# Daren Liang

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## Work Experience

• Citi New York, NY

Software Engineer AVP Software Engineer Contract June 2023 - Present May 2022 - May 2023

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- o Risk Analytics Products: Quant Risk Libraries / Wholesale Loss Forecasting Platform
- o Technologies: NumPy, pandas, Dask, GraphBLAS, ClickHouse, MySQL

• Oanda Toronto, ON

Software Developer Intern

May 2020 - August 2021

- Backend trading systems: C++ and Python microservices development
- o Technologies: Ansible, Protobuf, ZeroMQ, Prometheus/Grafana, QuickFIX, Finagle

#### **EDUCATION**

## • University of Toronto

Toronto, ON

Computer Science Specialist and Applied Statistics Minor

September 2018 - April 2023

- o University of Toronto Scholar
- o 2018-2020, 2021-2023 Dean's List Scholar

## INVOLVEMENTS

• Imglabs.io Toronto, ON

Co-Founder April 2022 – Present

- Edge-capable image proxy service: Proxy, cache, and transform images at the network edge
- Image processing in WebAssembly: Sub-second image transformations under 100MB memory
- Highly customizable: Convert between 10+ image formats and apply image transformations
- Serverless architecture: Cost conscious and effortless scaling
- Currently in alpha: Free to try out; pricing TBD
- $\circ\,$  Technologies: Rust, WebAssembly, Cloudflare Workers, AWS, Supabase, PostgreSQL

#### **PROJECTS**

- Dsfs (darenliang/dsfs): A highly-experimental filesystem in userspace using FUSE with an exotic backend
  - Exotic backend: Files, folders, and transactions are stored using Discord attachments
  - Append-only log-structured filesystem: Supports automatic snapshots and rollback
  - Realtime synchronization: Syncing files and folders between remote clients in realtime
  - **Performance optimizations**: A variety of techniques are used such as buffering and checksums to ensure there are no unnecessary uploads/downloads and the differences between local and remote states are minimal
  - Cross-platform support: Supports major OSes such as Windows, macOS, and Linux
  - Additional information: https://www.darenliang.com/posts/fuseing-for-fun/
- Nikel API (nikel-api/nikel): Free and open data API for the University of Toronto
- MikuBot (darenliang/MikuBot): General purpose Discord bot serving more than 9,000 servers (discontinued)
- Quteman (darenliang/quteman): A simple Postman alternative written in C++ and Qt
- Resauce (darenliang/resauce): A work-in-progress file rename utility written in C++ and Qt
- Mal-api (darenliang/mal-api): Python library for querying data from MyAnimeList

#### SKILLS

- Languages: Python, Go, C/C++, Rust, JavaScript/TypeScript, Java, Scala
- Assessments: CodeSignal: 842/850