# **Alan Tseng**

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# **EXPERIENCE**

### Software Engineer Intern @ Student Information System

FEB 2021 - MAR 2021 // San Francisco, CA

- > Built a new course editing feature by coalescing models from different course offerings (lectures, exercises, etc.) so staff can easily edit materials in a semester.
- > Refactored **Django** codebase to cache homepage and reduce expensive queries on update of course offering models.
- Implemented cache invalidation after updates to critical assets to allow staff to add new course offerings without interruptions to production server.
- > Implemented Slack Webhooks to improve student engagement with notifications on Slack about important uploads and attachments for the semester in real-time.
- Improved staff experience by implementing several quality of life features for interacting with student file submissions and editing backend model fields.
- > Wrote unit and integration tests to increase test coverage across newly added features.

# Tutor, Instructor @

LASC Language Scholastics SEP 2019 - OCT 2020 // Rowland Hts, CA The One Tutoring Center JUL 2016 - DEC 2018 // La Puente, CA

- Planned and taught courses in ESL, TOEFL, and SAT I for private sessions of 1-4 students and larger 10 to 18 student sized classes..
- > Communicated concepts clearly through lectures and follow-up tests for assessing student understanding.
- Monitored student progress and adapted material based on feedback from in-class materials and recommendations from staff..

# **PROJECTS**

**Warbler -** a Twitter clone built using Python, Flask, and PostgreSQL. Demo | Github

**Jobly –** Job search site built using **React**, **Express** and **PostgreSQL**. Demo | GitHub

**Convocord** - Discord clone using React/Redux, Ruby on Rails, PostgreSQL backend, and features live chat with Action Cable web sockets..

<u>Demo</u> | <u>GitHub</u>

#### **SKILLS**

Programming Languages: JavaScript (ES6), TypeScript, Python, HTML, CSS, Ruby

Technologies & Frameworks: React, Node.js, Express.js, Redux, jQuery, Flask, Django, Ruby on Rails, Bootstrap, Git

Database & Cloud Storage: SQL, PostgreSQL, AWS S3

**Testing Libraries**: Jasmine, Jest, Supertest, React Testing Library

## **EDUCATION**

#### Rithm School

NOV 2020 - MAR 2021 // San Francisco, CA Full Stack Web Development

University of California, Los Angeles

SEP 2012 - JUN 2016

// Los Angeles, CA

B.S. in Physiological Science

## **LANGUAGES**

**English (Native)** 

Mandarin Chinese (Fluent)