# KEVIN KODAMA

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Seattle, WA

#### **EDUCATION**

B.A. Mathematics

University of Washington, Seattle, WA

September 2019 – June 2023

GPA - 3.76

**WORK EXPERIENCE** 

**Dell Technologies,** Seattle

June 2022 – Present

July 2023 - Present

Applications and Data Platform Solutions – Software Engineer

· Collaborated with a team in Bangalore, India to drive compatibility with third-party software

· Co-developed a plugin that exposes Dell PowerFlex health metrics through Oracle Enterprise Manager

PowerProtect Data Manager – Software Engineering Intern

June 2022 - August 2022

- · Co-developed two performance testing frameworks for the backup software PowerProtect Data Manager
- $\cdot$  Automated seven sample JMeter tests and integrated them into a Jenkins CI/CD pipeline

#### International Academic Competitions, Remote

January 2020 - May 2022

National History Bee and Bowl - Question Writer

- · Wrote over 200 paragraph-length technical questions for NHBB, a national high school history competition
- · Sifted through thousands of questions on the database QuizDB to identify historical question patterns

### SIDE PROJECTS

#### Popheads Chart (MERN Stack / Tailwind CSS / react-select / Chart.js)

July 2022 – July 2023

- $\cdot$  Launched a web application that uses Reddit's API to parse listening data from 2566 pop music fans
- · Deployed 10 middleware API endpoints to handle secure traffic through the Node server
- · Displayed listener data with nearly 300 reactive chart views, including a reactive line chart

#### Quizbowl Buzzer System (Arduino)

July 2021 - September 2021

- · Programmed an 8-player "buzzer system" for quizbowl, a fast-paced academic competition
- · Implemented merge sort in a C-like programming language called Arduino
- · Processed real-time input from 9 physical controllers using a microcontroller and 9 interrupt handlers

### Data Exploration of The Wandering Inn (R / Shiny / dplyr / Plotly / rvest)

March 2021 - May 2021

- $\cdot$  Analyzed features of The Wandering Inn, a 50,000-page fantasy novel on the Internet
- · Created an interactive frontend that allows users to display 57 custom chart views
- · Scraped text data from 94 different web pages, processing over 2,000,000 words

# **LEADERSHIP**

#### **UW Quizbowl**, Seattle, WA

December 2020 - June 2023

Club President, Outreach Director, and Webmaster

- · Tripled the membership of UW Quizbowl, now the largest student-run quiz team in Washington
- · Recruited 30 high schools for the largest ever quizbowl tournament in the Pacific Northwest
- · Mentored 40 students in leadership, technical writing, and effective recruitment strategies

# SKILLS AND INTERESTS

- · Skills: web development, backend, database management, technical writing, CI/CD, web scraping
- · Languages: JavaScript (Express.js, React.js, Node.js), CSS, HTML, Java, MongoDB, SQL, Jenkins, R
- · Interests: the loneliness epidemic, education reform, chess, dance battles, pickleball