Daniel Bessonov

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EXPERIENCE

AngelHacks, Inc. —HACKcelerator Batch '17

AUGUST 2017 - OCTOBER 2017

- Built <u>Waypoint</u>, an augmented-reality iOS application for travelers to simplify discovery in new places. Developed with Swift, ARKit, CoreLocation, and Firebase. Created pitch-decks, KPIs.
- 1st at AngelHack Silicon Valley Hackathon. Invited to startup-incubator HACKcelerator. Pitched at Global Demo Day (1 of 16 teams worldwide).
 \$20,000 in server funding.

whiteCryption — Reverse Eng. Intern

JUNE 2017 - SEPTEMBER 2017

 Developed reverse-engineering-secure mobile applications in React Native with Hopper, IDA Pro, and whiteCryption <u>Secure Key Box</u> technologies.

Genecloud — Python Developer

JUNE 2016 - AUGUST 2016

 Created website for secure genomics research with Python, Flask, and uWSGI. Utilized Genecloud's <u>data-sharing platform</u>.

nFlate — iOS Developer

APRIL 2016 - AUGUST 2016

 Developed initial iterations of iOS application "See It Buy It." Created models for image similarity queries. Worked with AWS ElasticSearch, DynamoDB, and Elastic Beanstalk.

Dali Labs — Co-Founder

JUNE 2014 - PRESENT

- Develop iOS applications and websites for <u>everything</u>.
- 100,000+ users over 12 products. 5 hackathon victories. \$5,000 in prize money.

EDUCATION



Saratoga High, Class of 2019 4.55/4.0, High Honors



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RESEARCH

Stanford University (2018)

Analyzed microbiota at the <u>Huang</u> Lab with a deep-learning approach ("DeepCell"). Developed MATLab cell and lineage tracking scripts.

Carnegie Mellon (2018)

Implemented deep-learning algorithms for signal-processing and differentiation (WiFi, Bluetooth) at CMU MEWS Lab.

Autonomous search-and-rescue UAV (2017)

Published paper at <u>IEEE IROS</u> 2017. Created sequential algorithm based on POMDPs; 3.4x more efficient than heuristic policy. First teenage presenter in IROS 30 year-history.

VOLUNTEER

Organizer of CoderDojo SV (2016-Present)

Developed interactive curriculum for kids aged 5-17. Created code-sharing tools. Hosted summer camp at Cambrian Library (2017).

Internet of Things Club (2015-Present)

Ran IoT club at Saratoga High. Raised \$5,000 from Micron Foundation for materials. Taught classes to 1st-5th graders at Bachrodt Elementary.

AWARDS

AngelHack SV 1st Place (~1 of 100) SV Hacks Uber Grant (~1 of 60) 1517 Ventures Grant (~1 of 300) Sense360 Hackathon 1st Place USACO Platinum (~1 of 360) AP CS Perfect Score. (~1 of 150) HACKcelerator Batch '17

SKILLS

Swift, Java, React Native, AngularJS, Bootstrap, C, C++, SQL, MongoDB, TensorFlow, Torch, Keras, Bash