



# Filip Hrenić

PRODUCTION ENGINEER · SITE RELIABILITY ENGINEER

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## Experience

### Facebook

London, United Kingdom

PRODUCTION ENGINEER

Nov 2018 - Present

- **Elasticsearch** (Jan 2020 - Present)
  - designing, building and maintaining all of Elasticsearch infrastructure at Facebook
  - working with teams using Elasticsearch to understand their needs and onboard them
  - designed cluster architecture and integration with Facebook systems; entire cluster lifecycle management
  - implemented a continuous integration and deployment solution for Elasticsearch clusters - CI/CD pipelines with custom monitoring and push strategies
  - security for Elasticsearch clusters - carried out threat model analysis, configured TLS, implemented ACLs (access control lists - authorization)
- **Vulnerability Management** (Nov 2018 - Jan 2020)
  - building distributed systems architecture to discover and manage vulnerabilities in all of Facebook infrastructure
  - helping build "Vulnerability Management-as-a-Service" - self serviced vulnerability discovery, monitoring and alerting
  - working with external partners (companies) on integrating multiple vulnerability providers into our system to broaden coverage and increase discovery speed
  - cross functional work with numerous other teams to help them surface vulnerabilities in their libraries/repositories/services/hosts and helping them remediate
  - one of the core maintainers of Facebook's opensource tools and libraries for managing vulnerability data ([nvdtools](#))
- **Misc**
  - interviewing candidates for jobs at Facebook - coding and systems (Linux) interviews for engineers
  - primary point of contact ("bootcamp mentor") for Facebook newcomers - assigning tasks, tracking progress, helping with team selection, introducing the Facebook culture
  - helping new team members with onboarding - finding tasks and projects, explaining how the systems work, etc.
  - presenting on internal conferences at Facebook
  - [presented my life journey](#) as an engineer to numerous Middle schools across the UK, as part of the Primary Engineer Programme

### Twitter

San Francisco, California

HADOOP INFRASTRUCTURE INTERN

Jun 2018 - Aug 2018

- worked on detecting bad hadoop data nodes and automating remediations
- developed a more efficient way to extract metrics from log files
- set up monitoring and alerting for newly exposed metrics
- implemented a highly configurable and easy to use health check framework in Python
- Technologies: Python, Puppet, git, Bash tools & scripting

### Facebook

London, United Kingdom

PRODUCTION ENGINEER INTERN

Sep 2017 - Nov 2017

- Windows Developer Infrastructure team, supporting Oculus team
- worked on a system which would enable taking snapshots of virtual machines used for ephemeral tasks, like running tests
- sped up the process of cleaning the VM and returning it to a healthy state, instead of provisioning it all over again
- Technologies: Python, BTRFS, QEMU, Hack, internal tools

### University of Zagreb, Faculty of Electrical Engineering and Computing

Zagreb, Croatia

UNDERGRADUATE AND GRADUATE TEACHING ASSISTANT

Oct 2013 - Mar 2018

- helping other students to learn and overcome difficulties in following classes:
- 2017/2018 - Operating Systems
- 2016/2017 - Digital Logic, Software Design, Internet Security, Artificial Intelligence, Network Programming, Basics of Java Programming Language, Introduction to Knowledge Management, Distributed Big Data Processing
- 2015/2016 - Mathematics 3, Probability and Statistics
- 2014/2015 - Mathematics 1&2, Digital Logic, Programming and Software Engineering, Algorithms and Data Structures, Electronics 1
- 2013/2014 - Mathematics 1, Digital Logic

## Sofascore

RESEARCH AND DEVELOPMENT ENGINEER

Zagreb, Croatia

Dec 2015 - Sep 2017

- developed a machine learning model for classifying users which enabled admins and moderators to monitor chat rooms with many "bad" users (swearing, posting fake scores, ...)
- developed a system which would detect others scraping the website
- created and developed the initial infrastructure for aggregation and querying of football player statistics

## Genome Institute of Singapore

RESEARCH OFFICER

Singapore

Jul 2015 - Sep 2015

- used customized mathematical models for simulating intraspecies interactions in the human microbiome
- presented scientific papers on that subject to the entire team
- Technologies: MatLab, Python

## Education

### University of Zagreb, Faculty of Electrical Engineering and Computing

Zagreb

MASTER'S DEGREE, TELECOMMUNICATIONS AND INFORMATIONS

Oct. 2016 - Sep. 2018

- Thesis: Design of the IPv4 Routing System Based On Field-Programmable Gate Arrays
- GPA: 4.70/5

### University of Zagreb, Faculty of Electrical Engineering and Computing

Zagreb

BACHELOR'S DEGREE, COMPUTER SCIENCE

Oct. 2013 - Jul. 2016

- Thesis: Detection of Inappropriate Messages in Online Chats
- GPA: 4.86/5
- Additional courses: Discrete and Continuous mathematics, Programming in Haskell, Introduction to Java Programming Language, Object Oriented Programming, Basic use of Linux Operating System, Advanced use of Linux Operating System

## Honors & Awards

### Google & Udacity

Zagreb, Croatia

ANDROID PROGRAMMER PATH SCHOLARSHIP

Jan 2017

- Google's Associate Android Developer Certification

### "Stipo Lozić-Baškarad" Foundation

Zagreb, Croatia

SCOLARSHIP FOR TALENTED STUDENTS

Oct 2015 - Oct 2018

- "... advanced undergraduate, graduate and postgraduate students in mechanical, electrical and traffic sciences ..."

### A\*STAR

Singapore, Singapore

SINGAPORE INTERNATIONAL PRE-GRADUATE AWARD (SIPGA)

Jul 2015

- "... short-term research attachments for international students ..."

### Faculty of Electrical Engineering and Computing

Zagreb, Croatia

"JOSIP LONČAR" AWARD - BEST STUDENTS IN CLASS (TOP 1%)

Nov 2014 - Nov 2016

- Academic year 2015/2016 (third year of study)
- Academic year 2014/2015 (second year of study)
- Academic year 2013/2014 (first year of study)

### Rotary International

Varaždin, Croatia

HIGH SCHOOL EXCELLENCE AWARD

May, 2013

- Award for best high school students in class

## Skills

Languages	Golang, Python, Java, C, PHP, Bash
Technologies	git, mercurial, Linux, Elasticsearch, MySQL, PostgreSQL, Hadoop, Vagrant, Docker, Spring
Interests	Hiking, skiing, tennis; cognitive psychology, NLP