# DARREN TAN SOFTWARE ENGINEER

### **RECENT PROJECTS**

### TournaGen - Full Stack Engineer

www.tournagen.xyz/

Web application for users to manage their own tournaments

- Dynamically creates properly-sized brackets using a jQuery plugin
- Generates matchups with a branching algorithm in the Rails model
- Integrates type-ahead searching by passing search params through fetch, allowing the Rails controller to return the proper collection
- Extends Backbone View properties to prevent zombie view creation

## 2048: RGB Edition - Front End Engineer

www.darrentan.xyz/2048-RGB-Edition/

An object-oriented rendition of the game 2048

- Assigns JavaScript tile objects to appropriate DOM elements, thereby accurately representing the current board state
- Locates tiles with jQuery selectors and removes/applies proper classes, creating smooth CSS transitions
- Employs JavaScript interface logic for improved user experience

## ActiveAssociations - Back End Engineer

github.com/darrengtan/ActiveRecordLite

An ORM inspired by the functionality of ActiveRecord

- Interacts with DB to perform CRUD operations using SQL objects
- Applies Ruby heredocs to mix SQL code into the SQLObject class
- Creates belongs\_to and has\_many associations using SQL queries

### **EMPLOYMENT**

# **Impax Laboratories**

Hayward, CA

R&D and Product Development Summer Intern · 2011 to 2012

- Accelerated time frame of 2 generic drug projects by 10 weeks
- Counseled supervisors with changes in formulation methods necessary to improve manufacturability and dissolution profiles

### Stanford Blood Center

Palo Alto, CA

Cellular Immunity Laboratory Intern · 2013 to 2013

- Researched regulatory T cells and DCs along with methods to prevent suppression of the immune system
- Identified relevant cell populations using flow cytometry, Western Blotting, fluorescence, and cell cultures

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### **SKILLS**

Ruby

JavaScript

Ruby on Rails

Backbone.js

Rspec

jQuery

Github

AJAX

HTML5

CSS

Heroku

Canvas

**PostgresQL** 

**SQLite** 

Bootstrap

Ubuntu Linux

Mac OSX

#### **EDUCATION**

UC San Diego B.S. Bioengineering 2014 3.65 GPA

### **PERSONAL**

**VA** Innovation

2015

**Creation Series** 

Placed 5th out of 48 applicants in challenge to design a device that will reduce tremors in patients