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Education

University of Waterloo

Sept 2020 - Apr 2025

Bachelor of Applied Science in Computer Engineering (3.74/4.0 GPA)

Relevant Courses: Systems Programming & Concurrency, Databases, Programming for Performance, Machine Learning

Skills

Languages Python, JavaScript, TypeScript, Rust, C/C++, Java, Bash, SQL, PHP, HTML, CSS

Frameworks Node.js, React, Express, Flask, Tailwind CSS, Bootstrap, OpenAPI, Bazel, Selenium, PyTorch **Tools** AWS, GCP, GitHub Actions, Docker, Kubernetes, Jenkins, Git, Linux, MongoDB, InfluxDB, Grafana

Experiences

BitGo - Software Engineering Intern

Sept 2024 - Present

- Designed and implemented an automated API Changelog system using TypeScript and GitHub Actions, empowering 1,500+ institutional clients to track ongoing changes to the BitGo API. Projected to drive \$100,000+ in annual revenue through improved client satisfaction and retention.
- Developed and optimized an **OpenAPI** merger tool in **Rust**, achieving a **5x** performance improvement and enhancing reliability, saving the team **8 hours per week** in manual troubleshooting.
- Streamlined the API specification release process with **GitHub Actions**, enabling on-demand internal releases and reducing release time by **70%**, enhancing development efficiency.
- Delivered **30+** feature enhancements for the Developer Portal using **TypeScript**, **React**, **Docker**, and **Kubernetes**, including a **90%** reduction in downtime and improvements to usability and functionality.

Arctic Wolf - Full Stack Developer Intern

Jan 2024 - Apr 2024

- Developed a high-performance backend server using **Python**, **Flask**, and **Bazel**, integrating with **7** Arctic Wolf APIs. Achieving a **19%** improvement in data retrieval time, streamlining workflows for the security team.
- Led a large-scale code refactoring initiative, improving **8,000+** lines of **Python** and **TypeScript** code to enhance performance, maintainability, and reduce error rates by **30%**.
- Built an internal workflow automation tool using **TypeScript** and **React**, enabling sales teams to instantly generate data-rich and client-ready PowerPoint presentations, eliminating **2+ hours** of manual work per client.
- Engineered a scalable RESTful API for data processing and retrieval using the OpenAPI library, designing detailed API specifications to ensure long-term maintainability.

Tesla – Software Engineering Intern

Jan 2023 – Apr 2023

- Spearheaded the development of the Industrial Stations Dashboard using **Grafana** and **InfluxDB**, providing real-time data visualizations and status updates for **12+** test stations, improving monitoring efficiency.
- Engineered and optimized automated pipelines using **Python** and **Jenkins**, reducing downtime for industrial megapack test stations by **46%** and increasing testing throughput by **50%**.
- Developed a user-friendly network configuration tool with **tkinter** and **Jetstream switches CLI**, streamlining test site setup and reducing configuration time by **15 minutes** per test.

Bluescape - Software Engineering Intern

May 2022 - Aug 2022

- Developed the raise hand and tile sorting features for Bluescape Meet using TypeScript, React and the Amazon Chime SDK, increasing user engagement during meetings by 27%.
- Optimized real-time status updates with **GraphQL** and **TypeScript**, enhancing user identification and reducing waiting times by **22%** for Bluescape Meet.
- Implemented robust tests with Jest and Sinon, ensuring reliability and smooth deployment of new features.

Bluescape – QA Automation Intern

Sept 2021 - Dec 2021

- Built and optimized end-to-end tests for the Bluescape platform using CodeceptJS, TestRail and GitHub Actions, reducing test execution time by 11% and increasing test coverage by 200%.
- Designed K6 performance tests leveraging WebSocket to evaluate the capacities of Bluescape workspaces
 providing actionable insights into workspace scalability and system performance under load.