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EDUCATION

Drexel University

Jan 2021 — June 2025

Philadelphia, PA

Bachelor's of Science, Computer Science

- Cumulative GPA: 3.83/4.0 | Dean's List, A.J Drexel Merit Scholarship,
- Relevant Coursework: Adv Web Development, Artificial Intelligence (TA), Concurrent Programming, Data Structures (TA), Database Systems, Discrete Math, Linear Algebra, Machine Learning, Network Programming (TA), Software Architecture (TA)

WORK EXPERIENCE

Software Engineering Co-op

September 2023 — March 2024

Bala Cynwyd, PA

Susquehanna International Group

- Developed a C++ protocol metrics publisher to tail multiple log files to generate data frames for 5.8 billion+ messages/day
- Built a Python orchestration layer with C++ bindings to aggregate metric data-frames and stream real-time data on Grafana
- Created a Python FastAPI proxy server to integrate OpenTelemetry alerts with an internal messaging platform via RESTful API
- Developed a concurrent Python Kafka consumer to process 500+ million messages in 5 minutes, increasing speed by 9x

Software Engineering Co-op

September 2022 — March 2023

OPEX Corporation

Moorestown, N7

- Implemented asynchronous windows inter-process communication, connecting multiple C++ applications with proprietary protocol, reducing alert latency by 60%
- Developed a **Python** tool using Doxygen to integrate 15,000+ dynamic Windows Help files into a **C++ MFC** application
- · Wrote comprehensive unit and integration tests for robot's host application, increasing test coverage and operational reliability

Teaching Assistant

September 2022 — March 2025

Drexel University

Philadelphia, PA

- Mentored over 150 students during weekly labs and tutoring hours, helping them grasp complex concepts
- Developed grading tool with **Python** and **JavaScript** to automate assignment compilation, reducing grading time by 80%

PROJECTS

OpenMario (openmario.com)

Stack: Docker, Node.js, React.js, TanStack Query, Meilisearch, Postgres, Python

- Open-source platform for Drexel students to search job listings, salaries, courses, and professor ratings in one place
- Scraped and transformed 50,000+ webpages of raw data into a structured schema optimized for cross-reference features
- Implemented millisecond-latency search using Meilisearch with zero user data storage for privacy and performance
- · Achieved early product validation with 100+ weekly active users and 220+ wage submissions via word-of-mouth

Inspiration (gitlab.cci.drexel.edu/inspiration) Stack: Docker, React, TanStack, S3, Celery, Redis, Postgres, Python, Playwright

- Led 5-student team to build open-source plagiarism detection end-to-end system currently utilized by 5+ Drexel professors
- Set up S3 infrastructure for client-side document streaming, minimizing server overhead while enforcing strict authorization
- Redesigned database schema, enabling real-time visualizations of document similarities, improving query performance by 60%
- Integrated **Celery** work-queues to offload computation from **TypeScript** backend to **Python** workers, delivering 10x faster results while maintaining seamless integration
- Developed **Rust** extensions for **Python**, accelerating winnowing algorithm by 2x

Shelved (shelved.satwik.dev)

Stack: Docker, Node.js, Knex.js, Postgres, JavaScript, EJS

- Led a team of 4 to design, implement and self-host a full-scale books and media tracking website using just JavaScript
- Built custom authentication with **JsonWebToken**, secure password hashing, and anti-bot measures to ensure platform security
- Integrated multiple APIs, normalizing data to support social features like sharing, following, review and ratings
- Developed LRU caching that reduced API-dependent page load times by 65% and improved overall site responsiveness

SKILLS

- Programming Languages: C, C++, Go, Haskell, Java, JavaScript, Python, SQL, TypeScript
- Frameworks: Express, FastAPI, Next.js, NumPy, React.js, Redux, SQLAlchemy, Svelte, TanStack, TanStack Query, Zod
- Tools: CI/CD (GitLab, Jenkins), Docker, Elasticsearch, Git, Kafka, Kubernetes, Nginx, Playwright, Postgres, Redis, S3, Typst, Vim