Seikun Kambashi

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Experience

Senior Software Engineer | Revenue & Experimentation Team, Code Team Warp.dev

August 2023 – Present Remote / Seattle, WA

Codebase Index

- Led design and implementation for the datastore architecture of a vector-based codebase indexing system, powering semantic search across 100k+ codebases.
- Designed schema and integrated with GCP Bigtable (for Merkle tree and embedding caching) and turbopuffer (for high-performance vector search), and built eviction jobs to remove stale data across all the datastores while ensuring consistency and performance under load.
- Implemented Merkle tree diffing logic to reconcile snapshots with real-time file system state on app startup.

Billing Framework

- Architected and built the end-to-end billing framework to support multiple subscription plans and enterprise tiers, unblocking monetization, and driving \$3m + ARR.
- Integrated with Stripe for automated tier provisioning, and implemented a feature enforcement framework across all clients and servers. Empowered cross-functional teams to manage tier limits, define new features and tiers, and run feature-based conversion experiments.

GraphQL V2

• Standardized GraphQL request / response schema and modularized API generation, reducing generated code by 10% and improving Rust client compile times.

Software Engineer | App Infra Team, Gateway Infra Team Databricks

August 2018 – June 2023 San Francisco, CA / Seattle, WA

Global Rate Limiting Service

- Led development of a custom rate-limiting service on gRPC and Redis, handling 100k+ QPS at the control plane edge.
- Replaced a third-party system to allow dynamic limits, deeper integration with internal tooling and observability, and faster abuse response times (minutes \rightarrow seconds).

Service-to-Service Auth

- Spearheaded transition of internal service framework to signed JWTs with per-service secrets for RPC authentication.
- Standardized context propagation across Python, Scala, and Java stacks ensuring consistent auditing and auth across all control plane services.

Monolith to Microservices

- Worked on rearchitecting core authentication and routing flows from Databricks' largest monolith into independent stateless gRPC services fronted by Envoy.
- Reduced p99 latency by 50%, enabled independent scaling of proxy and auth services for critical API paths.

Internships

Software Engineering Intern | Analytics and Reporting

September 2017 - December 2017

Block Inc. (Square)

San Francisco, CA

Migrated Square's report generation service to GCP, optimized large-scale report processing using distributed Spanner reads.

Software Engineering Intern | Backend

Wealthsimple

Toronto, Canada

January 2017 - April 2017

Built new onboarding service using Ruby-on-Rails with A/B testing & dashboards for tracking conversion and performance.

Software Engineering Intern | GeForce Now

May 2016 - August 2016

NVIDIA

Santa Clara, CA

Built Jenkins + AWS CodeDeploy CI/CD pipelines, enabled platform-agnostic microservice deployment and 3x faster deploys.

Software Engineering Intern | Office

September 2015 – December 2015

Microsoft

Tokyo, Japan

Built account linking feature for Docs.com to provide external users access to Microsoft services, improved test coverage and code hygiene.

Data Science Intern | Data

January 2015 - April 2015

PlaceIQ

New York, NY

Built terabyte-scale Spark jobs for ad targeting and data quality.

Education

University of Waterloo

September 2013 - August 2018

Bachelor of Software Engineering, Co-op Program (with distinction)

Waterloo, Canada

Skills

Rust, Go, Scala, Python, Kubernetes, Envoy, gRPC, GraphQL, React, Redis, Bigtable, turbopuffer distributed systems, API design, microservices, service framework, vector databases