EDUCATION

Rice University, Houston, TX

B.S., Computer Science with a minor in Mathematics

May 2024

• 3.68/4.00 Cumulative GPA

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Rice University, Houston, TX

Undergraduate Research Assistant

August 2023-Present

• Working with Dr Nathan Dautenhahn on analyzing the information leakage of containers through kernel data structures.

Undergraduate Research Assistant

March-August 2022

- Worked with Dr Dan Wallach on a Typescript implementation of Microsoft's ElectionGuard SDK for Enhanced Voting.
- Used *fp-ts* and *io-ts* to implement robust codecs to achieve compatibility with a reference implementation.
- Wrote property-based tests and unit tests, bringing coverage to over 90% coverage. Used fast-check and jest.
- Contributed new CLI commands and bug fixes to the open source election guardpython implementation.

Max Planck Institute for Security and Privacy, Bochum, Germany

Software Security Research Intern

May-August 2023

- Worked with Dr Marcel Böhme on quantifying information leakage of programs using statistical methods.
- Applied methods from ecology to develop a method to estimate the mutual information of a program's output and its input.

RiceApps, Houston, TX

Tech Lead

August 2022-May 2023

• Led a team of eight developers to build a Flutter app for in-community music sharing.

Software Developer

August 2021-May 2022

- Worked as a full-stack developer on an agile team working on the Rice Carpool React app.
- Made over 15 pull requests fixing issues across the stack, including GraphQL query performance improvements.
- Implemented four new features, including email notifications and a field to track ride details.

Cummins Inc., Indianapolis, IN

Software Engineering Intern

June-August 2022

- Worked on the Cummins E-Commerce platform as part of the Sales and Service team during an improvement sprint.
- Fixed issues with the product search system, including incorrect handling of edge-case queries and missing results.
- Enhanced the product checkout experience, improving accessibility and resolving product order-related bugs.
- Participated in code reviews, quality assurance, and DevOps, performing thorough testing and managing deployments.

Pashi, Remote

Software Engineering Intern

May-July 2020

- Built a prototype for Pashi's interactive, visual programming language with JQuery and HTML5 Canvas.
- Worked with a REST API that controlled production lines to connect user-written code to real-world effects.
- Explored React and vanilla JavaScript as alternate stack choices by creating interactive, minimally viable demos.

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

Rice University, Houston, TX

Instructor

• Introduction to CTFs (COLL 123)

Spring 2023

Teaching Assistant

• Introduction to Concurrent Program Design (COMP 318)

Introduction to Computer Systems (COMP 321)

Fall 2023 Summer 2023

• Systems Software (COMP 621)

Fall 2022, Spring 2023

LEADERSHIP AND OUTREACH

RiceApps OSA Mentor, 2022

• Mentored six students as part of RiceApps Open Source Accelerator and introduced them to full-stack development.

Rice Information Security Club

• President

Fall 2023-Present

Co-founder and Vice President

Spring 2023

HackRice 13 CTF, Co-organizer and challenge developer

Fall 2023

• Planned and organized a 36-hour capture-the-flag competition for over 30 participants.

Rice Cubing Club

· Treasurer, 2023

AWARDS

• Rice Undergraduate Scholars Program Grant

2023-24

- Second Place Team, HackRice 12 September 2022

 Built an end-to-end encrypted platform to connect students with health resources.
- US-Canada Top 15 Team, CSAW CTF '22 Qualifiers September 2022 Solved over ten capture-the-flag challenges in 48 hours.
- Second Place Team, Education Track, HackRice 11 September 2021

 Built a tool to generate lecture summaries from audio lectures.