Briant Shen

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Education and Work Experience

Founding Engineer- Teachque.com

2/2024 to current

- Spearheaded the development of Teachque, a comprehensive online storefront, from concept to deployment, enabling users to list, sell, and purchase digital products.
 - Designed and implemented user, product, review, and question management systems, utilizing Grails framework for rapid development and seamless MVC integration.
 - Integrated Stripe API for secure, efficient payment processing, handling transactions between buyers and sellers.
 - Managed end-to-end infrastructure, including backend hosting via Amazon EC2, storage integration with S3, and HTTPS hosting, ensuring secure, reliable, and scalable platform operations.
 - Developed dynamic front-end interfaces, incorporating modern web technologies to ensure a smooth user experience.
 - Implemented back-end services, ensuring performance and scalability with MySQL database integration and optimized queries.
 - Managed end-to-end product lifecycle, from user authentication and product uploads to reviews, questions, and checkout.
 - Collaborated with stakeholders to continuously refine features, enhance UI/UX, and improve platform performance.

Software Developer I - Wayne State University C&IT

7/2022 to 1/11/2024

- Citadel Webapp Modernization
 - Played a pivotal role in modernizing critical applications, including Procard (business expensing) and TravelWayne (university public transport tracker), transitioning them from legacy cloud systems to a more scalable, modern framework.
 - Took full ownership of significant portions of the codebase, driving refactoring efforts to ensure compatibility with modern technologies and improved performance.
 - Successfully reduced application downtime and enhanced system resilience, ensuring greater uptime and reliability.
- STARS 2.0
 - Enhanced user satisfaction by developing new menus, an intuitive profile page experience, and a more responsive appointment scheduling system with Vue.js.
 - Revamped the user interface to prioritize clarity and usability, ensuring critical student data was immediately accessible to users and academic advisors.
 - Delivered several quality-of-life improvements, optimizing the application's responsiveness and overall user experience to better meet the needs of students and staff.

University of San Francisco

• Bachelor's in Computer Science and Programming

2018 to 2022

Skills

Coding: Java, C, SQL, Javascript, React.js, Vue, GoLang, PhP, Python, Grails. CSS, HTML, Other Skills: Docker, Oracle, Git, Wireshark, Kubernetes, Data Analytics, Spring Boot, AWS