

# KEVIN CEN

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## EDUCATION

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- Imperial College London** – London, UK Sep 2019 – Present  
BEng Computing
- First Year: 84.1% overall including 91% Java. (First Class - **Dean's List**)
  - Second Year: 82.5% overall including 94% Software Engineering Design (First Class - **Dean's List**)
- Prior Pursglove College** – Guisborough, UK Sep 2017 – Jun 2019  
A Levels
- **4A\*s** in Computer Science, Maths, Further Maths, Physics.
  - Ranked **1st** academically out of **522** students taking A-Level in the college.

## EXPERIENCE

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- Facebook** – London, UK Jul 2021 – Sep 2021  
Software Engineering Intern
- Worked in WhatsApp Apple Companions team to implement VoIP front-end features unique to iPad.
  - Built a voice calling Picture-in-Picture view with audio visualisation for iPad.
  - Experience gained: Git, Objective-C, XCode
- Computer ConQuest** – Shangton, UK Aug 2020 – Oct 2020  
Software Development Intern
- Worked full-stack, implementing crucial owned property mortgage calculations and heavily redesigning the web-app's front end for the Brickflow project.
  - Experience gained: Git, TypeScript, C#, SASS, AngularJS, HTML.

## PROJECTS

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- LostCoin** – Signed an NDA Oct 2021 – Jan 2022
- Developed a divisible ERC721 token and tokenomic ecosystem to represent lost bitcoin wallets.
  - Built a webapp that interacts with MetaMask and the Ethereum blockchain to auction LostCoin.
  - Skills: Solidity, React, Typescript, Firebase, Git.
- Out of the Box** – [GitHub](#) May 2021 – Jul 2021
- Built a mobile gifting web-app, with interest-based suggestions, private wishlists and bill splitting.
  - Human-centred design using rapid iteration (vertical slice development) with focus on stakeholder feedback.
  - Skills: React Native, Typescript, Sequelize (PostgreSQL), Git.
- visuAlgorithm** – [GitHub](#) Jun 2020 – Jul 2020
- Created an algorithm visualiser of 13 different algorithms including: A\* pathfinding, Quicksort, Depth and Breadth First Searches, Prim's and Kruskal's maze generation, etc.
  - Used JUnit to implement unit tests such as testing if heuristics are consistent.
  - Skills: Java, JUnit, CSS, Gradle, Git
- ARM11 Group Project** – [GitHub](#) May 2020 – Jun 2020
- Built an ARM11 assembler and emulator.
  - Led a team to build an audio waveform using FFTW and SDL that is displayed on an LED matrix.
  - Skills: C, Git, Raspberry Pi.

## AWARDS

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- Dean's List I, II** Aug 2021
- Top 10% academic results in 1st and 2nd year.
- Best Entertainment Hack (2nd Place)** – [GitHub](#) Feb 2020
- Led a team of 5 freshers to build a Department of Computing themed escape-shooter game.
  - IC Hack 2020 - Largest student run hackathon in the UK.
- UKMT Senior Maths Challenge** Dec 2018
- Best-in-College, Best-in-Year, Gold Certificates.

## TECHNICAL SKILLS

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- **Programming languages:** Proficient in Java, Python; familiar with C, Objective-C, SQL, TypeScript; previously used React Native, Visual Basic, Haskell, JavaScript, C#.
- **Tools and Technologies:** Experienced with Git, JavaFX, JUnit; familiar with Linux, XCode, CSS/SASS, LaTeX, HTML; exposed to Gradle, AngularJS, Docker, Heroku, ANTLR.