

# CHRISTOPHER J. BURESCH

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## OBJECTIVE

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Seeking to join a team focusing on product backend, platform, or infrastructure development. I enjoy providing massively distributed, highly available and fault-tolerant services to internal customers and working on every part of it from the metal up.

## SKILLS

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<b>Proficient Languages</b>	Scala, Java, Python, C#, SQL
<b>Learning Languages</b>	Rust, Go

## EXPERIENCE

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<b>Senior Software Engineer</b>	Sept 2022 - Nov 2022
Blobstore (Distributed BLOB Storage), Twitter, Inc.	<i>Seattle, WA</i>

- Designed and implemented a new chargeback model and service for Blobstore which gave customers a more granular and accurate understanding of their app use-case over time.
- Wrote a new compliance service which would cut user access or delete out-of-compliance datasets based on signals from the InfoSec or Legal team.

<b>Site Reliability Engineer II</b>	Dec 2018 - Sept 2022
Blobstore (Distributed BLOB Storage), Twitter, Inc.	<i>Seattle, WA</i>

- Designed and built a topology-aware cluster locking service to ensure automation and deploys could operate in parallel without affecting service health. This unlocked other opportunities like automated deployments, which increased release cadence from monthly to weekly.
- Wrote compliance automation for kernel and firmware updates using Airflow as an orchestration engine. Rolls 8k machines across multiple datacenters in less than 30 days with no manual intervention.
- Migrated multiple services from baremetal to Aurora (Mesos) compute clusters to ease operational burden and to improve development velocity.
- Responsible for service monitoring and tooling, system health, system config, load testing, capacity planning and oncall.

<b>Software Engineer</b>	Aug 2015 - Nov 2018
Dynamics, Microsoft Corporation	<i>Seattle, WA</i>

- Started in SRE Tier II Support, moved to SWE for more responsibilities and larger breadth of work. Supported Cloud infrastructure and service health.

## EDUCATION

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<b>Bachelor of Science, Computer Science</b>	2011 - 2015
Gonzaga University	<i>Spokane, WA</i>

### Clubs and Activities

Men's Rowing, Div. 1	2011-12	ACM ICPC, PNW	2012, '13, '14
Computer Science Club	2012-15	Math Club	2013-15
Cycling Club	2013-15	WSU Hackathon	2015

### Achievements

3rd On-Site, ACM ICPC (PNW) 2013, 2014

## **LEADERSHIP**

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- Mentored 3 new graduate hires and interns. Held bi-weekly or weekly 1:1's to help them ramp up into Twitter Engineering.
- Ambassador for Twitter Seattle 2021-2022. Responsible for planning holiday events, creating opportunities for colleagues to socialize, assisting onsite operations management.

## **EXTRA-CURRICULAR ACTIVITIES**

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- Avid Mountain Climber! Summited Mt. Baker, Mt. Shuksan, and Mt. Hood.
- Avid 3d Printer enthusiast! I model and print practical, or not-so-practical, objects. If you can think it, you can print it!