

# Colin Lin

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## Education

### University of Toronto

Honours Bachelor of Science in Computer Science

Toronto, ON

September 2019 - June 2024

- **GPA:** 3.92/4.0
- **Relevant Courses:** Software Engineering, Data Structures and Algorithms, Databases, Computer and Network Security

## Experience

### HSBC

Vancouver, BC

Cloud Full Stack Engineer

December 2021 - Present

- Developed cloud-based web apps for HSBC Wealth Compass and US Product Onboarding using **React** and **Redux**
- Engineered RESTful APIs and API Orchestration layer using **Spring Boot** and **Express.js** microservices deployed on **AWS**
- Reduced maintenance cost by 40% by migrating legacy JavaScript codebase to **TypeScript**
- Worked closely with a cross time-zone **Agile Scrum** team to support systems critical to Retail Banking across North America
- Mentored 3 new employees and interns on frontend development, API design, and advanced product knowledge

### Ontario Institute for Studies in Education

Toronto, ON

Software Developer

October 2021 - June 2022

- Implemented new tools for collaborative learning software using **Angular**, **Fabric.js** and **Firebase**
- Established real-time data updates on virtual classroom whiteboards with over 30 concurrent users using **socket.io**
- Built a data collection framework for researchers to analyze classroom activity and generate reports

### University of Toronto Scarborough

Toronto, ON

Software Developer

September 2021 - February 2022

- Analysed trends across global news sites by constructing data visualizations using **Python**, **pandas**, and **Matplotlib**
- Improved the efficiency of the Python website crawler by 50% by applying filters and caching data
- Served browser-accessible **Jupyter Notebooks** for researchers using Jupyterhub deployed on the cloud

### UofT Hatchery

Toronto, ON

Software Engineer

May 2021 - October 2021

- Built time-saving dashboard features for a startup incubator program using **Vue.js**, **PHP**, and **WordPress**
- Designed **MySQL** database schemas to store user data and survey responses

### Cineplex Digital Media

Toronto, ON

Software Developer

September 2020 - April 2021

- Led the development of **web applications** and digital signage for clients such as RBC and Scotiabank
- Adapted **HTML**, **CSS**, and **JavaScript** projects to serve over 30 different countries, currencies, and languages
- Automated manual waiver signing process by building a customer-facing portal using **React**

## Projects

### Codebook

Toronto, ON

React, Node.js, Express.js, MongoDB, ShareDB, Docker, DigitalOcean, nginx

June 2022 - August 2022

- Developed a real-time collaborative coding application for conducting technical interviews
- Configured nginx reverse proxy to perform load balancing and TLS termination

### Rideshare API

Toronto, ON

Java, MongoDB, PostgreSQL, Neo4j, Docker, JUnit

July 2021 - August 2021

- Constructed Java REST APIs for a ridesharing service following the Microservices architecture
- Detected errors early in the development process by integrating JUnit tests in the CI/CD pipeline

## Skills

### Programming

Java, Python, C, HTML, CSS, JavaScript, TypeScript, PHP

### Frameworks and Libraries

Spring Boot, Node.js, Express.js, React, Angular, Vue.js, Redux, Bootstrap, NumPy, pandas

### Databases

MongoDB, MySQL, PostgreSQL, Firebase, Neo4j

### Tools

Git, Jira, Docker, AWS, WordPress, Heroku, Postman, nginx, Linux