Ryan Ptomey

Full-Stack Software Engineer (Python / JavaScript)

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Professional Summary

Full-stack software engineer with 4+ years of experience building data-driven web applications, automation tools, and server-side tracking systems, supported by 16+ years across the analytics, advertising, and web industries. Skilled at connecting APIs, cloud services, and visualization tools to streamline workflows and enable new business capabilities. Strong foundation in both front-end and back-end development, with expertise in Python, JavaScript, and Google Cloud Platform.

Skills

Languages: Python, JavaScript, SQL

Frameworks: Django, Flask, Streamlit, Astro

Web: HTML, CSS, Bootstrap, REST APIs, Google Tag Manager

Cloud / DevOps: Google Cloud Platform (Cloud Run, Cloud Functions, BigQuery, Terraform), Docker (basic), CI/CD

(basic)

Data & Analytics: Google Analytics (UA & GA4), Looker, Tableau, Redshift, PostgreSQL, MySQL, MS SQL Server

Tools: Git (GitHub, Bitbucket), Colab / Jupyter, VS Code, macOS, Zsh

Experience

Data Engineer 2 Adswerve Oct 2025 - Present

- Integrated **REST APIs** for data delivery to external platforms (Facebook, Campaign Manager 360, and others).
- Built and deployed multiple internal and client-facing applications using **Python**, **JavaScript**, and **Google Cloud Platform** (Cloud Run, BigQuery, Terraform).
- Prototyped generative AI features in Streamlit to provide narrative interpretations of dynamic visualizations.
- Reconstructed Terraform configurations from a state file, re-enabling SSL certificate management for thousands of domains.

Data Engineer 1 Adswerve Jul 2022 - Oct 2025

- Developed **web-based automation tools**, including a Django app for IP range management and a video validation app comparing uploaded ad files to technical specifications.
- Created server-side tracking systems on GCP, enabling secure and scalable event forwarding for marketing and analytics clients.
- Enhanced and maintained open-source libraries, including the **GA4 Measurement Protocol Python SDK**, adding support for new parameters and ecommerce use cases.
- Authored reusable **JavaScript tracking scripts** for Google Tag Manager supporting YouTube, HTML5, and enterprise video players.

Senior Digital Analyst

Adswerve

Aug 2019 - Jul 2022

- Implemented and maintained **web analytics codebases** across 30+ enterprise websites using HTML, CSS, and JavaScript.
- Engineered data collection strategies for single-page applications, improving event accuracy and reducing data loss.
- Created **templated GTM containers** and reusable code libraries, reducing deployment time by 40%.
- Delivered technical training to developers and analysts on analytics instrumentation and debugging workflows.
- Collaborated with client engineering teams to integrate **Enhanced Ecommerce tracking** for web and mobile platforms.

Manager of Web Analytics

Alight Analytics

Apr 2018 - Aug 2019

- Managed a team of web analytics specialists delivering custom reporting solutions and data pipelines for B2B and B2C clients.
- Developed and maintained JavaScript-based tracking implementations and dashboards in Tableau and Data Studio.
- Collaborated with clients to design data collection strategies aligned to actionable business goals.
- Automated recurring reporting and onboarding processes, improving delivery speed and consistency.

Marketing Insight Analyst

Alight Analytics

- Feb 2016 Apr 2018
- Implemented Google Analytics and Tag Manager tracking across multiple client websites to measure marketing performance.
- Built and maintained interactive Tableau dashboards and custom JavaScript tracking scripts to enhance insight accuracy.
- Partnered with development teams to troubleshoot and optimize event data collection.

Account Manager → Senior Account **Adknowledge** Manager → Account & Product Coordinator

May 2009 - Dec 2015

 Transitioned from client management to technical operations in a pay-per-click advertising agency, introducing **process automation** and data-driven reporting for marketing teams.

Education & Certifications

CS50w: Web Programming with Python and JavaScript

Harvard University (2021) Harvard University (2021)

• CS50x: Computer Science Fundamentals

University of Kansas

M.A. Marketing Communications

• B.A. English

Loyola University Chicago

Projects & GitHub Highlights

- GCP SFTP Server for GA4 Data Import (Terraform): Developed an open-source Terraform project that automates provisioning of an SFTP server on Google Cloud for GA4 Data Import. Configures a Compute Engine VM connected to Cloud Storage with service accounts for secure access. GitHub → adswerve/gcp-sftp-server-for-ga4-data-import-terraform
- Adswerve IP Tool (Django): Built a web application for internal users to convert IPv4 address ranges to CIDR and RegEx formats for network configuration. Deployed on GCP for internal automation. Live Demo → adswerve-ip-address-tool.web.app
- GA4 Measurement Protocol for Python (Open Source): Contributed to an SDK enabling server-side event collection for Google Analytics 4. Added support for new parameters, ecommerce data models, and improved documentation.
 - GitHub → adswerve/GA4-Measurement-Protocol-Python
- Video Tracking Scripts (JavaScript): Developed reusable event-tracking scripts for YouTube, HTML5, and enterprise video players using the Intersection Observer API. Deployed via Google Tag Manager for multiple client websites.
- Advent of Code 2024 (Python): Completed 15 days of programming challenges focused on algorithmic problemsolving and code efficiency. Solutions emphasize clean, testable Python code. GitHub → rptomey/advent-of-code-2024