Bilal Baig

Software Engineer | Ontario, Canada

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Experience

Software Development Engineer

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Amazon

Toronto, ON

- Developed Event Driven Architecture using **Java**, **TypeScript** and **AWS Services**, in order to control global inventory events and to ensure accurate inventory levels
- \bullet Spearheaded the replacement of an obsolete inventory tracking system with a state machine workflow, enhancing operational accuracy by 40%
- Devised and executed automation tools, resulting in a 20% reduction in on-call hours and the proactive mitigation of business impacts due to discrepancies in data stores for millions of items
- Mentored and guided junior engineers, facilitating their skill development and ensuring team's success
- Examined and corrected failure points to maintain operational excellence during on-call responsibilities

Projects

$\textbf{Quotetaking: A quote taking app for iOS} \mid \textit{Swift}, \textit{SwiftUI}, \textit{Core Data} \mid \underline{\textit{GitHub}} \mid \textit{App Store}$

- Created an iOS app to conveniently save quotes from thousands of books using Swift and SwiftUI
- Leveraged OpenAI's ChatGPT API to provide users quote explanations and context
- Employed the Core Data framework to store, manage and organize user data
- Utilized the Vision framework to allow users to quickly and easily extract quotes from images
- Enable features that allow users to share quotes directly to social media

Real time Chat App | Golang, React.JS, MongoDB, JavaScript, HTML, SCSS, Redis, Docker | GitHub

- Developed a real-time chat application using Golang for the back-end and React for the front-end
- Implemented Web-Socket technology to enable instant communication between over 10,000 users
- Devised effective methods to manage server and user data using ${\bf MongoDB}$
- Enhanced performance and scalability by applying Redis' Publish-Subscribe pattern for asynchronous messaging
- Designed a flexible platform, supporting both public group chats and private messaging, optimizing user engagement

Latent Semantic Analysis | Python, NumPy, SciPy, Sci-Kit Learn, matplotlib, LaTeX | GitHub

- Developed a Latent Semantic Analysis algorithm for processing a vast English Wikipedia text corpus of 490,000 documents on Jupyter notebook
- Engineered a sparse matrix representation encompassing the top 10,000 frequently occurring words across all documents, utilizing sklearn
- Crafted a Positive Point-wise Mutual Information matrix derived from the sparse matrix of the most prevalent 10,000 words
- Built a Matrix Factorization algorithm, implementing Stochastic Gradient Descent from scratch using NumPy
- Employed t-SNE to create a 2D visualization of the 300 most common words in a dataset

TECHNICAL SKILLS

Languages: Java, TypeScript & JavaScript, Swift, SQL, Python, Golang, NoSQL, Haskell, C++, C, C#

Developer Tools and Platforms: AWS, Git, Docker, Redis, MongoDB

Libraries and Frameworks: SwiftUI, Core Data, React, pandas, NumPy, Matplotlib, Selenium, SciPy, Sci-Kit Learn

EDUCATION

York University

December 2021

Bachelor of Science in Computer Science

Toronto, ON

Courses: Database Systems, Big Data Systems, Data Mining, Machine Learning, Digital Audio Design, 3D Computer Graphics

Hobbies & Interests

Motorcycles & Cars, Philosophy, Fitness, Literature, Playing guitar & piano, Video Games, Building LEGO Sets, Tabletop Role-Playing Games