# **NATHAN TANG**

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#### **EDUCATION**

# University of Alberta

September 2019 – April 2024 (Expected)

- Bachelor of Science (BSc) in Computing Science Specialization in Software Practice
- Data structures, algorithms, computer architecture, databases, operating systems, software design and analysis, networking and security, distributed systems and cluster computing

#### **EXPERIENCE**

## **Dotdash Meredith** Software Engineering Intern

May 2022 - Present

- Developed and maintained **real-time bidding** and user insight platforms among programmatic advertising partners to ensure high-quality delivery both server-side and client-side across desktop and mobile platforms
- Built data-driven solutions to analyze and optimize ad performance using tools such as **Google Lighthouse**, **Google Analytics**, and reporting dashboards through **Kibana** and Looker Studio
- Optimized client-side requests to Google Ad Manager, directly increasing ad visibility and performance
- Collaborated with product managers, engineering, and operations teams to troubleshoot and resolve critical ad delivery issues across brand sites
- Rewrote tagging library test suite with updated test methodologies, and addressed broken or outdated tests to
  reflect the evolving functionalities of **Prebid**, ensuring comprehensive test coverage and improving overall code
  quality

#### **PROJECTS**

**Rideshare App** | Typescript, React, Express, PostgreSQL, Redis *github.com/rideshareapp* 

- Developed a full-stack rideshare application centred around regularly scheduled events. Implemented a REST API backend with authentication using the **OAuth 2.0** protocol (Berypt and JWT).
- A fully-featured database implements users, drivers, administrators, and scheduled trips and events.
- Frontend built on **React** using hooks and functional components. Uses Google Maps API to display user location and driver status.

Steve | Javascript, Node.js, Docker, MySQL

github.com/nathanlytang/steve

- A Discord-verified bot that grabs Minecraft server information over the UDP query protocol to return server status and player info. Runs on the Node.js environment in Docker.
- Deployed to over 400 Discord VoIP servers with **hundreds of active** users every day.

wg-cli | C, Bash

github.com/nathanlytang/wg-cli

- A CLI tool to manage Wireguard VPN servers built for Linux, using C and C standard libraries.
- Automates key generation, and peer creation and deletion. Increases productivity upwards of 10x.

### **Homelab** | Proxmox, Docker

- Used **DevOps** practices to learn and deploy **scalable applications** and shorten the development lifecycle to improve code quality and delivery.
- Implement a modern network using TCP/IP, VPNs, VLANs, and firewalls using physical network infrastructure.

## TECHNICAL SKILLS

Languages Python, C, Typescript/Javascript, Golang, Java, HTML/CSS, SQL, Bash

Databases MySQL, PostgreSQL, MongoDB, Redis, Cloud Firestore

Technologies React, Express, Django, Node.js, Git, Docker, Android, Windows, Linux, AWS