James Kao

OBJECTIVE

Seeking an internship where my skills in object-oriented design and software development will be utilized to create innovative products and solve problems.

TECHNICAL **SKILLS**

Fluency:

Exposure: Android, JavaScript, PHP, Ruby, MIPS Assembly

Databases: Datastore, GQL Frameworks: webapp2, Bootstrap

OS Environments: OS X, Unix (Bash), Windows

Technologies: LAMP, GCC, Git

PROJECTS

Compiler

Feb - May 2014

- Features an interpreter/debugger designed from bytecodes of the X language
- VM interprets the source by assembling tokens and generating bytecodes
- Debugger implements functions to set/clear breakpoints, step in/out/over, display local variables, and halt/continue execution.

Personal Blog | thekao.com/blog

Jan 2014

- Features user registration, login, logout, and permalink pages
- Hashes user login session information into browser cookies for security
- JSON output access for other developers to pull information from posts
- Caches posts with memcached to limit post queries when scaling
- Development Stack: Python, Google App Engine, GQL, webapp2, jinja2

WORK **EXPERIENCE** Mirapath, Inc. | IT Support Intern

June – Sept 2008

- Developed a PHP delivery form to update shipping and receiving information, improving time efficiency during inventory changes.
- Designed and implemented interface enhancements e-commerce websites
- Updated product technical spec. for existing and new incoming products

PERSONAL STRENGTHS Solid understanding of data structures, algorithms, and object oriented design Excellent verbal and written communication skills and ability to work in a team Quick to adapt to new environments and technologies

Passion for tackling challenges and finding creative solutions to technical problems

EDUCATION

B.S. Computer Science | San Francisco State University Upper Division Coursework:

Dec 2014 (expected)

- Software Development
- Analysis of Algorithms
- Programming Methodology
- Theory of Computing

CERTIFICATIONS Udacity CS 253 | Web Development Jan 2014 Codecademy Web Development Track July 2013 MITx 6.00x | Intro to Computer Science [Python] June 2013

ORGANIZATIONS Association for Computing Machinery | Treasurer

Aug 2013 – Present