, Next.js, Express, Django, Flask, Material UI, SASS, jQuery.

Backend and Dev-Ops: PostgresSQL, MySQL, ElasticSearch, Firebase, GitHub Actions, Heroku.

Others: Selenium, PySpark, Scikit Learn, Numpy, PyTorch, Git, Figma,