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EXPERIENCE

- **Google - Google Fonts - Material design** — New York, NY/Sunnyvale, CA
  Vendor contractor engineer — *Oct 2018 - May 2020*
  - **fonts.google.com**: Worked with designers, UX researchers, and product owners to build latest Google Fonts website frontend.
  - **Variable fonts UI**: Built new UX patterns for variable fonts, which use a range of new UI elements I created for manipulating a font file's design space.

- **Comet.ml** — New York, NY
  Senior frontend engineer — *Feb 2018 - Oct 2018*
  - **Founding application engineer**: Built and contributed to the design of the user's dashboard interface that that displays real time charts for training a machine learning model.
  - **React performance**: Created crucial UI elements that would render thousands of rows and columns in a constantly updating a UI table element and chart visualizations.

- **18f.gsa.gov** — Washington, DC/Remote
  Innovation specialist - Senior software engineer — *Jan 2016 and Jan 2018*
  - **Agency deployed engineer**: Lead engineering efforts, featured development, and rapidly prototyped front-end applications using design-led principles for federal government software improvement projects, including regulations.atf.gov, cloud.gov, and seedfund.nsf.gov.

- **Conde Nast** — New York, NY
  Senior software engineer — *Sep 2013 - Jan 2016*
  - **Tech lead**: Contributed on a team of six engineers to re-platform the newyorker.com, build content distribution feeds, and various product templates.

- **IC Contractor** — Remote
  Contract engineer — *2012 - Present*
  - **Past clients**: Airbnb (Koko), Anheuser Busch, Chartbeat, Columbia University, Converse APac, New York University, Nokia (Bell Labs), Recidiviz, Showtime Networks, Stella Service, Pace University, and Policygenius.

PROJECTS

- **Public art**: 6+ year project to track millions of geo-tagged street art images from around the world. Launched two iOS apps, data labeling games, public data-feeds, and web applications for search/browsing/sharing images.
- **Remind to read**: An embed tool for digital publishers to send readers email reminders to finish reading long content.

GRANTS AND FELLOWSHIPS

- **1517 fund**: Received funding for a Covid-19 national fever tracker project. 1517 Fund is an early stage venture capital fund that supports teams led by dropouts, deep-tech scientists, and founders working outside of tracked institutions.
- **Pioneer.app**: Winner of the Pioneer tournament, funded by Stripe and Marc Andreessen, to support the next great set of scientists, artists, entrepreneurs and civic activists.
- **Emergent Ventures**: Fellowship recipient from the Mercatus Center, which seeks to support entrepreneurs and brilliant minds with highly scalable, zero to one ideas for meaningfully improving society.

EDUCATION

Soka University of America — Aliso Viejo, CA
Bachelor of Arts, concentrating in Humanities — *2007 - 2012*