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Education

August 2017 — December 2021 (Expected)

Candidate for Bachelor of Science in Computer Science, *Georgia Institute of Technology*, Atlanta, GA.
- GPA: 3.86/4.00
- Threads: Intelligence, Info & Internetworks
- Relevant Coursework: Algorithm Design and Analysis, Database Technologies, Machine Learning, Computer Networking, Systems and Networks, Game AI, Intro to Info Security, Intro to Artificial Intelligence, Computer Organization

Experience

May 2021 — August 2021

Software Engineer Intern, *NCR Innovation Lab*, Remote.
- To be determined

September 2020 — December 2020

Software Engineer Intern, *UKG*, Remote.
- Cut daily standup time in half by creating a dashboard with **React** and **TypeScript** that aggregates and visualizes metrics from **JIRA**, **TeamCity**, **PagerDuty**, and other internal sources
- Discovered and resolved a race condition between a **MongoDB** database and a **C#** back-end which caused dispositions to a job application's status to be discarded

June 2020 — August 2020

MLH Fellow, *Major League Hacking*, Remote.
- Selected as **one of 150 Fellows from a pool of 20,000 applicants** to be a member of the Fellowship's inaugural class
- Used **TypeScript** and a **cross-compilation toolchain** to implement functionality in the **AWS Amplify CLI** that allows users to write, test, and deploy **Lambda functions** with **Swift**
- Wrote user-facing documentation and guides, as well as developer-facing design documents, with the AWS Amplify team

May 2019 — August 2019

Software Engineer Intern, *DataScan*, Alpharetta, GA.
- Established pattern for new **REST API endpoints** in a **Spring Boot** application that perform lightweight existence/authorization checks for subresources
- Relocated frequently accessed, but rarely modified, information from an **Oracle database** to a **Redis** in-memory cache

January 2018 — May 2020

Rise Up Undergraduate Assistant, *College of Computing, Georgia Institute of Technology*, Atlanta, GA.
- Led weekly webinars and monthly in-person sessions, explaining and demonstrating fundamental computer science concepts to Georgia high school students
- Helped organize and run the 2018 and 2019 **AP Bowl**, during which **over 300 Georgia high school students** took a mock AP Computer Science exam on Georgia Tech's main campus

Involvements

August 2019 — Present

GT Solar Racing, *Telemetry Team Member*.
- Redesigned a two-way telemetry message protocol to support 4x more message types to and from the vehicle
- Maintaining server written in **Go** that listens for and processes the vehicle's vitals in real time via a **TCP connection**
- Integrating **Grafana** visualization tool with **InfluxDB** to monitor the state of the vehicle as it races

Personal Projects

Command Line Interface

lancp, *A simple tool for easily transferring files between two machines on the same network*.
- Used **Go** to write a tool that is similar to **scp** and **rsync**, but more convenient to use
- Allows two devices to discover each other with passphrases sent in plaintext through **UDP broadcast messages**
- Sends file contents over a secure **TLS connection** after generating and exchanging a **self-signed certificate**

Discord Bot

HMM Mimicker, *Generates messages of the same vocabulary and sentence structure as a corpus*.
- Uses a **hidden Markov model** built from a customizable corpus to produce messages in a Discord text channel
- Used **Go** to implement a content generation model, and to build a bot which parses commands from users and posts messages
- Wrote a comprehensive **unit and integration test suite**. Deployed as a **container image** to **Google Cloud**

Web Application

Friendly Competition, *Compares a League of Legends player's recent in-game performance with that of their friends*.
- Aggregates and visualizes hallmark in-game statistics for four players, letting them compare themselves to each other
- Wrote a **Node.js** application to fetch and analyze in-game performance data from RESTful APIs
- Used **React** and **JavaScript** to build a web front-end that displays those results with **Chart.js**

Skills and Attributes

Languages TypeScript, JavaScript, Go, Java, Python, Swift, HTML, CSS

Frameworks React, Redux, React Native, Spring, Express, Jest

Technologies Git, Docker, Amazon Web Services, Node.js, GNU/Linux, PostgreSQL, Grafana, InfluxDB, Redis