# Kevin Kim

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# **EDUCATION**

# University of California San Diego

Sep 2021 - June 2025

Bachelor of Science in Computer Science

La Jolla, CA

Coursework: Operating Systems, Computer Graphics, Databases, Software Engineering, Data Structures, Algorithms Extracurriculars: CSES WebDev, CSES Open Source, ACM, Video Game Design, Varsity Esports, Rec Basketball GPA: 3.70

# EXPERIENCE

TrustThink Jan 2024 - June 2024

System and Security Engineering Intern

San Diego, CA

- Developing an ROS2 cryptographic API in C/C++ and OpenSSL that supports authentication, encryption, etc
- Providing easy API integration for developers with an SDK in C++ along with an emulator for example usage
- Enabling secure connection and communication between nodes with the **DDS** protocol and a standalone **PKI**

CSES WebDev Aug 2023 - Dec 2023

Lead Software Engineer

La Jolla, CA

- Led a team of 5 developers and designers for CSES WebDev's website using React, Python and PostgreSQL
- Ensured security for AWS S3 and RDS services by configuring VPC subnets to internal dev and prod scopes
- Reduced feature bugs by 95% with over 100 automated unit and integration tests using Github Actions

# University of California San Diego

May 2023 - Dec 2023

Instructional Assistant

La Jolla, CA

- Taught and led 2 sections for First Year Experience to provide first years campus resources and general guidance
- Supported over 30 students in 40+ office hours for professional and academic advice, referring specific resources
- Assisted fellow discussion leaders with content and material by providing powerpoints and day plans in advance

Thoth Coding

Dec 2019 - June 2021

Co-Founder Barrington, RI

- Co-founded an organization with 3 peers to virtually teach programming basics to over 600 students globally
- Tutored over 100 students on their final projects to guide and help with API use, OOD, structure, and syntax
- Co-developed several interactive Java programs by pair programming to provide practical examples of concepts

# Projects

# **EloEdge** | Python, pandas, R, Express, MongoDB

- Created an API for a client to turn 13 years of 12000+ past and present college football games into Elo ratings
- Achieved 60% accuracy in predicting game outcomes using an error function with custom k-factor and modifiers

#### PantryPal | JavaFX, MongoDB, Gradle, JUnit, Docker

- Developed a full stack recipe app in a team of 6 with GPT-3 and Whisper to turn voice commands into recipes
- Reduced bugs by 90% with over 200 unit and integration tests on CI/CD and by E2E testing BDD scenarios

#### StartLift | React Native, Express, PostgreSQL

- Created a mobile workout app for beginners to create focused routines from over 40 exercises that are filterable
- Securely stored over 50 users' info by utilizing bcrypt-hashed passwords, email verification and OAuth protocol

## Graphical Sort | Java, Swing, AWT

- Engineered an animation program to visualize how sorting algorithms work, utilizing Java Swing's **Timer** steps
- Supported over 800 animation speeds and 6 algorithms, and refactored 1000+ LoC to adhere to SRP and DRY

## Technical Skills

Languages: Java, C++, C, JavaScript, Python, HTML/CSS, R, SQL, TypeScript, Haskell, ARM, MATLAB Frameworks: Express, React, React Native, libssl, pandas, Django, CMake, Whisper, GPT-3, JavaFX, Swing, JUnit Developer Tools: Git, AWS, Docker, Gradle, OpenSSL, MongoDB, PostgreSQL, SQLite, MySQL, Jenkins, Postman