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EDUCATION

Emory University Atlanta, GA

Bachelor of Science in Computer Science

Aug 2023 - May 2026

- Honors: 3.99 / 4.0 GPA, 4x James T Laney Scholarship, 3x Dean's List
- Courses: Data Structures & Algorithmns, Computer Architecture, Algorithm Analysis, Machine Learning, Database Systems, Data Mining, Deep Learning, Linear Algebra, Discrete Structures

WORK EXPERIENCE

Cloud Platform Engineering Intern

Atlanta, GA

UKG

May 2025 - Aug 2025

- Implemented a Kubernetes CronJob for TLS certificate expiry check, providing significant observability during certificate renewal
- Developed an internal API to aggregate real-time status of on-prem MongoDB, MySQL, and RabbitMQ services across 4 distinct datacenters, using cloud-native technologies such as **Go**, **Docker**, **OpenTelemetry**, **Cloud Foundry BOSH**, and **OpenStack**
- Enhanced system observability through **Grafana** synthetic monitoring and provisioned monitoring probes with **Terraform**
- · Applied CI/CD and GitOps practice using ArgoCD, Helm, and GitHub Actions to fully automate container release and deployment

Software Engineering Intern

Atlanta, GA

UrsaTech

Dec 2024 - Feb 2025

- Engineered a coding education web app, integrating 3D games and a personalized LLM tutor using Next.js and Express.js
- Utilized a diverse stack of 30+ widely-used Javascript/Typescript libraries, including AWS Amplify, Autho, AI SDK, and MUI

Software Engineering Intern

Atlanta, GA

eStreamly

Jun 2024 – Aug 2024

- · Maintained a full-stack video streaming-based shopping platform, leveraging Angular for frontend and .NET for backend
- · Performed a significant redesign and accessibility enhancement of the UI to expand target audience and improve conversion rate
- · Collaborated in an Agile team of developers, contributing to weekly sprints and QA testing for robust and efficient feature delivery

Data Science Research Assistant

Atlanta, GA

Emory University CAV Lab

Nov 2023 - Present

- · Co-authored a personal informatics study under Dr. Emily Wall, studying data engagement of music streaming service users
- Conducted 60-person survey and aggregated 100+ GB of streaming history data using Python for comprehensive statistical analysis
- Created interactive web data visualizations using **¡Query** and **d3.js**, enabling dynamic exploration of streaming history

PROJECTS

Spitikos: Kubernetes Homelab

Jul 2025 - Present

- Managed a personal **Kubernetes** cluster on a Raspberry Pi, implementing a highly available microservices architecture
- Deployed 10+ services including PostgreSQL, Prometheus, Grafana, Pi-hole and Dex using Helm charts and custom manifests
- Developed a central gRPC backend server with Go to proxy all inter-service communication, enhancing security and type-safety
- Utilized NGINX Ingress Controller for traffic management and Cloudflare Tunnel for secure remote access to the cluster
- Achieved complete CI/CD pipeline via GitHub Action and ArgoCD, automating deployment of services from GitHub to the cluster
- Built spitikos.dev with Next.js, the project homepage featuring custom observability dashboard and documentation page

Emory Hacks: Emory University's Student-Run Hackathon

Sep 2024 - Present

- · Co-founded and led the technolgy department, developing annual hackathon websites (emoryhacks.com) with Next.js
- Created a unique database solution leveraging Google Spreadsheet with **Google API**, allowing non-technical team members to easily manage event and participant data while addressing race conditions and data integrity
- · Secured 100+ participants and sponsorships from major firms including JPMorgan, Hyundai, and WolframAlpha

SKILLS

- Languages: Go, JavaScript/TypeScript, Java, Python, C, SQL, Bash/Zsh, HTML, CSS, Ruby, Typst, C#, Vim
- Cloud-Native Technologies: Kubernetes, Docker, Helm, Linux, ArgoCD, gRPC, Protobuf, GitHub Actions, Prometheus, Grafana, Vault, OpenTelemetry, NGINX, Traefik, OpenStack, BOSH, Dex, Pi-Hole
- Web Development: React, Next.js, Tailwind CSS, Node.js, NPM, Django, Angular, Express.js, Spring Boot, Gradio, .NET
- Data Science & Machine Learning: Pandas, NumPy, Scikit-Learn, PyTorch, SciPy, Gradio, OpenCV, Torchvision
- Tools: Git, AWS, GCP, PostgreSQL, MySQL, MongoDB