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#### **EXPERIENCE**

#### **Spring Health** / Software Engineer I

**AUG 2024 - PRESENT** 

Technologies used: Typescript, React, Rails

- Added notifications, a noise filter, and fixed UI bugs in a video communications feature that replaced Zoom, contributing to a project with estimated savings of \$90,000 per month
- Created 3 components for the component library and updated 5 others, solving accessibility errors across tens of webpages
- Contributed logic to multiple repositories that enabled clients to customize their employees' experiences on our platform

## **Spring Health** / *Software Engineer Intern*

**JUN 2024 - AUG 2024** 

Technologies used: Typescript, React, Rails

- Fixed 15 accessibility errors to improve the experience of users utilizing screen readers
- Identified and wrote tickets for 20+ bugs
- Implemented logging for 90 events to streamline troubleshooting when users encountered errors
- Reviewed 40+ pull requests across backend, frontend, and internal tooling code bases
- Updated documentation

## **Amazon.com, Inc.** / Software Development Engineer Intern

**MAY 2023 - AUG 2023** 

Technologies used: Amazon Web Services (AWS), Java, Python, Bash

- Developed a load test on an internal tool for the Aurora Serverless v2 team, giving insight into a previous blind spot
- Automated the creation of HTTP servers to increase the scalability of future tests
- Wrote documentation and an engineering design document with input from my team
- Programmed 2 proofs of concept to determine the feasibility of proposed solutions

# **Princeton University Investment Company** / *Investment Technology Analyst*Technologies used: Python, pandas, Microsoft Excel, Azure DevOps JUN 2022 - AUG 2022

- Wrote scripts to get, modify, and post data to a financial research management system, saving 50+ hours of data entry
- Analyzed corresponding entries between spreadsheets using difflib and regex, saving 20+ hours of manual searching per year
- Enhanced error detection by increasing test coverage to 73%
- Refactored 27% of unit tests to use mock API calls to decrease test runtime

## **Udemy** / Online Instructor

**AUG 2021 - PRESENT** 

- Created the bestselling <u>Introduction to Political Science</u> course
- Produced 5 hours of course material to engage 800+ students
- Designed 5 course logos with PhotoShop on request for another instructor

#### **EDUCATION**

#### **Rutgers University** / School of Arts & Sciences

**SEP 2021 - JAN 2025** 

- Pursuing a Bachelor's in Computer Science; minors in American Studies and Political Science
- On Dean's List for 6 semesters (GPA: 3.98)

#### WRITING

#### **GoKidGo** / Scriptwriter

MAR 2024 - SEP 2024

• Wrote 52 episodes for the children's podcast "The Word Search"

Cagle / Syndicated Humor Columnist

JAN 2023 - PRESENT

•	Through syndication with Cagle, distributed <u>humor columns</u> to 800 publications per week