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EDUCATION

B.S., Computer Science

University of California, San Diego

m Sept 2020 - Jun 2024

Q La Jolla, California

EXPERIENCE

Software Engineering Intern, Deploy (Infrastructure)

Stripe

m Jun 2022 - Sept 2022

♀ Seattle, Washington

- Implemented an automated data pipeline and wrote queries for a metrics dashboard to provide visibility into the usage of infrastructure
- Conducted user interviews with a manager and several engineers to understand the pain points of incident response
- Developed and shipped a tool that improves incident response by surfacing commonly created locks as an intern hackathon project which was selected by our CTO to be presented to Stripe's co-founders and 1.7k Stripes during a company-wide meeting
- Integrated infrastructure locks with a command line tool controlling automated host cycling, allowing the system to be disabled/enabled when needed
- Completed an incident remediation that improves an internal tool by preventing a human error from occurring in the future

Skills: Go, gRPC, Protocol Buffers, Ruby, Sorbet, Mocha, Apache Airflow, Apache Parquet, Trino, Python, Typescript, React, Bazel

Software Engineering Intern

SiriusXM Connected Vehicle Services

m Jun 2021 - Aug 2021

- Developed a support Slack bot using NLP to assist 160+ engineers with resolving API issues, reducing load for support engineers
- Implemented a user friendly UI that displays key information from SiriusXM APIs to aid engineers in their debugging process, eliminating the need to make manual requests to APIs
- Consulted support and security engineers to best cater the integration to their needs and ensure company security and data privacy requirements were met

Skills: AWS/Serverless Framework (Lambda, DynamoDB, Amplify), Slack API (Bolt), React, Python, Jira, BitBucket, Jenkins

Software Engineer

Drizzle Co.

Jun 2020 - Sept 2020

Remote

- Developed and shipped six full stack projects, working on API design, database design, user authentication, and CI/CD integration

Skills: Python, Flask, Vue.js, Vuetify, React, SQLAlchemy, GraphQL. Swagger, Twitter API, Heroku, Docker, pytest, Codecov, Buildkite, Git

Notable Projects

- Feeds a web app and API for makers to manage their IoT data
- Salary Database API for browsing public H1B salary data
- Twitter Blast a tool to connect with Twitter followers via DM

Software Engineer

PilotCity

Feb 2021 - Apr 2021

- **♀** Remote
- Developed frontend and backend logic for a web application enabling hundreds of high school students to build projects for various employers to win internships
- Debugged production builds to ensure stability for users

Skills: Vue.js, Vuetify, MongoDB Atlas/Realm, AWS, Twilio, Git

Rootup

GPA: 3.9 May 2018 - May 2020

Lead Software Engineer

Remote

- Developed a RESTful backend and 4 database schemas with the Rails ORM that manages all user data and implemented over 80 frontend desktop and mobile design iterations
- Configured cron jobs facilitating the sending of our newsletter
- Managed app deployments and debugged production errors to ensure app stability for over 60 users
- Cut deployment costs by over 50% by optimizing deployment resources and services
- Reached top 10 on Pioneer leaderboard

Skills: Ruby on Rails, PostgreSQL, jQuery, Google App Engine, Google Cloud Storage, Heroku, Travis Cl, Zeplin, Git

ACTIVITIES

Full Stack Developer

Triton Software Engineering

Mov 2020 - Present

♀ La Jolla, California

- Developed web applications for various non-profit organizations in an Agile environment using the MERN software stack and more

Projects

- A foster dog matching portal for The Animal Pad
- A new member recruitment and roster management tool for the club to organize member profiles and their projects
- A mobile app promoting family literacy for Words Alive
- A web app for Feeding San Diego that helps track current food supply

Skills: MongoDB, Express, React, Node.js, Go, React Native + Expo, Typescript, Firebase, Figma, Git

PROJECTS

jufa - A mobile app for virtually connecting with new people in a stay-at-home world built with Expo, Express, and Apollo.

ideaHunt - A mobile app to freely share ideas and projects with a community built with Expo and Python/Flask.

Drawma - A multiplayer drawing game where each player contributes a piece of an image built with React and Firebase

uWeb (microWeb) – Web server for wifi-based micro-controllers running MicroPython featuring URL routing, HTTP request parsing, HTML template rendering, and static file serving

uPixels - RGB LED strip controller built with uWeb for MicroPython micro-controllers accessible via a REST API and a web interface

DatStreamer – Desktop application for streaming music from DatPiff.com written in Java using JavaFX and jsoup

Lokr – Python password manager featuring password encryption and a tkinter user interface

libsonyapi - Python binding for the Sony Camera API that interfaces directly with a Sony camera via SSDP and HTTP

pylapse - Python time-lapse shooter built using libsonyapi and tkinter for Sony cameras with automatic capture timing

PyLyrics - tkinter application that scrapes lyrics for songs currently playing in Spotify from Genius.com and displays them

shiptivitas - Project for Forage Y Combinator startup training program using Express/Node.js and SQL queries for analytics