

## Gerard Bartolome

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**OBJECTIVE:** To build a better Data Ecosystem by focusing on platform and infrastructure first and scale to be adaptable and agnostic for long-term usability. Subject matter expert in data platform architecture and engineering, database analytics, data warehouse architecture, application development, software implementation and infrastructure.

- **Languages:** Java 8-11, Golang 1.15-1.19, Scala 2.12, Python 2-3, Node.js, C#, C++, Transact-SQL, PL/SQL, ANSI SQL, Terraform HCL, Helm Kubernetes Manager
- **Blockchain:** Solana, EVM (Ethereum, Polygon, Cardano, Tron, Binance, Fantom)
- **ETL/ELT:** Proprietary (Golang, Scala/Java Driven Applications), Apache Spark 3.3.0 (AWS EMR/Databricks), Apache Kafka, Apache Flink, AWS Kinesis, AWS Lambda, Talend Open Studio, IBM Datastage, Informatica, MS SSIS
- **Data Store:** PrestoDB, Delta.io Lakehouse, Amazon Redshift, PostgreSQL, MySQL, Redis, Cassandra 3.0, DynamoDB, Oracle (9i, 10g, 11g), Sql Server (2008-2014)
- **Business Intelligence:** Tableau (8-9), Looker, Apache Hue, Apache Superset, Business Objects XI R2; Business Objects BI Platform 4.0, MS Reporting Services, Crystal Reports
- **Data Modeling:** ErWin, MS Visio, Lucidchart
- **Software:** AWS Big Data Stack

**Systems/OS:** Linux, GNU, Windows and open source environments

**Speaker:** [AWS re:Invent 2019: Implementing a data lake on Amazon S3](#)

## EDUCATION

Louisiana State University Baton Rouge, LA

1997- 2001

Bachelor of Science Computer Science/Managerial Informational Science

## WORK EXPERIENCE

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**April 2022-August 2022**

### Lead Data Engineer (Project Only):

Environment: AWS (S3,MSK(Apache Kafka),EKS(Kubernetes),EMR,Aurora), Spark 3.3.0, PrestoDB

Languages: Golang (1.18), Scala 2.12, Python, SQL, HCL Terraform, Kubernetes Helm

Data Platform: AWS S3/PrestoDB, S3 Lakehouse, Airflow, Kubernetes

Blockchain: EVM Ethereum

Projects:

- o Design:
  - Architected migration of Data Warehouse to a Data Lake and Lakehouse
  - Deployed Ahana.io PrestoDB on Kubernetes
  - Kimball methodology to create a warehouse model via a cloud-based Data Lakehouse to integrate data into a scalable data store and dynamic data store.
- o Developed:

- Created infrastructure using Kubernetes, Apache Kafka, Airflow on Kubernetes and Apache Spark as the main framework of data ingestion within the platform.
- Built a reusable worker pool producer pattern in Golang to manage websocket interaction from multiple blockchains that push to Apache Kafka.
- Built microservices to ingest NFT marketplace data via webhooks and event bus architecture to stream directly to Lakehouse .
- Built orchestration layer from Apache Kafka streams to Lakehouse that writes to production Postgres database for real-time analytic consumption
- Built Spark utility library shared in S3 for Spark interaction from PII cleansing, Delta.io Read/Write wrappers, to Spark Streaming utilities that interact with Lakehouse.

## [thredUP](#)

**November 2020-April 2022**

### **Lead Staff Data Engineer:**

Environment: AWS (S3,Kafka,EKS,EMR, Redshift, Aurora RDS), Spark 3.1.1 Databricks, Jenkins

Languages: Java, Scala, Python, Node.js, SQL, HCL Terraform, Kubernetes Helm

Data Platform: AWS Redshift/PrestoDB, Looker, Delta Lakehouse, Airflow, Kubernetes

#### Projects:

- o Design:
  - Architected migration of Data Warehouse to a Data Lake and Lakehouse
  - SME on migration of old MPP (Redshift) to PrestoDB on Kubernetes
  - Kimball methodology to create a warehouse model within an MPP along with a cloud-based Data Lakehouse to integrate data into a scalable data store and dynamic data store.
- o Developed:
  - Ingestion applications built in microservices framework Dockerizing services and pushed to AWS EKS by Helm chart and Jenkins.
  - Built orchestration layer to convert Redshift to Apache ORC for PrestoDB consumption
  - Built Spark utility library shared in an Artifactory for Spark interaction from PII cleansing to Spark Streaming into Lakehouse.

## [sweetgreen](#)

**February 2018-March 2020**

### **Principal Big Data Engineer/Architect:**

Environment: AWS (Kinesis, Lambda, API Gateway, EMR, Redshift, RDS, SQS), Spark 2.4,

PostgreSQL, MySQL, Redis, DynamoDB, Docker to AWS Fargate

Languages: Java, Golang, Python, Scala-Spark, Node.js, SQL, HCL

Data Platform: AWS Redshift/EMR-Hadoop, Hadoop HUE, RESTful API Services

- Subject matter expert on data design, architecture and development of big data related platforms for analysis, machine learning, recommendation and user experience engines along with day to day business operations.

#### Projects:

- o Design:
  - Kimball methodology to create a warehouse model within an MPP along with a cloud-based Data Lake to integrate data into a scalable data store and dynamic data store.

- CCPA framework to anonymize PII data in sg Data Lake. Includes ad hoc deletion from the object store when user requests to be deleted.
- o Developed:
  - Ingestion applications built in microservices framework Dockerizing services and pushed to AWS Fargate using Terraform.
  - Open source ETL/ELT applications that integrate many disparate sources into a language agnostic data platform in AWS.
  - Consolidated many different sources for user experience, event driven streams, analytics and personalization for our four wall operations, digital customers and store wide fleet.
  - Built review scraper to search different public sites for sweetgreen reviews used in ML sentiment utilizing Golang's goroutine/go channel framework.
  - Built server-less clickstream interface to ingest real time event payloads into Spark and Redshift for use with CRM and analytic platforms.
  - Built an optimization app to predict store ingredient demand within 15-minute intervals to better equip our store fleet on how much to cook based on sales, forecast, labor, customer traffic behavior and digital behavior.

### Beachbody On Demand

**October 2015-February 2017**

#### **Big Data Engineer/Architect:**

Environment: AWS (Kinesis, Lambda, API Gateway, EMR, Redshift, RDS, SQS), Hadoop, Spark, PostgreSQL, MySQL, Cassandra 3.0, DynamoDB

Languages: Java, Python, Node.js, hiveQL, Scala-Spark, SQL

User Experience Platform: AWS Redshift/EMR-Hadoop/Kinesis

- Subject matter expert on data design, architecture and development of big data related platforms for analysis, machine learning, recommendation and user experience engines along with day to day business operations.

#### **Projects:**

- Lead big data engineer for Beachbody's on Demand Service
  - o Design:
    - Kimball methodology to create a warehouse model along with a cloud based Data Lake to build and integrate data into a scalable data store.
  - o Developed:
    - Open source ETL/ELT applications that integrate many disparate sources into a platform in AWS.
    - Built Terabyte sized data platform from many different sources for user experience event bus and personalization for On Demand service.
    - Built a server-less clickstream application to ingest real time data payloads into Hadoop and Redshift for use with real time recommendation and analytic platforms.
    - Built machine learning personalization recommendation engine using Spark ML Collaborative Filtering rankings from user workout behavior.
    - Built Alexa skill to interact with voice recognition metrics on content usage using a server-less stack that ingests into Redshift transform and puts metrics into a state table in DynamoDB for Alexa to reference.

### NBCUniversal/Fandango

**August 2013-September 2015**

#### **Data Engineer/Architect:**

Environment: Amazon Web Services, Hadoop, Spark, Omniture, PostgreSQL, MySQL, MS SQL-Server

BI Platform: AWS Redshift and Tableau Server 9.0

- Subject matter expert on data design, architecture and development of big data related platforms for analysis, machine learning and day to day business operations.

**Projects:**

- Lead engineer for Fandango's big data platform
  - o Design:
    - Used the Kimball methodology to create a star schema model to build and integrate data into a star schema like structure that is scalable and agnostic
  - o Developed:
    - Integrated onPrem data centers with cloud environments by peering one another to build a hybrid Data Lake.
    - Used a myriad of tools to form ETL/ELT applications to integrate many disparate sources into a platform in AWS.
    - Utilized java, python, Scala, hive, spark, pig and database procedural language along with new cloud technologies to implement and monitor automation for the whole ETL/ELT lifecycle.
    - Built terabyte sized data platform from many different sources for a plethora of uses i.e. insights, machine learning, forecasting and predictive modeling for the business.

**Stylesight Inc.**

**February 2012-2014**

**Data Warehouse/Business Intelligence Architect:**

Environment: MS SQL-Server 2012 BI Edition, MySQL 4.0-5.1, Salesforce, Omniture, Marketo

Tools: MS Business Intelligence Suite (SSIS/SSAS), Talend Open Studio

BI Platform: SAP Business Objects 4.0 Edge

- Subject matter expert on data design, architecture and development of client acquired database systems from MySql, Salesforce, Marketo and Omniture

**Projects:**

- Architected data warehouse (star schema design) for Stylesight Inc.
  - o Design:
    - Used the Kimball methodology to create a star schema model to build and integrate data into a data warehouse from many disparate sources.
  - o Developed:
    - Used SQL 2012 stored procedures as main ETL tool along with Talend Open Studio for Salesforce extraction and SSIS for Omniture.
    - Utilized indexing methods and optimized the ETL process using the new features of SQL 2012.
  - o Maintenance/Enhancements:
    - Main DBA for SQL Server 2012 to check database health and query optimization.
    - Main developer of new enhancements to the data warehouse and BI Platform.
- Built and designed Stylesight's BI Platform using SAP Business Objects 4.0 to create a presentation reporting application for the business.
  - o Design:
    - Used current data warehouse to build universes for clickstream, sales, client services, market strategy and finance metrics

- o Developed:
  - BI report creation using BO Desktop Intelligence.
  - BI report creation using BO Web Intelligence.
  - BI report creation using BO Explorer.
- o Operational:
  - BO administration, setup and maintenance
  - Setup roles, groups and maintain privileges for all BO users

## MTV Networks

January 2010-2012

### Data Warehouse Architect/Developer:

Environment: Windows/ Linux, MS SQL-Server 2000-2008, Oracle 10g, SAP

Tools: MS Business Intelligence Suite (SSIS/SSAS), IBM Datastage, Powerbuilder

BI Platform: Business Objects XI R2; Business Objects BI Platform 4.0 Enterprise

- Subject matter expert on data design, architecture and development of client acquired database systems from OLTP, Data Warehouse (Dimension/Fact Star Schema and ODS design) along with other transactional systems.

#### Projects:

- Architected data warehouse (star schema design) for Consumer Products and Ancillary Sales for MTV Networks.
  - o Design:
    - Used the Kimball methodology to create a star schema to build data analytics for Forecast, Budget, Royalty, Cash and Invoice reporting.
  - o Developed:
    - Used SQL 2008 stored procedures as main ETL tool from many disparate sources to do the extract and transformation.
    - Utilized indexing methods and optimized the ETL process using the new features of SQL 2008.
- Developed Business Objects XI R2, Business Objects BI Platform 4.0 Reporting Universes for Consumer Products and Ancillary Sales.
  - o Design:
    - Used current data warehouse to build universes for Forecast, Budget, Royalty, Cash and Invoice.
  - o Developed:
    - BI report creation using BO Desktop Intelligence.
    - BI report creation using BO Web Intelligence.
  - o Operational:
    - BO administration, setup and maintenance
    - Setup roles, groups and maintain active directory privileges for all BO users
- Lead database developer for Consumer Products Content Management System.
  - o Design:
    - Database developer for CP Powerbuilder application.
  - o Developed:
    - Maintain current logic of transactional database
    - Create stored procedures/triggers/functions for new enhancements to the CMS
  - o Operational:
    - Database optimization and maintenance.

## **Navigant Consulting**

**December 2008-2010**

### **Managing Consultant:**

#### **Data Analytics, BI/DW and Forensics for E-Discovery Practice**

Environment: Windows, DOS, MS SQL-Server 2005-2008

Tools: MS Access, MS Business Intelligence Suite (SSIS/SSAS)

- Subject matter expert on data design, architecture and development of client acquired database systems from OLTP, Data Warehouse (Dimension/Fact Star Schema and ODS design) along with other transactional systems.

#### **Projects:**

- Designed/Developed/Implemented a star schema database for the Pharmaceutical Practice for trend reporting in a three year period to look for market trend and predict future and past drug trends for (hypertension, diabetes and hypercholesterolemia).
  - o Design:
    - Used the Kimball methodology to create a fully normalized star schema using dimensional tables i.e. Date, Drug Information, Region/Location/District to join to aggregated Fact table.
  - o Developed:
    - Used SSIS as main ETL tool from many disparate sources to do the extract and transformation of dimensional tables.
    - Created MS-SQL procedures to do quality control and load/append to persistent staging tables to production dimensions.
    - Used T-SQL to create aggregate reporting for trend analysis.
  - o Implemented/Supported:
    - Responsible for object integrity and performance of database:
      - Created indexes on primary to foreign key relationships
      - Daily statistics refresh of bottleneck tables
      - Used query optimizer and execution plans to improve cost and performance of reporting queries.

## **BearingPoint**

**April 2007-Dec 2008**

### **Senior Technology Consultant:**

#### **Data Warehouse Developer and Support Analyst: Pfizer Financial DW/Global Info Factory**

Environment: Oracle 9i and 10g, Unix, Windows

Tools: IBM Datastage, Informatica PowerCenter, Business Objects XI, ErWin, SQL Navigator

- Developed ETL packages in PL/SQL using a Star Schema model (Kimball approach) for Pfizer's financial data using both Datastage and Informatica as main ETL tools.
  - o Used ETL tools to extract to non-persistent and persistent staging tables with some business rule transformations.
  - o Used PL/SQL to do main transformation rules from integrity lookups to error-handling and append to main production tables.
- Supported Pfizer's FDW with day to day ad hoc data issues.
  - o Liaison to BO XI developers for client and reporting needs
  - o Ran cost and statistics analysis for health and integrity of database objects
- Lead support analyst for Pfizer's Global Information Factory ODS schema (Inmon approach).
- Created functions (in PL/SQL) and views for downstream reporting by business users.

#### **Operational**

- Responsible for day to day health of data.

- Main liaison for business users to communicate with.
- Created ad hoc Business Objects reports from different DW Universes.
- Indexing/Analyzing Object structure and Integrity
- Monitor and debug ETL Loads

## **CaseCentral**

**Feb 2005-April 2007**

### **Senior Database/Data Analyst:**

#### **Senior Database/Data Analyst Lead for Major ETL, QC, and Architectural Data Projects**

Environment: MS SQL Server 2000 and 2005, Oracle 10g, Taxis DB, Linux and Windows

Tools: IBM Datastage, MS Access, MS Excel

- Created, supported and implemented data flow functionality to efficiently move raw data from point to point.
- Created tools and efficiently maximized T- SQL to improve ETL processes of data flow movement.
- Lead and was independently responsible for all litigation lifecycle management processes for top three biggest projects for CaseCentral.
- Supported both the backend QC and front end client interaction.

## **BearingPoint**

**Jan 2003-Jan 2005**

### **Technology Consultant**

#### **Data Analyst Lead: Visa Online Data Migration Project**

Environment: Migration Data Warehouse MS SQL Server to Oracle 10g

Tools: MS Access, MS Project, MS Visio

- Supported VOL Systems Engineering with design of 3-tier server infrastructure
- Gathered technical data to create Gap Analysis of software requirements for servers being migrated
- Created Access database to track audit and validate servers that are in VOL production being migrated to new data center.
- Responsible for logical design of new servers being migrated to new location.
- Logistical tracking and analysis of software components migrating from old data center to new location
- Efficiently maximized T- SQL to improve ETL processes of data flow.

### **Operational**

- Created Ad-Hoc data used for daily reporting
- Technical liaison between VISA business units and systems engineers.

### **Database Analyst: Wells Fargo Business Direct**

#### **Operational Analysis:**

Environment: Oracle 9i

Tools: MS Access, SQL Navigator, Cognos Reporting Suite, MS Excel

- Analyzed consistency of data over a time series to use for key sales indicators.
- Responsible for extracting data for daily trend analysis
- Ad Hoc data extraction for different levels of reporting used by business analysts
- Reengineer SQL code to solve problems and optimize data resources.
- Tested data consistency of Wells Fargo's Integrated Business Data Depot Data Warehouse by analyzing:
  - o Data Warehouse Schema
  - o Entity Relationship Diagrams
  - o GAP Analysis
  - o Flag outliers, i.e. duplicates, bad data etc...

**Development**

- Created Ad-Hoc data used for daily reporting
- Administer database privileges
- Optimize and indexed existing code for simplicity
- Developed data warehouse flags to identify “bad data”

**SquareTrade****March 2002-Dec 2002****Risk Management Consultant**

Environment: SQL Server 2000, Oracle 9i

Tools: MS Access, TOAD, MS Excel

- Used DB tools such as UNIX, Toad, T-SQL ++, MS SQL, and Postgres SQL to data mine past information on sellers. Analyzed feedback level ratios and number of cases not responded to using a proprietary Online Dispute resolution service. Validated sellers using eBay informational cache combined with SquareTrade's service tools.
- Independently made decisions to reject sellers who failed to pass criteria and requirements for using SquareTrade's services.