Justin Hilliard

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Education: Carnegie Mellon University – Pittsburgh, PA

Spring 2016

Major: B.S. Information Systems, Minor: Business Administration

Concentration GPA: 3.7 – Dean's List

Leadership: Club Water Polo Team Captain, Sigma Chi Fraternity

Y Combinator Accelerator - Los Angeles, CA

Summer 2021

Skills:

Quantitative Analysis, Software Engineering, Statistics, Statistical Modeling, R, Regression Analysis, Experimentation/Data Design, Python, Javascript, tidyverse, SQL, ggplot2, Docker, Machine Learning, Node.js, React.js, Swift, Ruby on Rails, Unix, Data Architecture, Design Sense, Git, Github

Experience:

Superwall/Functionary: Founder

April 2021 - Present

- Founded <u>Superwall</u>. Scaled the company to 150 clients, 250M iOS Devices, and 300K ARR.
- Participated in Y Combinator Summer 2021 Batch. Raised \$3M in a seed round for the company.
- Engineered the product with 2 founders. Responsible for data ingestion/storage, data design/pipelines, product analytics, frontend/backend engineering, sales, customer support.
- Built LTV/Conversion insight product used by the client apps allowing for arbitrary data cuts.
- Founded <u>Functionary</u>. Built and designed product as a solo founder/developer.

Facebook: Product Growth – Product Growth Platform

May 2019 - April 2021

- Ideated and shipped machine learning conversion models that improve platform-wide ad conversion rate by 15% with a 35% decrease in cost per impression using generic features.
- Lead growth for 3 Social Impact teams: Vote, Mentorship, Social Learning
- Worked to ship experiments refactoring products and funnels resulting in a 600% increase in top-line goal daily-run rate in the first 6 months. Work mentioned in <u>Wall Street journal</u>.
- Given social impact success, Moved to a cross-app product growth platform team focusing on ads auction, notification platform and canonical time-spent/post interaction models.

Sonos: Data Scientist - Go To Market

May 2017 - May 2019

- Worked with CEO, SVPs, and Investment Banks to build statistical models to create pricing structures for long-term profitable growth for IPO S-1 documents. Work mentioned on <u>CNBC</u>.
- Conducted ad-hoc analysis by querying data from the internal data warehouse and processing large data sets with inferential statistics and machine learning methods in R.
- Built growth simulations and customer lifetime value models to Ads and CRM Targeting.
- Built ML/ETL pipelines to integrate data and models into production in software stack.

Tispr: Product & Growth – Business

May 2016 - May 2017

- Inspired company pivot with a statistical analysis showing growth of current KPIs did not scale.
- Responsible for a team of three individuals, which shaped business and product strategy.

JPMorgan Chase & Company: Quantitative Analyst Intern – Opportunity R&D Summer 2015

• Performed quantitative data analysis on investment data using SQL, Excel, R, and Python

Wells Fargo & Company: Big Data Analyst Intern – Advanced Analytics

Summer 2014

Performed quantitative data analysis on marketing data using SQL, Excel, R, and Python

Hobbies:

Angel Investing & Advising – Invested in 6 different private startup companies.

Engineering – NYT Crosswords with Friends 2020 (js, chrome extension), OutReach 2016 (js, Postgres), Walmart Sales Predictions 2016 (Python, Matplotlib)

Other - Surfing. Business history and theory podcasts/books. Tech culture. Modern Art.