James Wong

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EDUCATION

Macaulay Honors College, The City College of New York

June 2019

Bachelor of Science, Computer Science

TECHNICAL SKILLS

Programming Languages: Ruby, Python, JavaScript, Java

Technologies: Ruby On Rails, PostgreSQL, AWS (ECS, S3), Datadog, NewRelic, Looker, React/Redux, Flask, HTML/CSS, Git, Jira, Heroku

EXPERIENCE

Software Engineer, Subscriptions

August 2019 - Current New York, New York

Stash

- Implemented and maintained invoicing in both the legacy and updated subscriptions systems that concurrently handle millions of invoices per month
- Completely reworked the subscriptions service using AWS, event-driven architecture with Kafka, and Ruby on Rails that has since supported over three million new users
- Led a team of three backend engineers in efforts to add business metric observability and data integrity monitoring using Datadog and SQL
- Built a full stack solution for the subscription reactivation flow using React/Redux and Ruby on Rails
- Acted as the subscriptions subject matter expert for stakeholders in the Engineering, Data Science, Marketing, and Customer Experience teams
- Refactored "Challenges" and "Next Steps" systems using data normalization and N+1 query optimization

Software Engineering Intern, Corporate and Investment Banking Technology JPMorgan Chase & Co.

June 2018 – August 2018 New York, New York

• Developed an internal Python reporting tool to reduce the length of the audit log reconciliation process in equities trading compliance by 30 hours/month

- Worked with a team of three to integrate processed configuration files into a global monitoring tool to be used by several entities within JPMorgan Chase & Co. for a high level overview of the trading environment
- Leveraged an agile workflow to quickly deliver new features by tracking issues through Jira, collaborating in scrum meetings, and developing in sprints
- Developed and optimized existing REST API endpoints to provide electronic trading information and to reduce database insertion times using Spring MVC

PROJECTS

Youtube Auto Quality Javascript

October 2021

• Published an open source Chrome extension for maximizing video resolution on Youtube as an alternative to the auto quality feature

News Map, HackNY F18 Flask, IBM Watson NLU API, NYTimes API

September 2018

- Designed a web app that maps current events around the world to inform people of news bias
- Extracted location data from articles using geocoding to serve real-world coordinates from a Flask API

Better Business Buddy, NS Hackathon F17 React, Flask, Yelp API

November 2017

- Led a team of four to design a web app to guide budding entrepreneurs in the restaurant industry by providing researched cost/credit estimates and potential competitors
- Received JPMorgan Chase & Co.'s award for the Best Hack for Empowering Minority Entrepreneurs

GIFRadio, HackNY F17 Node.js, Express.js, GIPHY API

October 2017

- Developed a wordless music recommendation web app in a team of three that provides an alternative means of discovering music
- Created an API that provides a random list of GIFs as possible search queries to generate a Spotify playlist