Shota Ruo

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Experience

Narb | Remote
Software Engineering Intern | 06/2025 - Present
Led the development and ongoing maintenance of **narb.cc**, a modern web platform, overseeing both the technical implementation and a small development team. Architected the frontend using **ReactJS** and modern JavaScript (ES6+), ensuring scalable and modular code. Managed a full site revamp focused on performance optimization, responsive design, and improved user experience. Directed version control workflows with **Git**, coordinated team tasks using Agile methodologies, and conducted regular code reviews to maintain high-quality standards.

Buzzit | Davis, CA
Full Stack Developer | 05/2025 - Present
Developed React Native marketplace app using Expo Router, Firebase, and TypeScript with dual-sided customer/business experiences and role-based authentication. Implemented core features including service listings, appointment booking, social feeds, and business profiles with optimized caching and state management.

UC Davis CPE | Davis, CA
IT Student Assistant | 05/2025 - Present
Provided tier 1 computer support and troubleshooting for various technical issues Assisted with setting up audio/visual equipment for events, meetings, and presentations Uploaded content to the Learning Management System (LMS) and monitored course flags Supported online courses by troubleshooting webcam, audio, and screen sharing issues Moved computers and performed software updates as needed

UC Davis School Of Education | Davis, CA
Computer Technician | 01/2025 - Present
Responsible for proving IT support for the College of Education. Responsibilities include providing technical support for SOE, Maintaining a very busy lab and office environment. Providing support with Mac and/or Windows hardware and system software, including configuration, troubleshooting and repair/installation as needed.

Kefli Sports Club | Davis, CA
Technology Chair | 07/2024 - Present
Co-founder of a new non-profit club at UC Davis. In charge of managing social media (instagram) and developing/maintaining a website for the club. KefliSports Webpage

Pal AI | Remote
Front End Developer Intern | 08/2025 - 09/2025
Collaborated directly with founders to design and develop scalable web applications, aligning technical solutions with product goals. Implemented secure authentication systems using Clerk and built dynamic, responsive interfaces with React to enhance performance and user engagement. Led UI/UX design initiatives, creating intuitive user experiences and visually appealing layouts. Focused on improving usability across devices through modern responsive design techniques.

Include | Davis, CA
Front End Web Developer | 09/2023 - 09/2025
Collaborated with a team cohort on a web application project, leveraging **ReactJS** for component-based architecture and state management. Utilized **JavaScript (ES6+), HTML5, and CSS3** to develop responsive, accessible UI components and implement core functionality. Participated in **weekly Agile-style standups** to discuss sprint progress, resolve blockers, and maintain alignment with team deliverables. Contributed to code reviews, feature planning, and integration of reusable components to ensure maintainability and scalability.

Skills

Customer service, Bilingual, Javascript, Html5, GIT, Python, Software development, CSS, ReactJS, React Native, C++, C, Typescript, Tailwind CSS English, Japanese, Expo Go, Front-End Development, Next.js

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