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BACKGROUND

New York University – College of Arts and Science

Bachelor of Arts, Computer Science Major, Economics Minor

With Summa Cum Laude, with Honors and Graduate classes,

Computer Science Prize for Outstanding Performance, and University Honors Scholar

May 2017

Cumulative GPA – 3.95

Major GPA – 4.00

Skills/Tools:

Vim, Git, Linux, MongoDB, Express,
Android, iOS, Travis-CI

Languages:

Java, C/C++, JavaScript, Golang
Python, Objective-C, Swift

(Proficient)

(Adequate)

WORK EXPERIENCE

Software Engineer – Facebook, Inc.

Software Engineer doing cool things at a cool company.

July 2017 – Present

Software Engineering Intern – NimbleDroid Inc.

Systems engineering at a small startup performing performance profiling and QA automation for Android applications

May 2016 – September 2016

- Controlled and monitored the Android runtime environment by hacking the AOSP framework and kernel
- Improved the accuracy of static performance profiling through linear regression and statistical modelling
- Developed the *dalvik-tracer* by augmenting the Dalvik VM to log bytecode and native method executions
- Bypassed SE-Linux security protocols to achieve root by creating a custom super-user binary for Android
- Wrote and managed Android applications for testing, and performed QA for assessing new product features

Systems Research Assistant – New York University

Second-author of research paper presenting Orochi, an efficient web-verification system using bytecode de-duplication

September 2015 – May 2016

- Extended Facebook's HHVM interpreter and Oracle's MySQL source code to support multi-value operations
- Developed the *hhvm-log* by instrumenting HHVM to record request headers, SQL queries and execution flows
- High proficiency in C/C++; contributed over 2,000 lines of code, and restructured over 100 PHP bytecodes
- Strong understanding of web stack and testing, with experience using LEMP stack and Bash/Python scripting

Web Developer – Pilotstar Enterprise

Developer at a software house providing all-in-one services and portal sites for youth hostels and elderly care centers

Summer 2014

- Enriched user experience by developing JavaScript widgets, maintaining content and improving page layout
- Assisted in server-side code by creating dynamic content using the ASP development framework

Other: Algorithms Grader at NYU (Sep 2015 – Dec 2015), CS Tutor at NYU (Mar 2015 – May 2015),
Marketing Intern at IBM (Summer 2015), Digital Intern at Mindshare (Summer 2014)

NOTABLE PROJECTS

SlackerRank – Online judge service for daily programming competitions, with scaling mechanisms for high traffic

- Built the scalable back-end code evaluator service using AWS (EC2 and SQS), Docker, Python and Protobuf

Pymon – Python web-development tool which automatically restarts servers by monitoring file system changes

- Support for regex-based file filtering, monitoring multiple applications, and non-Python applications
- Integrated unit testing using PyUnit and Travis-CI, and support for both Python 2 and 3

Nemo – iOS application in Objective-C which uses crowd-sourcing to locate nearby vacant parking spots for drivers

- Developed back-end server, and integrated Google Maps API and Cloudinary API into front-end application

Scrappit – Scraper for Reddit, which scrapes and downloads posts, images, gifs and links for offline viewing

- Concurrent file downloading using Go routines, with support for Imgur, Gfycat and other sites

Gift It – Web application which stores gift ideas, reminds users on special occasions, and assists purchasing gifts

- Full-stack development using Express/MongoDB. Automated email scheduling, search features, and Ebay API

