# Michael Shih Software Engineer

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<u>SKILLS</u> JavaScript, Ruby, Rails, Three.js, HTML, CSS, SCSS, React, Redux, AWS, Webpack, Render.io, postgreSQL, Express, MongooseDB, Node.js

### **PROJECTS**

SoulCandy | (Rails, postgreSQL, React, Redux, AWS, Webpack, Render.io)

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An E-commerce clone of skullcandy where users browse and purchase products by different categories

- Ensured user privacy and data persistence through login, storing user cart items in the relational database to be retrieved when the user logs in again on a separate browser.
- Implemented a categorized system using React to allow retrieval of data by querying specific categories or key words in the search bar.
- Connected the Rails back end to AWS S3 for media storage and organization while maintaining content security with AWS IAM.

Yum | (Express, React, Redux, MongooseDB, Node.js)

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An online food sharing app with geo location that allows users to browse and share food items

- Utilized Redux architecture's unidirectional data flow with React for predictable state and reliable DOM rendering.
- Incorporated MERN architecture through sub documented associations, reducing the number of tables by 50%.
- Implemented local strategy for user authentication with Passport.js, using BCrypt for password hashing.
- Collaborated with team of 3 engineers, utilizing efficient git and pull request workflow in order to minimize potential merge conflicts between Frontend and backend

Saikyou | (vanilla Javascript, three.js, HTML, CSS)

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A 3D interactive viewscape that represented the top 3 anime-related categories of the last 5 years.

- Integrated Three.js library into an interactive 3D space to provide a fun and different approach to data browsing experience.
- Applied 3js to incorporate texturized contents onto reusable mesh objects that can take on the appearance of video, images, or complete character designs.
- Integrated seamless transitions between HTML aspect and three.js aspect of different elements to link between the 2D representation of item details and the the 3D representation of browsing.

#### EXPERIENCE

#### Sales Assistant

Weasel Westside, Ltd.

Oct 2018 - Nov 2019

- Mediated as simultaneous Mandarin translator to coordinate communication between Chinese team manager and potential US clients.
- Authored a data parser for excel to extract data from product management software, helping colleagues reduce workload time by 10%.
- Represented the company at U.S. trade conventions to garner clients and business.
- Planned, budgeted, analyzed the profit/loss of attending convention at the cost of \$10k.
- Facilitated emergency shipping of products to major customers, resulting in high customer satisfaction.

## **EDUCATION**

Soochow University- Bachelor of Fine Arts English, 2014-2018

AppAcademy - Immersive software development course with focus on full stack web development. August 2022