Drew Volz

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Experience

1Password

Senior Web Developer

March 2021 - Present

Building fluid, accessible, and responsive interfaces in TypeScript and React.

thoughtbot

Software Engineer

October 2018 - March 2020

I worked within startups and Fortune 500s to build validated MVPs and fully-fledged products.

- Interoperable iOS development at Etsy across design system components, messaging, and analytics on the Native Toolkit and Apps Cross Initiative teams.
- Built out Houseparty's video chatting web app in TypeScript and React.
- Internal development on tooling for finances, scheduling, and operations dashboards.

Lexmark

Software Engineer II

June 2016 – August 2018

Technical Rotation Program which consisted of three, eight-month rotations. During my three rotations I worked on firmware flashing, mobile applications, and manufacturing automation.

Manufacturing Automation Systems Engineering Team (November 2017 – August 2018)

- Developed web-based status screen system.
- Implementation of a websocket-based API.

Mobile Applications Team (February 2017 – October 2017)

- Developed a mobile app that enabled wireless printer configuration.
- Implementation of wireless out-of-box printer setup in firmware.

System BIOS Team (June 2016 – January 2017)

- Designed, implemented, and debugged firmware for laser printers.
- Developed a command-line firmware flashing tool.
- Maintained firmware flashing update GUI to Apple AirPrint spec.

Software Engineer Intern

May 2014 – September 2015

Mechanical Engineering Services Team

- Developed dashboards for visualizations of large manufacturing datasets.
- Developed custom tools to manage manufacturing lines of toner/photoconductive drums.

Education

St. Olaf College

B.A. Computer Science

(Graduated May 2016)

- Coursework:
 - Algorithm Analysis and Data Structures
 - Operating Systems
 - Programming Languages
 - Computational Thinking in Python and R
- Independent Research in Software Dev
- Ethical Issues in Software Design
- Mobile Web Graphics/Computing Apps
- Capstone: Tile-based Display Rendering

Projects

All About Olaf and CARLS - iOS and Android apps

October 2014 – Present

- Cross-platform development in React Native.
- Testing and continuous integration/deployment with CircleCI / Travis / GitHub.
- Open Source, published on Apple App Store and Google Play Store.

Bottomless — iOS app

June 2020 – Present

- Track and manage coffee subscriptions from Bottomless.
- Open Source, written in SwiftUI and the Combine framework.

Rebel Putter — iOS app

June 2020 - Present

- Member of the development team of an app for improving golf putt accuracy.
- Development in Swift, published on Apple App Store.

CCC-Server — Lightweight backend

April 2018 – Present

- Network request caching and data fetching backend.
- Open Source, deployed via Docker on DigitalOcean.

Tile-based display — Mac mini networking cluster

February - May 2016

■ A coherent display to model large data across many computers.

Volunteering

Haiti Health Initiative (January 2017 – Present)

Praying Pelican Missions (June 2011)