BRANDON CHANDLER

Personal Portfolio | LinkedIn | Miami, FL

EDUCATION

Vanderbilt University

Nashville, TN

Bachelor of Science in Computer Science, Minor in Business

Expected May 2025

Relevant Coursework: Programming & Problem Solving, Program Design & Data Structures, Intermediate Software Design, Digital Systems, Programming Languages, Discrete Structures, Algorithms, Principles of OS, Principles of SWE, Computer Ethics, Multivariable Calculus, Linear Algebra, Probability & Mathematical Statistics, Differential Equations, Entrepreneurship, Data Visualization, AI/ML

TECHNICAL SKILLS

Languages: Python, CSS, HTML, Javascript, TypeScript, Java, C++, SQL

Frameworks & Libraries: Express.js, Next.js, Node.js, React.js, MATLAB, React Native, Redux, Spring Boot, Tailwind CSS Software & Tools: CocoaPods, Figma, Firebase, GitHub, GraphQL, grpc, Jira, Make, MongoDB, Netlify, npm, REST, Unix, Xcode

WORK EXPERIENCE

LinkedIn

San Francisco Bay Area

May 2024 - Aug 2024

Full-Stack Software Engineering Intern

- Owned design and implementation of a file-structured sorting tool, enabling employee dataset retrieval by team for data scientists
- Optimized API performance via asynchronous calls and caching for dataset fetching, reducing latency by 6 seconds and improving browse performance by ~30%. Tool operational in present environment, consistently enhancing internal performance
- Collaborated with 15+ team members on the Datahub team and external teams to debug, develop, and adapt cross-team APIs
- Resolved network failures with data aggregation using async and retry logic, improving performance and dataset metrics

Technical Environment: Figma, GitHub, Jira, Java, JavaScript, SQL, GraphQL, grpc, Rest.li, Spring Boot, Node.js, JUnit

BRKT – <u>Live Site</u> Nashville, TN

Software Developer

Sept 2024 – Oct 2024

Developed full-stack and blockchain architecture for multi-chain, multi-market binary predictions platform

Technical Environment: Firebase, GitHub, Next.js, Node.js, React.js, Tailwind CSS, Ethers.js, MetaMask SDK

Scale AI

Remote

LLM Trainer/Prompt Engineer - Python, Java

July 2023 – Feb 2024

• Trained generative artificial intelligence models by correcting and rewriting code responses from 150+ personalized, sequential prompts

PROJECTS

GroupGains - Live Site | App Demo Pending

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Software Engineer

May 2023 - Mar 2025

- Spearheaded end-to-end web and mobile development for community-based gym app, connecting users based on their fitness goals
- Employed object-oriented programming principles during the development lifecycle, ensuring maintainable and scalable architecture
- Chosen to participate in NSF I-Corps: Ideator and Builder pre-accelerators and earned \$2,500 in development funding after pitching Technical Environment: Figma, Firebase, GitHub, React.js/Native, Netlify, Next.js, Node.js, Python, Redux, Tailwind CSS, Xcode

Focus.Feed - Github | Demo Video | Scrape API

Nashville, TN

Software Engineer

Jan 2025 – Mar 2025

• Leveraging a custom, bias-aware aggregation model and scrape API to build a succinct, highly-customizable web and email news interface Technical Environment: TypeScript, React.js, Firebase, GitHub, Jest, Tailwind CSS, Resend, Python

Sokoban Solver - Github

Nashville, TN

Software Developer – Python

Feb 2025

• Implemented Sokoban solver using heuristics and foundational AI algorithms such as Iterative Deepening DFS, BFS, Greedy BFS, and A*

FlatFair - Live Site | Demo Video

Nashville, TN

Software Engineer - Next.js, Sendgrid, Vercel

Sept 2024 - Dec 2024

Co-developed a full-stack expense-sharing web app, enabling groups to track, split, and settle expenses with monthly analytics

LEADERSHIP AND PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT

Management Leadership for Tomorrow (MLT) - Website

Washington, D.C.

Software Engineering Career Prep Fellow

Dec 2022 - Present

Vanderbilt Alpha Kappa Psi Business Fraternity – Website

Nashville, TN

Social Chair, Alumni Relations Chair, Analyst, Recruitment Board Member

Sept 2021 – Present

• Culled as one of 17 analysts for 6-week leadership program; Mentor 400+ students, presenting emerging tech, encouraging STEM careers

INTERESTS

AI, tech innovation & entrepreneurship, Marvel, seafood, weight lifting, islands, investing, Barbados, mixed martial arts, activism, philosophy