Bruce Hong

Product-minded developer interested in making seamless, impactful products.

EXPERIENCE -

Pixlee

Full Stack Engineering Intern | Jan 2020 - May 2020

- Optimized several high-traffic **Ruby on Rails** endpoints which reduced server processing times by up to 70%
- Developed UI to support new features with Marionette.js and Redis that directly contributed to signing multiple new clients to \$10,000+ in ARR
- Improved accessibility of all consumer-facing widgets with Marionette.js and jQuery which passed external audits
- Implemented client-customizable widget localization with live previews using Ruby on Rails, Marionette.js and PostgreSQL

Secret Mission Software

Software Developer | Jan 2019 – Apr 2019

- Led the development of several mobile applications using **React Native** with state management frameworks such as MobX and Apollo Client
- Converted REST APIs to GraphQL with **Django** and **PostgreSQL**, reducing the average number of requested fields by ~80%
- Developed a POC search engine using Django with ElasticSearch
- Implemented SEO-friendly webpages and reusable components using **React** with **Next.js** for server-side rendering

Finastra

Software Developer | May 2018 - Aug 2018

- Implemented multi-tenancy in a suite of RESTful microservices using Node.js/Express, NoSQL and AMQP
- Designed and developed distributed logging modules using Node.js and **RxJS**, supported integration with third-party APIs
- Coordinated with DevOps to create microservice scaffolds, eliminated setup time by generating microservice templates and CI/CD pipelines
- Implemented new integration testing strategies with Mocha/Chai and Cosmos SQL API which reduced developer database costs by ~60%

PROJECTS -

inCite | React, MobX

- Google Chrome extension that scrapes the user's active webpage for metadata to generate citations and store them to bibliographies

Charity Chain – Hack the North | React, Firebase, Blockmason Link

- Web app allowing donors to monitor how charities spend their donations by storing donation and transaction data on a blockchain

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SKILLS

Languages:

JavaScript/TypeScript

C/C++

Python

Ruby

HTML/CSS

SQL

Tools and Frameworks:

Node.js/Express

Django

Ruby on Rails

React/React Native

Redux/MobX/Apollo Client

Backbone/Marionette.js

Microsoft Azure

iQuery

ElasticSearch

Redis

EDUCATION —

University of Waterloo

Candidate for Bachelor of Computer Science | 2022

Wilfrid Laurier University

Candidate for Bachelor of Business Administration | 2022

AWARDS

Semi-Finalist, BDO New **Venture Competition** | 2018

Top 32 of 300+ teams in a competition design a product, make business models and pitch it to industry experts

University of Waterloo President's Scholarship of Distinction | 2017

95%+ early admission average