# SIMON CLARK

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## **EDUCATION**

## **Northeastern University**

Sep. '17 — Dec. '21

Candidate for Bachelor of Science in Computer Science, Minor in Professional Presentation

- GPA: 3.98 / 4.00
- Courses: Object Oriented Design, Algorithms, Software Dev, Computer Systems, Public Speaking
- Activities: '18 Northeastern Public Speaking Excellence Competition runner-up, NU Association of Computing Machinery, '18 MedHacks (hackathon) Authorize.Net award winner

Class Fellow for Co-op Preparation Class

Sep. '19 — Dec. '19

• Professionally mentored students, reviewed resumes, lead class activities, answered student questions

Teaching Assistant for Discrete Structures

Jan. '18 — Dec. '18

• Provided group and one-on-one tutoring during weekly office hours and large exam review sessions

### EXPERIENCE

**Fidelity Labs** 

May. '20 — Aug '20

Software Engineering Intern — Ruby on Rails, React

• Developed a fintech product for financial advisors and their clients

Facebook Jan. '20 — Mar. '20

Software Engineering Intern — PHP/Hack, React

- Modified copyright content match infrastructure enabling me to create a funnel to visualize how matches are evaluated and a tool to create test data based on real-world copyright policies
- Upgraded internal tooling for viewing flagged copyrighted content to allow more flexibility for future additions

Alignable Jan. '19 — Aug. '19

Software Engineering Co-op — Ruby on Rails, Javascript

- Modified notifications infrastructure to allow notification aggregation and reduce spam, rebuilt forum activity email with these changes and increased email click to open rate from 22.2% to 65.3%
- Built new comments section for the forum with Ruby on Rails and JQuery, adding nested comments and pagination while supporting conditionally hiding posts for certain users (shadowbanning)
- Implemented a lightweight, just-in-time system to track in-app notifications usage

Alkermes May '18 — Aug. '18

R&D Applications Intern — Python, Flask, Vue

- Built web app with Flask and Vue, decreasing search and creation time of chemical procedures by 50%
- Reformatted data of 50k chemicals for system migration; built tests verifying success of migration
- Created script to reorganize nine years of specific experimental data by using Python and regular expressions, eliminating over 200 hours of manual file transfer

#### **PROJECTS**

#### Sudoku Solver — Rust

Parallel, memoized, low allocation DFS solver beating sudoku puzzles in 3ms

## Skills / Interests

Skills: Python, Ruby on Rails, Java, C/C++, PHP/Hack, Javascript, React, Rust (familiar) Interests: Manual transmission cars, poker, go-karts, cooking, skiing