Juan Cortez

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Education: Bachelor of Science, Electrical & Computer Engineering, December 2015

The University of Texas at Austin

Major Technical Core: Software Engineering

Experience: Staff Software Engineer, RigUp (2019-Present)

- Instrumental in bootstrapping a complete re-write for multiple internal and external micro frontends at the core of a multi billion dollar operation
- Implemented common & reusable UI patterns, and laid a foundation that is built upon robustness, performance, accessibility, testing, & scalability
- Founder of the RigUp Web Performance Guild. Held engineering wide workshops on how to write more performant code through the use of profiling tools and snipping exercises
- Designed a Slack bot that manages deployments of micro front ends on Kubernetes container

Software Engineer, Postmates (2019)

- Modified refund policies to prevent fraud; decreased company costs by \$165,000 per month
- Designed a new personalized experience for couriers that facilitates issue submission. Led to an overall savings of \$13,600 per month and average handle time (AHT) decrease of 4 minutes
- Created a React app that decreased AHT of pay related issues by 40% from 13 to 8 minutes
- Automated validation of closed merchant related issues which led to savings of \$11,000 per week
- Redesigned Postmates Support emails to provide a consistent experience across all Postmates channels
- Refactored Cypress integration tests with page object models; decreased time of completion by 43%
- Designed a system that proactively monitors VIP customers to ensure the best customer experience

Software Engineer 2, Microsoft (2017-2019)

- Architected a new Profile section on Office apps using React Native and Redux that features ways to collaborate with people in your network using Microsoft Artificial Intelligence
- Utilized node workers to reduce project build times from 30 minutes to 6 minutes, a 133% decrease
- Developed a customer onboarding React web experience on all Microsoft Office applications which led to a 1.58% lift in monthly annual revenue home renewal rate
- Assisted in converting the Windows application, Small Basic, to an online Graphical User Interface that compiles and runs the Small Basic programming language on any modern web browser

Staff Software Engineer, IBM (2015-2017)

- Developed a message templating engine for chat bots, such as Slack, Alexa, and Facebook Messenger
- Created Software Developer Kit to enable bot development on Open Whisks serverless technology
- Assisted in developing an Angular2 application, which allows users to manage and create bots
- Added the ability to manage conversations with a UI that performs CRUD operations against Cloudant
- Developed a new UI for a Conversational Commerce app which decreased website loading by 36%
- Employed WebRTC's real-time communication capabilities to develop a peer-to-peer video/chat app

Projects: Bootcamp Instructor, NuCamp (2019-Present)

• Fundamentals, React, & Node.js online instructor. Responsible for supporting students of diverse career, educational, and cultural backgrounds. Overall instructor rating of 4.86/5.00.

Webmaster, Society of Hispanic Professional Engineers (2018) https://github.com/juancortez/shpeaustin

• Developed a full-stack web application using Node.js, Express, Angular2, Redis, & Socket.io

Beagle Matrix (2013) https://elinux.org/Beagleboard:16x16 Beagle Matrix

Programmed an educational game using the Beagle Bone Black embedded microprocessor

Programming Languages: JavaScript, Python, Java, C, C++, C#, Unix/Linux, Scala, Assembly, MySQL **Web Technologies:** GraphQL, Node.js, TypeScript, React, React Native, Redux, Angular2, Gulp, Webpack

Foreign Languages: Fluent in Spanish speaking and writing

Leadership:

Skills:

Austin Stone, Missional Community Leader (2019-Present) Webmaster, Society of Hispanic Professional Engineers (2018) Intern Camp Counselor, Camp Microsoft (2018) Student Cluster Leader, LeaderShape-Texas (2014) Kappa Kappa Psi, Longhorn Marching Band (2010-2013)

Internships:

IBM, Software Engineer (2015)
Toshiba, Software Engineer (2015)
Cirrus Logic, Silicon Validation Engineer (2013-2014)
Texas Instruments, Software Engineer (2013)
Intel, Ultimate Engineering Experience Intern (2012)