BRIAN FU

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EDUCATION

University of Waterloo

Expected 2029

Bachelor of Computer Science, Co-op

GPA - 3.4

- Relevant Courses: Algorithms & Data Abstraction, Software Tools for Development, Functional Programming
- Involvement: Computer Science Club, Data Science Club, Chinese Student Association, Hockey Intramurals

TECHNICAL SKILLS

Languages: Python, Java, C, JavaScript, Typescript, SQL, HTML, CSS

Technologies: Springboot, Node.js, Express.js, Next.js, React, Tailwind CSS, PostgreSQL

Developer Tools: Git, Docker, Jenkins, Postman, Azure, Linux, Firebase – Agile Methodology, SDLC

EXPERIENCE

Software Engineer Intern

May 2025 - Present

Workplace Safety Insurance Board

Toronto, ON

- Collaborated with an engineering team to migrate multiple legacy Java Springboot applications to Microsoft Azure
- Led the rebranding of 4 eService applications by re-architecting 10+ React and Angular components using Typescript, enhancing UI consistency and accessibility, reaching 3000+ daily users
- Designed and tested 5+ REST APIs for internal microservices with Spring Boot, verifying endpoints using Postman
- Architected efficient CRUD operations for an admin user-filtration features using Azure SQL, implementing MVC practices to improve code modularity and reduce query response times by 25%

Software Engineer Feb 2025 – Present

Private Accountant

Freelance – Remote

- Spearheaded the development of a **CRM** (Customer Relationship Management) system to **100**% digitize client management, saving **25+ hours** annually in manual bookkeeping
- Designed scalable database schema in PostgreSQL and modularized backend services following MVC architecture
- Developed a responsive and accessible frontend interface using **React** and **Next.js**, enabling dynamic client dashboards, real-time updates, and fast page loads through server-side rendering and optimized component design

PROJECTS

Videofy – Turn PDFs into Videos | *Firebase, Express.js, React, Node.js, Python, GPT-4*

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- Engineered a full-stack web application using the **FERN** stack to convert PDF documents into AI-narrated video content
- Developed an automated video generation pipeline integrating **FFmpeg** for dynamic video rendering, **Python** for PDF parsing, and **GPT-4 API** for semantic summarization and AI-driven voiceover
- Tailored user experience using Firebase Auth for login and Firestore for data persistence

LeetcodePVP – Gamify Interview Prep | *Python, Flask, Typescript, React, Next.js, Tailwind CSS*

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- Developed a full-stack web app for **peer-to-peer connection** enabling Leetcode competitions for up to **10** users
- Web-scraped 2000+ Leetcode questions into a parsable JSON format using Python's Beautiful Soup library
- Deployed a Flask backend on the UWaterloo CSC servers that manages live game states with RESTful APIs to
 communicate with the React/Next.js frontend hosted on Vercel, ensuring <50ms latency real-time interactions

Baseball Management System - Track League Stats | Java, Swing

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- Developed a desktop application using **Java Swing** to provide an interactive graphical interface for tracking baseball league statistics, including team records and individual performance metrics
- Implemented **OOP Principles** to structure game data, integrating **CRUD Operations** for seamless data entry, retrieval, and modification, ensuring persistent storage using CSV Files between sessions

Extracurriculars

Event Coordinator | Port Credit Storm Hockey Association

Mississauga, ON | Apr. 2022 - Apr. 2024

- Coordinated logistics for large-scale events of 500+ attendees, increasing community involvement by 25% over 2 years
- Officiated youth hockey games for league of 250+ players, that 20+ NHL Players ☑ formerly played in

Interests: Table Tennis, Toronto Maple Leafs, Hockey (2 Province-wide tournament + 3x MHL champion with Port Credit)