

# MATTHEW DONOVAN

## SOFTWARE ENGINEER

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### PROFILE

Hands-on, collaborative software developer with a proven ability to quickly learn new languages, procedures, and technologies looking to grow technically and add value quickly.

### AREAS OF EXPERTISE

- Web applications
- Back-end development
- Agile methodology
- Testing processes
- Cross-skilled collaboration
- Version control (Git)

### EDUCATION

**University of Colorado, Boulder**  
**B.S., Computer Science, 5/2020**

*Graduated Magna Cum Laude*

*Major GPA: 3.9*

*Overall GPA: 3.8*

#### **Relevant Courses:**

Algorithms  
Big Data Architecture  
Computer Systems  
Cybersecurity  
Data Mining  
Data Science  
Data Structures  
Operating Systems  
Object-Oriented Analysis & Design  
Software Development Methods

#### **Honors / Scholarships:**

*Dean's List: 2016 – 2020*

*Chancellor's Achievement: 2016-2020*

*Wozniak Scholarship: 2019-2020*

### PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

#### **Software Engineer**

6/2020 to present

Good Green Technology - San Francisco, CA (Remote)

- Develop core API functionality while restructuring the code to be more testable.
- Design and integrate changes to the SQL database along with the corresponding backend code using Sequelize.
- Manage QA and production cloud instances on AWS for the server and database deployments.

#### **Software Engineering Intern**

5/2019 to 11/2019

LogRhythm - Boulder, CO

- Collaborated with a 10-person agile team to build out one of the LogRhythm SIEM APIs.
- Programmed in Golang developing endpoints that enable security analysts to view and organize information on suspicious network events across many machines.
- Built an internal testing tool using Docker that is composed of a RESTful API and a 3rd party test-double to automatically stub out downstream services.

### TECHNICAL PROFICIENCIES

Languages:	JavaScript Python	C++ Golang
Skills:	API Development Node.js MongoDB	AWS/GCP React.js SQL

### PROJECTS

**Crowdpleaser** – A music streaming web app in which users can host parties and invite friends with a unique party code. Everybody in the party can add songs to a shared priority queue and vote to determine which song plays next. Built using MongoDB, Express, Node.js, React and the Spotify Web Playback SDK.

**DropBucket** – File-hosting service using a RESTful Django API to communicate with GCP Storage Buckets, capable of synchronizing across multiple devices to manage downloading, uploading, and deleting files to reflect changes in the QT interface.

**Sorting algorithm visualizer** – A react web app that visualizes different sorting algorithms on a histogram. Users can set size, speed, algorithm, and display style to visualize Merge Sort, Insertion Sort, Selection Sort, and Bubble Sort. <https://mabthrew.github.io/sorting-visualizer/>