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EDUCATION

University of California, Davis

Davis, CA

B.S. in Computer Science and Engineering

Expected Graduation Spring 2025

- Engineering GPA: 3.60/4.00
- Relevant Coursework: Advanced Algorithm Design & Analysis, Data Structures & Algorithms, Object Oriented Programming, Advanced Computer Architecture, Machine Dependent Programming, Discrete Mathematics

TECHNICAL SKILLS

Languages Java, Typescript, Javascript, C, C++, Python, Swift, HTML/CSS, SQL, R, x86 Assembly

Frameworks React.js, React Native, Node.js, Redux, Next.js, Spring Boot, SwiftUI, Express.js, Mongoose, PyTorch **Technologies** PostgreSQL, XCode, Android Studio, MongoDB, Vercel, MySQL, Git, AWS, Postman, Docker, Linux

EXPERIENCE

Vimbly Group

Manhattan, NY

Senior Software Engineer Intern

May 2024 - Present

Vimbly Group

Manhattan, NY

Software Engineer Intern

May 2023 - Aug 2023

- Engineered core frontend functionality and mobile app screens for *Mobile Text Alerts*, an online SMS marketing platform that sends **100M+** messages across **20,000+** companies with over eight figures in annual revenue
- Developed key screens and features from scratch such as the Settings Screen and Two-Factor Authentication for the mobile app in **React Native** and **Typescript** to ensure a smooth, reliable, and responsive user experience leading to an increase of +5,000 weekly visitors
- Enhanced customer interaction by implementing a new AI Text Generator Tool, SmartSMS Suggest, in addition to revamping the customer support platform infrastructure and frontend using **React** and **Node.js** to better aid the customer support team which expedited customer complaint resolution times by over 35%
- Responsible for promptly documenting and resolving **Android** and **iOS** code base issues through streamlined processes and cross-functional communication to deliver a high-quality, error-free application

BillionMinds Remote

Software Engineer Intern, Frontend

Sep 2023 - Dec 2023

- Created two web dashboards for *BillionMinds* to better display their adaptability and resilience scores by utilizing **MongoDB** to store the values and display charts, along with **Next.js** and **TailwindCSS** to help clients manage and view their company's data
- Aggregated data from dozens of APIs into a MongoDB database with AWS Lambda Serverless functions and queried
 it from the frontend to populate the dashboard and charts
- Developed three initial **Next.js** prototypes into a cohesive, high-fidelity product through continuous collaboration with designers and *BillionMinds* to achieve a robust and functional end result

Department of Pharmacology at UC Davis, Hell Lab

Davis, CA

Research Assistant

Jun 2022 - May 2023

- Developed and implemented code to a peptide analysis program via MATLAB, collaborating with a team of developers to improve its functionality and performance by over 150%
- Conducted fluorescence-based protein synthesis on 2×10^5 beads on a weekly basis and dissected high-quality membrane tissue protein samples from mice to help the lab reach its goals
- Conducted weekly code reviews to ensure proper syntax quality for readability and functionality

PROJECTS

Training Tool | Java (CodeLab Medium)

- Rebuilt the backend for CodeLab's internal training tool using Java, PostgreSQL, and Spring Boot to significantly improve the platform's scalability and performance
- Developed fundamental CRUD routes for managing cohorts, courses, modules, and lessons—providing efficient and versatile data interaction capabilities
- Implemented user authentication and authorization with Spring Boot, enabling role-based access control for board members, project managers, developers, and designers
- Created comprehensive relational database schemas in PostgreSQL to outline CodeLab's bootcamp course structure, optimizing data retrieval processes