Howard Wang

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EDUCATION

UC SAN DIEGO

BS IN COMPUTER SCIENCE Expected 2021 | San Diego, CA Major GPA: 3.72

LINKS

Personal:// h-wang.me Github:// hwanggit LinkedIn:// hwangprof

SKILLS

Languages

C++ • Java • Javascript
PHP • CSS • HTML

GraphQL • Python • Swift

Software/Tools

JQuery • Git • React Native

React • Django • SQL

Unix • Google Cloud • Unity

AWARDS

Placed **3rd out of 20 teams** in UCSD **IEEE Quarterly Projects** Competition

Placed **3rd out of 25 teams** in Calgary **Mayor's Youth Council** Hackathon 2017

COURSEWORK

P/NP Algorithms Java/C++ Data Structures Data Science with Python ARM Assembly Language Computer Architecture Unix Scripting

EXPERIENCE

SOFTWARE ENGINEER | VIBELY INC.

July 2019 - Present | Menlo Park, CA

- Full-stack mobile engineer at Forbes-featured IRL meetup services company
- Shipped 20+ features for viral groups Subtle Asian Traits, Girls Gone Global
- Doubled user retention and tripled user acquisition over 3 months
- Developed flagship features like notification toasts, animated drag-down menus, navigation toolbars, authentication flows, forms, user search, 10 more
- Wrote GraphQL queries & mutations with resolvers to fetch/update database
- Employed agile development in a scrum setting and tracked sprints in Trello
- Utilized Git and Fastlane for mobile DevOps and Circle CI to maintain CI/CD
- Tools: React Native, TypeScript, GraphQL, AWS RDS, Branch.io, OneSignal

LEADERSHIP

PROJECT CHAIR | INSTITUTE OF ELECTRICAL & ELECTRONIC ENGINEERS June 2019 - Present | San Diego, CA

- Proposed \$10,000 budget to fund 3 project competitions for UCSD students
- Managed 30+ teams to create marketable hardware/software products
- Developed **Django-SQL dashboard web app** to automate **administrative** tasks
- Acquired sponsorships from Texas Instruments, SES, and the ECE department

RESEARCH

RESEARCH ENGINEER | SMARTFIN (ENGINEERS FOR EXPLORATION) April 2019 - June 2019 | San Diego, CA

- Worked in a **team of 4** to **model the behaviour of ocean waves** using Python
- Developed algorithm to model wave direction using Kalman filter on IMU data
- Utilized Python Scikit ML algorithms in Jupyter console to label wave features
- Created **Github wiki** with **Markdown** to catalog Smartfin **research reports**

PROJECTS

EASY TOUR | EMOTIONAL TOURISM (LA HACKS 2018)

March 2019 | Los Angeles, CA

- Javascript web app that selects tourist hot-spots to render an interactive trip
- Labeled Flickr images with emotional content & geolocation via Google Vision
- Developed Mapbox UI layers and search features using HTML, CSS, JQuery
- Tools: Node.js, HTML, CSS, Javascript, PHP, Google Vision, Flickr, MapBox

C++ DATA STRUCTURES | Coursework (UC San Diego)

Sept 2018 - June 2019 | San Diego, CA

- Implemented bit-size Huffman algorithms to compress and decompress files
- Trained multi-dimensional KD tree KNN classifier with over 70% accuracy
- Built multi-edge graph and MST using unordered maps and disjoint sets
- Developed Multi-way Trie algorithms for prefix search and autocomplete
- Tools: C++, C, GDB, Vim, Valgrind

HACKEYE.IO | HARDWARE IOS APP (FOUNDER)

July 2018 | San Diego, CA

- Hardware collab app shows nearby Hackaday.io projects for tech-enthusiasts
- Built Yelp-like UI with Swift/Xcode and created location service from scratch
- Tools: Swift, Objective-C, Hackaday API, CoreLocation, Xcode