Kenan Wang

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I Believe...

good ideas can change the world whether through products, research, books, or conferences.

Education

UC Berkeley

Math B.A., Physics B.A.

Alumni Scholar

NIST Research Fellow: demonstrating quantum dot functionalization influence on nanoparticleliposome interaction

President, Interfraternity Council

Certificates

Elite Data Science Machine Learning Accelerator

Kaggle SQL Camp

Machine Learning

SciPy Stack, Tensorflow, Keras, SQL, Systematic Data Science Process

Finished top 12% Google Tensorflow DataScience Competition: Natural Question Answering

Enron anomaly detection w/ Hopfield networks

Interests

Ghostwrote a book with a top TEDx Speaker

Committee member and Producer for TEDxSF, tens of millions of video views

Judge and Coach for Berkeley's Big Ideas Social Entrepreneurship competition

Highlights

User focus: performed interviews and analysis to drive onboarding, administration, and humanizing features for mobile Wikipedia

Analysis: overhauled A/B test review process with 40+ tests / mo

Agile delivery: launched a platform upgrade 3+ yrs in the works

Communication: gave presentations on and wrote white papers for the first enterprise app store in the world

Tech: coded PoC, audit tool, and tuning tool for ad optimization ML

Design: launched the first tablet interface for Wikipedia

Product Experience (* = acquired)

Product Manager ML I Hive Media Group Feb '20 - current Designed and launched ML products to change ad settings by user and optimize content. Coded PoCs, audit tool, and tuning tool.

Instituted quarterly product roadmaps to focus engineering and analysis. One result: launched an upgrade 3 years in the works.

Overhauled AB Test reviews to create clarity. One result: +30% rev on a new layout resulting in a new \$1M/yr line of business.

Integrated data team into Sprint and Product planning process.

Product Manager Mobile I Wikimedia Foundation Jul '13 - Aug '14 Launched mobile editing, observing +15% account signups.

Pitched and launched onboarding feature, +9% conversions.

Performed analysis proving that editors on mobile made large contributions, accelerating features aimed at administration.

Other projects: WYSIWYG mobile editing, tablet interface, iOS & Android apps, humanizing wiki

Product Lead (founding team) I AppCentral* May '08 - Jul '12 Gathered and managed requirements for the first Enterprise App Store in the world + our Security SDK, this got us VC funding.

Gave presentations to, collected requirements from, and wrote white papers for key customers: Honeywell, Mitsubishi, etc.

Employee #3, ran ops until '10: hiring, finance, marketing, etc.

Other Experience (* = acquired)

Consultant Mar '19 – Feb '20 Ops for startups in verticals: mobile, real estate, luxury travel, etc.

Editor, Manager I The Great Work Publishing Aug '17 - Mar '19 Started publishing house with top TEDx speaker.

VP Operations I Wellness Company* Aug '14 - Aug '17 \$10M+, Inc 5000 fastest growing company. Took NY to \$3M+ rev.

Partners Manager I Utopy* Jul '12 - Jul '13
Pro Services for 50% of pre-acquisition sales. Speech Recognition.