RAY TOH HONG XIAN

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Experiences

GetGo Software Engineer | Singapore

Jan 2023 - Present

- Rearchitected existing monolithic systems to Event-driven microservices
- Introduced n-gram tokenizers in Elasticsearch mapping, reducing the time taken for substring search queries on large datasets from 5s down to 0.5ms
- Integrated backend services with Checkout, a third-party payment provider
- Implemented Saga for distributed transactions that span across multiple services using the orchestration pattern
- Go, .Net, Solace, MySQL, Redis, Elasticsearch, gRPC, Docker, AWS, .Net

Carousell Software Engineer | Singapore

Aug 2022 - Dec 2022

- Orchestrated the overhaul of the categorization for product listings, a colossal project that migrates 5,000,000+ listings without causing any system downtime
- Migrated existing endpoints from Django monolith to Go microservices with improved code modularity and error handling, reducing error rate by 99+%
- Ensured zero system downtime in core functionalities by resolving system incidents promptly during on-call rotations
- Go, Redis, Elasticsearch, GCP, Kafka, gRPC, Proto3, Docker, Kubernetes, Postgres

DBS Bank SWE Intern | Singapore

May 2022 – Aug 2022

- Developed enhancements on TRAX, a proprietary forex application in Go
- Improved the observability of API calls in microservices with distributed tracing using Open Telemetry and Jaeger
- Conducted automated Unit Testing and Integration Testing on new features to prevent regression
- Python, Go, MariaDB, Redis, Elasticsearch, Kafka, OpenShift

Reluvate Technologies SWE Intern | Singapore

Dec 2021 - Feb 2022

- Spearheaded the digitalization of client companies by automating labour-intensive operations and processes
- Facilitated weekly UATs to gather new requirements from relevant stakeholders
- Ingested data from legacy systems into our proposed system
- Django, Python, Postgre, Nginx, AWS, React.js

DSTA ML Engineer Intern | Singapore

May 2021 - Aug 2021

- Trained AI models through deep reinforcement learning methods
- Explored the use of common DRL algorithms, including Soft-Actor Critic and Proximal Policy Optimisation
- Incorporated a self-attention mechanism to improve on the existing models.
- Python, C#, Unity, ML-Agents, PyTorch

Projects

React Portfolio Website View Website

- Static website built on React.js and hosted on a custom domain
- React.js, Bootstrap, Material-UI, gh-pages

Personal Blog View Blog

- Static blog site built on React.js & based on Gatsby
- React.js, GraphQL, Gatsby, gh-pages

URL Shortener Github Repo

- Full stack web services built using javascript & Nginx for reverse proxy
- MySQL, Express.js, React.js, Node.js, AWS, Nginx

Skills

Languages

Go, C++, Python, C#

Databases

PostgreSQL, MySQL, MongoDB, Redis, Elasticsearch

Technologies

Git, gRPC, Kafka, Solace, Docker, Kubernetes, AWS, GCP, Jaegar

Frameworks

.Net 6.0, Gin, Gorm, Golang-Migrate, React.js, Node.js

Education

National University of Singapore

Bachelor of Computing in Computer Science (with Honours) Graduated 30 August 2022

Graduated with Distinction

Coursework

- Software Engineering
- Artificial Intelligence
- Computer Networks
- Computer Security
- Database Systems

Teaching Assistant

- Programming Methodology
- Computer Organisation

Leadership

- Music Director, Raffles Hall Musical Production
- Director, Raffles Hall Ensemble
- Social Secretary, NUS Chinese Orchestra

Achievements

- AWS Code Jam winner
- AWS ECIP Finalist & Winner for Best Architecture
- Brainhack <u>7th most accurate</u>
 model for fake video detection

Certifications

- AWS Certified Solutions Architect (Associate)
- IBM Introduction to Containers, Kubernetes, and OpenShift