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# Education

B.S. Computer Science Harvey Mudd College, Claremont, CA May 2022

GPA 3.98 / 4.00

# **Experience**

**Software Engineer**Caltech Schmidt Academy — Quantum Photonics Group (Painter Lab)

Aug 2022 - Present

Pasadena, CA

- Developed packages and tools for researchers conducting multi-gubit quantum control experiments.
- Created a Python package for defining and saving experiment parameters using Data Classes, SQLAlchemy, and Zstandard compression, reducing the existing database size from 1.2 TB to 15 MB.
- Built a web GUI for visualizing and editing real-time and historical experiment parameters using TypeScript, React, Plotly, Socket.IO, Python, and Flask, providing new levels of insight and convenience.
- Developed a Python package for saving experiment data and metadata in JSON and netCDF files within organized directories, improving data management.
- · Wrote JupyterLab extensions using Python, TypeScript, and React to conveniently plot and analyze data files.

Software Engineer

Sep 2021 - May 2022

Claremont, CA

Harvey Mudd College — Clinic Program (Capstone Project)

- Collaborated with four fellow Computer Science majors to develop a web app for biologists in Long Cai's research group at Caltech to process and visualize spatial genomic data.
- Created a maps-like web interface for efficiently rendering large tissue images with overlaid spatial information using React and OpenLayers, unlocking new ways to visualize and interpret the data.
- Developed serverless functions to merge, tile, and convert raw microscope TIFF images and spatial data using Python, GDAL, and AWS Lambda, improving data automation.

#### **Software Engineer Intern**

Jun 2021 - Aug 2021

Dotdash Meredith — Commerce Team

New York, NY

- Worked on an Agile Scrum team responsible for building and maintaining commerce articles visited by millions per month on websites including People, Better Homes & Gardens, Investopedia, and Serious Eats.
- Developed a production-ready image gallery component using HTML, CSS, Sass, and Javascript to add depth to product reviews.

Assistant Instructor Jun 2019 – Aug 2019

MIT Beaver Works Summer Institute

Cambridge, MA

 Taught Python and computer vision to a class of 25 middle schoolers using Jupyter Notebook and OpenCV, culminating in an autonomous mini racecar challenge.

**Web Developer** 

Jun 2018 - Aug 2018

New York, NY

La Mano Pottery & Mud Matters

 Built an online gallery using JavaScript, jQuery, and PHP for hundreds of potters to find and view photos of different glaze combinations.

# **Projects**

#### California Vote Search (in progress) — <u>cavotesearch.pages.dev</u>

Dec 2023 - Present

• Created a website using Svelte, TypeScript, and Python to allow California voters to search for how their state legislators have voted on bills.

#### **Galaxy Simulator** — github.com/alexhad6/ParallelBarnesHut.jl

Apr 2020 - May 2020

• Developed a package for the language Julia to efficiently simulate the motion of stars in a galaxy using a parallel Barnes Hut algorithm.

## **Skills**

Proficient in: Python, JavaScript/TypeScript, React, HTML, CSS/Sass, Git Familiar with: Vue.js, Svelte, C++, Java, Julia, JupyterLab, Docker, Nginx