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Tech

Recent				
Python	Flask / Django	Vim / Shell Scripting		
Javascript	MySQL / Postgres / Redshift	Git(hub)/Stash/BitBucket		
Past				
Objective-C	JQuery / Angular	SVN / CVS / Perforce		
Java / C / C++ / C# / Self	xCode / iOS	Eclipse / Visual Studio		
PHP Perl	CodeIgniter Mason	IIS / Apache		

Experience

Affirm | Software Engineer

Jul 2015 - Current

Data platform team

The team is responsible for building our own proprietary financial platform, as well as our real-time high-throughput data processing pipeline

- Build and maintain the bank authentication pipeline for pulling in account infromation
- (In collaboraition with Infrastructure team) Architected the monitoring and alerting solution used by all internal platform teams

Jawbone | Senior Software Engineer

Apr 2014 - Jul 2015

Insights & Intelligence team

The team is responsible for building an intelligent guide that helps our users make good health choices

- Working on bullding the core intelligence for the Smart Coach brand
- Working on building the Insights system and the internal CRM system to manage the insight content

<u>Hearsay Social</u> | Generalist Software Engineer

Nov 2012 - Apr 2014

Engagement team

Team's goal was to keep the user engagement up and unblock any onboarding issues (growing the monthly active users)

- Designed and developed a notification platform for our software
- Worked on building the analytics and reporting framework

Microsoft Inc | Software Development Engineer - II

Dec 2009 - Nov 2012

Bing - Relevance

Team was responsible for ranking the top documents in Bing's algorithmic web search results (Top 100K queries)

- Developing new algorithms to extract ranking signals and features from petabytes of user browsing activity logs
- Using data mining and machine learning techniques to optimize user satisfaction metrics

Windows Live

Worked with two separate groups (Service Management / Monetization) on delivering project critical components

- Implemented a service for syncing data from a system store to a DHCP server (for the server to hand out correct IP leases required for PXE booting)
- Helped design the next generation monetization solution to better target Hotmail users

Internships 2004-2009

Microsoft Corporation: Windows Live Mesh - May 2009 - Aug 2009

Created an assembly that provisioned a delegated authentication token management service

Amazon.com Inc: Personalization - Aug 2007 - Dec 2007

Worked on a ranking mechanism to generate a tag set which describe the list recommended items

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Sun Microsystems : Complex Systems Group - Jan 2006 - Apr 2006

Participated in the design and development of a simulation infrastructure for the behavioral analysis of wireless sensor

networks

Amazon.com Inc: Digital Media Technologies - May 2005 - Aug 2005

Worked on the variety of upgrades to the digital media pipeline (mainly the first internal REST client to the S3 service)

Epson Canada: Barcode Recognition - Jan 2004 - Apr 2004

Developed a universal 2D barcode decoding application for hand-held image-scanners

Education

University of Southern California - Los Angeles, CA

2008 - 2009

Masters in Computer Science

Specialization in Human Language technology (Applied Artificial Intelligence)

University of Waterloo - Ontario, Canada

2003 - 2008

Bachelor in Applied Science - Computer Engineering (Honors)

Option in Software Engineering

Projects / Activities

-- Recent --

[Work In Progress] Wyser	Asha for Education	Weekend 10K Runner
Pulsico: Set future reminders	Ekal Vidyalaya	Noob guitar enthusiast
Portfolio Generator		Tennis enthusiast
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AuroFit: Plan your Workout

-- Past --

EZ Apps - iOS apps	Ekal Vidyalaya	Practicing Yoga
color.js	USC Trekkers group	
Structure extractor - Craigslist	Engineering Exploration Volunteer	
Transliteration - En to Hi		
ANN - Emotion Recognition		
Character Rise Me - Fb App		
Sudoku Solver - CSP		

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