NAKUL PATHAK

SKILLS

- Languages: Ruby, Python, Javascript, C++, SQL, Bash.
- Frameworks: Ruby on Rails, Flask, Django.
- Tools: *nix, Vagrant, Docker, Chef, Nginx, Sensu, Elasticsearch.

Work

• Shopify, Growth Engineering/Identity Co-op.

September 2016 - December 2016

Tech Stack: Ruby on Rails, Coffeescript, Git.

- Helped set up initial foundations for Single Sign On project including authentication flows following OAuth2 and Open ID Connect specifications.
- Reduced image load times on shopify.com by 10% by adding CDN tools across the application.
- Migrated models from storing data in YAML files to SQLite database thus allowing faster database lookups.
- Oracle Eloqua, Developer Operations Co-op.

January 2016 - April 2016

Tech Stack: Ruby, Bash, Vagrant, Chef, Docker, Sensu, Elasticsearch, Git.

- Improved TeamCity agents' set up process by allowing parallel execution and reducing set up time per machine from 4 hours to 1.5 hours by automating the pipeline through Chef, Bash scripts & Rake tasks.
- Reduced quarterly maintenance time from a **2 hours to 5 minutes** by creating Bash scripts to shutdown and start up various services across over 20 virtual machines.
- Set up an internal gem server by creating a Docker container deployed using Apache Mesos.
- Shopify, Software Developer Co-op, Payments Team.

May 2015 - August 2015

Tech Stack: Ruby on Rails, Coffeescript, Git.

- Added over **100** third party payment system integrations by automating addition of these systems to Shopify. Led project from early prototype to beta phase through test-driven development.
- Improved accuracy of financial GMV calculations by 5% by filtering duplicate responses sent by external payment gateways.
- Created and integrated open-source *Payment Icons* gem across Shopify's codebase, providing a uniform way of adding payment icons into any Rails app.

Projects

• Personal Blog Gem | 🖸 | 🗹

February 2016

- Ruby gem that adds a responsive and customizable personal blog with markdown support and code syntax highlighting to any Rails application.
- Downloaded over 1500 times since March 17, 2016.
- Tools: Ruby on Rails Engines, HTML, CSS, Javascript.

• One Press Man | UofT HACKS 2016, 2nd Place | 🗘

January 2016

- Application that uses the Pebble watch's controls as a discrete, quick panic button to message preselected contacts and 911 in emergency situations.
- Tools: C, Pebble SDK, Java.

• MyoRunner | ENGHACK, 2nd Place | 🖸

November 2014

- Arm gesture controlled Temple Run type browser-based game.
- Tools: Lua and Myo SDK.

EDUCATION

• Bachelor of Software Engineering, University of Waterloo

September 2014 - August 2019

- Currently in 3rd year (3A term).
- Extensively used C++ in multiple courses to learn programming concepts.