

Maygan Lightstone

Full-Stack Software Engineer

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SKILLS

- React / Javascript / Typescript
- Python (Flask / Tornado)
- PostgreSQL (BigQuery)
- NoSQL (DynamoDB)
- iOS (Swift / Objective C)
- Android (Java / Kotlin)
- Cloud Computing (AWS)
- WCAG Accessibility
- LLM Prompt Engineering
- Git/Github/Github Actions
- Datadog
- Mixpanel
- Figma
- Salesforce

EDUCATION

Bachelor of Arts, Sociology

San Francisco State University

PROFILE

Full-Stack Software Engineer with 5+ years of experience building and scaling web and mobile applications. Passionate about education, community, and building user-centered, high-impact, delightful products.

EXPERIENCE

Diffit

Diffit is an AI tool for teachers to get “just right” instructional materials, saving tons of time and helping all students to access grade level content.

Founding Engineer | 2024-Current

- Design and implement AI-powered features for teachers to create instructional materials tailored to their subjects and their individual students' levels
- Own data collection, measurement, and synthesis, as well as stakeholder communication by presenting findings both directly to the CEO and CPO as well to the broader product team in company-wide meetings
- Designed and developed a feature which allows teachers to find and generate teaching materials for chapters books they are using in their classroom
- Worked cross functionally to automate our Sales pipeline by developing a feature for end-users to purchase without needing to reach out to Sales

Seesaw Learning

Seesaw keeps everyone in the learning loop by connecting teachers, administrators, students, and families to support each child's learning journey.

Software Engineer | 2019-2025

- Technical lead for a company-wide initiative to fully rewrite mobile applications using a modern, web-first approach; designed the architecture, led other engineers, and contributed substantially to code development
- Co-led a company-wide initiative to bring the 5+ year-old product into full WCAG AA compliance
- Owned the mobile platforms by writing and maintaining the bulk of our native code and improving the release process over time, including build process automation
- Helped build, maintain, and grow the student and teacher facing “Creative Tools”