

Louis Lam

Software Engineer

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Software engineer with a strong background in React and Node.js/Express, dedicated to building efficient and user-friendly applications. Passionate about exploring new technologies, personal development, and hobbies such as assembling liquid-cooled PCs and traveling.

SKILLS

Languages: TypeScript, JavaScript, HTML5, CSS, SQL, GraphQL, Python

Frameworks: React, Express, Next.js, Vue

Technologies: Node.js, Redux, React-Router, OAuth, Jest, SuperTest, CI/CD, NoSQL, MongoDB, PostgreSQL, Git/Github, Webpack, Vite, Vercel, SASS, Visx, Tailwind, Apollo, Serverless, AWS

EXPERIENCE

Reactime | Software Engineer | <https://www.reactime.me/>

August 2022 – Present

- Integrated D3 hierarchy and bar charts using Airbnb's Visx in a React UI, enabling data-driven performance optimization and better render time visualization
- Migrated codebase to TypeScript, resulting in a more maintainable and efficient codebase for faster developer onboarding
- Automated unit testing with Jest, increasing codebase coverage from 60% to 80% and improving confidence in future expansion
- Improved scalability and user experience for a high-traffic website by migrating from Gatsby to Next.js, reducing load times by 30% and increasing user engagement by 45%
- Mentored and guided 3 other engineers on team and orchestrated code-walkthroughs, providing explanations and constructive feedback
- Revamped a Chrome DevTool to effectively manage technical debt with a robust error handling system, benefiting thousands of developers
- Wrote documentation for prospective contributors, improving clarity and accessibility for new team members.

Eastern Network Express Inc | Developer | <https://www.easterngloballogistics.com/>

2019 - 2021

- Optimized SQL database interactions for efficient distribution of critical information, messages, and invoices to consumers based on consolidations, effectively managing financial transactions valued at over millions of dollars
- Implemented data integration script to streamline data entry and elevated website performance by overhauling and migrating the HTML/CSS codebase into Next.js, integrating Cloudinary API for faster loading, improved SEO, and trimmed server load by 70% by serving static files remotely
- Collaborated with UX designers to create user-friendly interfaces with pixel-perfect accuracy, resulting in a 25% improvement in user satisfaction; conducted cross-browser and cross-device testing to ensure 98% compatibility across diverse platforms

OPEN SOURCE PROJECTS

DiscordNotion | Notion Integration incorporating Discord as a medium

- Implemented a Node.js feature enabling creation and update of Notion database blocks through Discord, resulting in a 30% increase in productivity
- Employed asynchronous chaining to enhance RESTful API requests and data handling accuracy, cutting response time by 10%
- Devised a Discord Bot and Introduced advanced features, responding to user commands and execution of user inputs based on interactions, creating an intuitive and user-friendly product

Scrumify v2.0 | Digital Scrum Board to reinforce the principles of Agile methodology

- Architected reusable React UI components and 3-layer design patterns to enhance scaling efficiency and ensure a consistent and seamless user experience
- Utilized client-side routing with React Router to minimize HTTP server requests by 15% and provide a faster and more responsive product to users
- Designed and optimized the MongoDB database for optimal performance in data retrieval and 20% faster load times with indexing strategies
- Deployed Node.js/Express framework's middleware design pattern for isolation of concerns and requests for efficacious debugging

EDUCATION

Codesmith - Advanced Fullstack Engineering Residency

2022

Queens College

2019