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**EDUCATION**

**HARVARD UNIVERSITY Cambridge, MA**

**Bachelor of Arts, Major in Computer Science; Minor in Statistics Expected Graduation: May 2025**

**EXTRACURRICULARS:** Datamatch, Arete Fellowship, Sophomore Rep for SHPE, Rice Ventures **GPA: 4.00 / 4.00**

**RELEVANT CLASSES:** Computational Thinking, Algorithmic Thinking, Discrete Math, Proof-based Linear Algebra, Proof-based Algorithms, Probability, Statistics | **NOTE:** Transferred from Rice University at the end of freshman year

**ESCUELA ORT BELGRANO Buenos Aires, Argentina**

**High School Diploma, Information and Communication Technologies Track March 2014 - December 2019**

**RANK:** 1st (Valedictorian / Argentinian Flag Bearer) **GPA: 98.2 / 100**

**EXTRACURRICULARS:** International Junior Science Olympiad (2 x National Gold, 1 x International Bronze, Trainer Assistant), National Competitive Programming Olympiad (1 x National Silver, Trainer Assistant)

**SKILLS**

**SKILLS:** Full Stack Development (JavaScript, TypeScript, GraphQL, React, Nest, Redwood), App Development (Expo, React Native), Chrome Extension Development, Python, Algorithmic Programming (C++), Project Management (Notion), Management Skills and Leadership.

**LANGUAGES:** Spanish - Native, English - Bilingual

**PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE**

**RECYCO San Francisco, CA and New York, NY**

**Co-Founder, Technical & Strategy (Started during gap year) January 2020 - January 2023**

* Led and closed negotiations with clients for contracts worth $650k+, including Nestlé and Unilever.
* Was in charge of hiring a team of 4 technical employees, including a project manager, DevOps and software engineers.
* Designed and implemented software architecture for the main product, including 2 apps (React Native monorepo), a management dashboard (Redwood, React, GraphQL), and a backend (Node, TypeScript, GraphQL, Prisma).
* Managed 2 part-time programmers through the MVP development process.

**ROMULUS CAPITAL Remote / Boston, MA**

**Associate (Gap year) October 2020 - August 2021**

* Sourced & led due diligence for 4 companies, which led to $150k+ worth of investments.
* Developed sourcing and deal management setup (Notion + Streak + Custom Chrome Extension) using TypeScript, React, and Nest.
* Researched strategies employed by 2 top performing companies in ConTech and PropTech space and presented them to the whole firm.

**REINDI Buenos Aires, Argentina**

**Product Manager & Software Engineer (Gap year / part-time) October 2019 - August 2021**

* Outlined work plans, determined resources, and generated initial budgets for the development of a healthcare documents platform on the Ethereum blockchain. Managed 3 people and educated personnel on development methods to meet appropriate quality standards.
* Developed the Solidity smart contracts that encoded and stored the healthcare data on the blockchain.
* Developed the backend infrastructure in Node.js that interfaced with the smart contracts in the Ethereum blockchain.

**RUTD Remote / Houston, TX**

**Interim CTO (Gap year / part-time) January 2021 - August 2021**

* Designed Technical architecture comprised of an app (React Native), a management dashboard (Vue) and a monolithic server (Nest).
* Performed customer interviews and collaborated with the CEO to narrow down the scope of the MVP and determine the company strategy.
* Won first place and $27.5k price in the Rice Napier Launch Challenge.

**SATELLOGIC Remote / Houston, TX**

**Software Engineering Intern July 2018 - December 2018**

* Used Vue, Electron and Python (OpenCV) to create processing software for satellite imagery.
* Developed Linux drivers (C++) for infrared camera onboard ñuSat satellite.

**LEADERSHIP & INVOLVEMENT**

**RICE NEW ENERGY FUND Houston, TX**

**Head of Operations & Diversified Team Analyst January 2021 - August 2021**

* Contacted and followed up with potential investors, organized the recruitment process for our first analysts, and established the organization’s mission, vision, and strategy. Helped raise $150k in initial capital during the Fall semester.