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## EDUCATION

### York University

Toronto, Canada

Bachelor of Computer Science; Received (2) full-ride scholarships from Shopify and York University

Aug 2018 - May 2022

# SKILLS SUMMARY

• Languages & Frameworks: Go, JavaScript, React, Ruby, Rails, SQL, Nix, Bash

• Tools & Technologies: Kubernetes, Docker, Git, Linux, NixOS, GraphQL, Augmented / Virtual Reality

## EXPERIENCE

Charm
Developer

New York, NY (Remote)

May 2022 - Current

• Gum: Designed and built an open-source tool to help developers build better shell scripts (11k+ stars).

• VHS: Built a tool to help developers record automated demos for their CLIs and TUIs (6k+ stars).

**Shopify**Developer

Toronto, ON

Aug 2018 - Apr 2022

• Developer Tooling: Worked on Spin (cloud-based development environments)

- Improved set up time of Shopify's monolith from 20 minutes to 1 minute (20x improvement) through cloud environments
- o Infrastructure Security: Multi-tenancy Security
  - Worked on securing Shopify's multi-tenant infrastructure on Google Cloud Platform and Kubernetes by implementing better security practices
  - Worked on a tool to allow Shopify employees to request elevated permissions to our infrastructure on-demand to avoid
    accidental changes and to improve auditing / change visibility
- Augmented / Virtual Reality:
  - Worked on a pipeline to allow Shopify merchants to upload 3D models to their stores
  - Contributed to Google's <model-viewer> library: Interaction Prompt, Asynchronous Screenshots
  - Worked on machine learning technology to create a synthetic data set of thousands of images generated from a single 3D model to create a product recognition model.
  - Worked on size link, an augmented reality dimension visualization tool for easier online shopping (100k+ page views).

#### Locket Camera

Los Angeles, CA (Remote)

React-Native Developer

Jan 2022 - Apr 2022

- Locket Android: Built the entire Locket Android application in three months with React Native
  - Released Locket Android to the Google Play store.
  - 5 million+ downloads
  - $\bullet$  4.3 star rating with 46,000+ reviews

# Hawkeye Co-founder

Santa Barbara, CA (Remote)

May 2019 - Jan 2022

• User Testing: Built a research platform that provides insight on where (participating / consenting) users are looking while using products with only an iPhone. https://usehawkeye.com

- 30,000+ sign ups
- Accessibility: Built an application that allows people with motor disabilities to use their iPhone with only their eyes. https://usehawkeye.com/access
  - 250,000+ downloads
  - Featured on devices at Apple Retail stores

#### PATENTS

- Augmented reality-assisted methods and apparatus for assessing fit of physical objects in three-dimensional bounded spaces: https://patents.google.com/patent/US20220130126 (Pending)
- Computer-implemented systems and methods for in-store route recommendations: https://patents.google.com/patent/US20220092681 (Pending)
- Systems and methods for generating augmented reality content based on distorted three-dimensional models: https://patents.google.com/patent/US11398079 (Active)