# Simon Chen

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#### **EDUCATION**

# **University of Toronto, Honors BSc in Computer Science**

September 2020 - May 2025

• GPA: 3.8; Co-op Computer Science Specialist, Mathematics Minor.

#### **EXPERIENCE**

## Junior Full-Stack Software Developer (Infrastructure), Verto Health

May 2022 - August 2022

- Saved Verto over \$10,000+ per year in licensing costs by developing an in-house integrated PDF form wizard system using **Vue**, **Ruby on Rails**, and a modified version of Mozilla's **open source** pdf.js project.
- Deployed code to 15+ Ontario healthcare clients by contributing over 12+ tickets to the major release version 3.21 of Verto's clinician software suite.
- Improved developer productivity by contributing around 2-4 agile development story points per week alongside cleaning out backlog tickets including projects in **Angular, Vue,** and **Rails**.

### Software Developer Quality Management Intern, Precisely

June 2021 - August 2021

- Integrated automated testing into the Elastic stack by using a Python Gitlab workflow to convert Junit, Nunit, and TestNG tests into useable Elasticsearch documents.
- Created the CI/CD dashboard for the Spectrum Spatial enterprise product using Kibana.

# Software Developer, University of Toronto - Department of CS

May 2021 - August 2021

- Worked on the development team for PythonTA, a static analysis error-checking Python library used by 500+ undergraduates each year.
- Updated documentation and code to more easily be navigated and understood by other developers and to provide a streamlined user experience.

## **PROJECTS & LEADERSHIP**

# **Exec Member and Developer, UofT Hacks**

June 2021 - Present

- Created the hacker registration dashboard using React, which is used by 300+ participants annually to register and search for teammates.
- Improved code maintenance by containerizing many of the UofT hacks legacy and currently used source code repositories using **Docker**.

## **Decay, Horror Game Project**

January 2021

- Created a horror video game using C# and the Unity game engine.
- Managed a development team digitally and maintained a codebase using Unity Collaborate.
- Gained over **200,000+** impressions and 500+ downloads.

#### **SKILLS**

Programming Languages: Python, C#, Javascript, Java, SQL, HTML, CSS, C/C++

Frameworks/Libraries: React, Vue, Ruby on Rails, Node, Flask, AR Core, Pytorch, Tensorflow

Other: Git, GitHub, Docker, SSH, Unity, Google Cloud API, Figma, Bash/Zsh, Vim

## **AWARDS**

1<sup>st</sup> place - MLH Hackerverse 2022: Won 1<sup>st</sup> overall out of 52 participants in this XR-themed hackathon.

1st place - MLH Pride Hacks 2021: Won 1st overall and Best Pride Hack out of 186 participants.

3rd place - MLH Surfs Up Hacks 2021: Won 3rd overall out of 322 participants and 79 submissions.

**A&S Dean's List Scholar (2) 2020-2021, 2021-2022:** Awarded to students with high academic performance, achieving a 3.5+ GPA with 5.0 FCE credits.

Top 25 - RU Hacks 2021 Hackathon: Placed top 25 overall out of 577 participants and 143 submissions.