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## SKILLS

LANGUAGES - Experienced  
Python, Javascript, C++,  
HTML, CSS

LANGUAGES - Familiar  
Java, C, SPARC, PHP,  
Bash

TECHNOLOGIES UNIX, Vim, Git,  
PostgreSQL, AWS,  
Heroku, Sketch, Jekyll

FRAMEWORKS Flask, Tornado, Express,  
React, Redux, JQuery,  
Foundation, Bootstrap,  
Scikit-learn, OpenCV,  
Phalcon

## ORGANIZATIONS

DESIGN.UCSD Web development  
March 2015 chair - organizes  
- Present meetings, holds  
workshops and  
organized development  
and built most of Jekyll  
site [http://  
designucsd.org](http://designucsd.org)

DS3@UCSD Member - Attended  
December 2015 workshops and a  
- March 2016 Kaggle team member -  
compared deep  
learning classifiers  
including ConvNets and  
M3N on the MNIST and  
YaleB Face datasets.  
Implemented KNN,  
KMeans, and  
multinomial Bayes'  
from scratch

## EXPERIENCE

Web Development Intern @ Solomid Corporation

January 2016 - Present

- Built frontend of <http://tsm.gg> using React/Redux
- Rebuilt frontend guide creation functionality and launched usability and interface fixes for the revamped <http://solomid.net>
- Built an async, self-caching League of Legends data tooltip API used on <http://probuilds.net> and <http://champion.gg>
- Used ES6+ Javascript, React, JQuery, Foundation, and Phalcon

Instructional Assistant @ UC San Diego

September 2016 - Present

- COGS187A: **Cognitive Aspects of Digital Design**
- Teaching introductory web development and design principles to a class of 100+ students. Holds workshops and office hours.
- Wrote script to **automate grading** of HTML/CSS coding projects

Tech Team Lead - SD Hacks

March 2016 - Present

- Coordinated and participated in design and development** of SD Hacks site <http://sdhacks.io> and **resume filtering tool** for sponsors, built using MEAN stack.
- Crafted flyers for SD Hacks events and prototypes of [sdhacks.io](http://sdhacks.io).

## EDUCATION

University of California, San Diego

October 2014 - Expected June 2018 Major GPA - 3.64 - Provost Honors

B.S. Computer Science, Minor in Cognitive Science

**Topics learned: computer organization, systems programming, web design and software development, data structures, algorithms, and machine learning**

COGS187B - Practicum in Professional Web Design

CSE100 - Advanced Data Structures

COGS185 - Advanced Machine Learning Methods

CSE101 - Design and Analysis of Algorithms

CSE110 - Software Development

## PROJECTS & HACKATHONS

Design at UCSD Website

June - September 2016 - [designatucsd.org](http://designatucsd.org)

- Website for Design at UCSD, a preprofessional design club at UCSD
- Did user research, storyboarding, sketching, wireframing, prototyping and built resulting site with HTML/CSS and Jekyll

BitMonster - 1st Place Blockchain API @ CalHacks

October 2015 - [bitmonster.herokuapp.com](http://bitmonster.herokuapp.com)

- Multiple-alias and anon **Bitcoin payment web application**
- Worked on **Bitcoin wallet authentication, transactions and frontend**; used the Blockchain API, Flask, HTML/CSS/JS, ReactJS, JQuery, Heroku, SQLite. Won \$1250 in Bitcoin

Kingmaker @ Money2020 Hackathon, Las Vegas

November 2015

- Zero stop shopping - uses **facial recognition** to authenticate and commit seamless checkouts.
- Worked on **design, frontend and transaction processing** and displaying using OpenCV, NumPy, MeteorJS, ReactJS, JQuery