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EDUCATION

University of British Columbia, BASc Computer Engineering

Sept 2014 – Sept 2019

• Current recipient of Trek Excellence Scholarship: **top 5%** of Computer Engineering.

SKILLS

- Languages: Python, Java, Go, JavaScript, C++, Swift, Scala, Ruby, Bash.
- Technologies: Docker, AWS, GCP, Terraform, Ansible, Kafka, React, Vue, REST, JSON.

EXPERIENCE

Shopify, Software Engineering Intern – Data Infrastructure (Python, Go, Scala) Jan – Aug 2018

- Built a Scala service to replicate 100K+ daily SQL queries onto Presto clusters for testing updates and performance.
- Developed a full-stack **Rails** application to visualize deployments, resources, and access control in all **GCP** projects and run scheduled health checks.
- Built a CLI to manage GCP deployments, enabling self-served services such as Presto,
 Mode, YARN, Azkaban for all teams.
- Shipped a macOS application using **MVC** architecture, reducing authentication for data services to a Google login.

Hootsuite, Software Developer Intern – Production Operations (Python, Go) Sept – Dec 2017

- Embraced immutable infrastructure for internal services by using: Terraform to develop infrastructure as code, Ansible to configure AWS instances, and Packer to build AMIs and Docker images.
- Automated resource access management when on/offboarding developers to reduce toil.
- Developed Role-Based Access Control for all services to enable SOC2 compliance.

University of British Columbia, Undergraduate Researcher (Java, C) May – Sept 2017

- Developed DINAMITE, a software performance analysis tool for C programs
- Reduced 50-100% overhead in CPU tracing by leveraging RTDSC instruction to capture timestamps.
- Established Java support for DINAMITE by implementing CPU tracing using JVM TI to communicate with C libraries, ASM to inject bytecode instructions, and Java's instrumentation API to attach a Java agent.

Safe Software, Software Developer Intern – Platforms (Java, C++) May – Dec 2016

- Migrated C++ compiler from VS 2015 to 2017 for 800+ projects enabling C++11 features.
- Implemented the Teradata format using JDBC, allowing clients to read from and write to Teradata databases.

PROJECTS

UBC Course Schedule Creator (Go, JavaScript, Python)

Aug 2017 – April 2018

- Built a full-stack application using **Vue**, Go, and Firebase with **CI/CD** to output schedules given input courses.
- Automated scraping data for all courses at UBC into Firebase using AWS Lambda.

Spotty, 1st place at RUHacks (JavaScript)

May 2018

- Created an IoT solution allowing hosts to advertise parking spaces.
- Integrated Raspberry Pi, Alexa, cameras, sensors to a **NodeJS** and **React Native** application.

Review Me, AWS prize winner at Hack the Valley (JavaScript, Python)

Feb 2018

- Created a tool to remind reviewers to review code via SMS/Slack messages.
- Implemented frontend using React and backend using Flask, GitHub API, Slack API, AWS.

Atlantis, an **open-source** tool for collaborating on Terraform (Go)

Oct - Dec 2017

Implemented Slack integration, enabling Atlantis servers to notify Slack channels.

Toy Gun Turret (C, Java)

Jan 2017 - Apr 2017

- Integrated a camera, LCD screen, Wi-Fi/Bluetooth chip, motors to track objects, rotate, take pictures, and fire projectiles.
- Implemented object tracking and motion detection using OpenCV.

UBC Snowbots (Python, C, C++)

Sept 2014 - Sept 2016

- Built a robot that navigates through an obstacle course, placing 4th/42 teams at an international competition.
- Integrated GPS firmware to relay real-time data for software driver to make decisions.