

# CHRISTIAN CHARUKIEWICZ

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## PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

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### Partner & Principal Software Engineer

OCT 2020 – PRESENT

*Foxhound Systems*

- Co-founding partner; acquired clients, set growth strategy, and managed staff to provide software engineering and technical services to client companies with engagements spanning from 3 months to 2+ years
- Successfully managed a team of software engineers, both in-house and embedded in client teams, by assigning tasks, conducting thorough reviews of work output, and providing constructive feedback and mentorship for career growth
- Collaborated closely with product managers and executives at client companies to identify and solve problems, and gather and refine requirements for optimal results
- Led the design, build, and delivery of full stack web applications and back end systems for clients in a variety of industries including ecommerce, video streaming, financial services, and developer tools
- Utilized a broad range of cutting-edge tools and technologies, including Haskell, Node.js, React, TypeScript, Python, PHP (Laravel), Ruby on Rails, Tailwind, MySQL, and PostgreSQL, to create fast and reliable software
- Deployed and maintained client software systems on a variety of platforms, including AWS and Heroku using numerous infrastructure tools, such as Docker, Nix, GitHub Actions, BitBucket Pipelines, Sentry

### Chief Technology Officer

MAY 2014 – OCT 2020

*Roompack*

- Promoted to engineering team lead within a of year getting hired as second software engineer at startup; expanded technology and product driving B2B SaaS revenue growth from \$150K to \$1MM ARR
- Successfully grew engineering team from 0 to 5 people; led hiring process for technical employees and interns; developed and led training of new technical staff
- Set long term road map for product development; continually raised standards for application design, architecture, documentation, performance, security
- Planned and executed the transition of company server infrastructure to Amazon Web Services; automated server deployments; reduced technical infrastructure costs by 70%
- Utilized and taught team members on the use of a variety of programming languages, infrastructure tools, and frameworks such as Haskell, Elm, JavaScript, PHP, Node.js, MySQL, Redis, Nix, AWS, etc.

### Product Development Lead

OCT 2011 – Nov 2013

*Next Generation Gaming*

- Managed team consisting of multiple developers and QA testers working on developing features for small game server with over 8,000 players a month; technologies used: MySQL, PHP
- Designed and built an automated sales system which increased average monthly revenue by 35%

## TECHNICAL SKILLS & LANGUAGES

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- **Languages:** Haskell, Elm, PHP, TypeScript, JavaScript, Python, Ruby, Node.js, Bash, HTML, SCSS, SQL
- **Technologies:** Ruby on Rails, React.js, Laravel, Nginx, Apache, Ansible, MySQL, PostgreSQL, SQLite, Git, AWS (EC2, S3, RDS, Lambda, ECS, SES, etc.), Heroku, Linux, Docker, Nix, Redis, Balsamiq, Figma
- **Concepts:** Full stack web development, product management, functional programming, object-oriented programming, UI/UX design, database & infrastructure management, CI/CD, microservices, performance

## EDUCATION

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### University of Illinois, Urbana-Champaign

2010 – 2014

B.Sc. Mathematics & Computer Science, Philosophy

## OPEN SOURCE SOFTWARE

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- **isbn** (*Haskell package, Author*) – [hackage.haskell.org/package/isbn](https://hackage.haskell.org/package/isbn), [github.com/charukiewicz/hs-isbn](https://github.com/charukiewicz/hs-isbn)
- **yesod-auth** (*Haskell package, Contributor*) – [hackage.haskell.org/package/yesod-auth](https://hackage.haskell.org/package/yesod-auth)
- **esqueleto** (*Haskell package, Contributor*) – [hackage.haskell.org/package/esqueleto](https://hackage.haskell.org/package/esqueleto)