Yuhui Chen

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EDUCATION

University of California Irvine

Sep 2018 - Dec 2021

Bachelor Degree, Computer Science, GPA: 3.94/4.0

- Undergraduate Research Opportunities Program Fellowship, Feb 2021
- New Venture Competition (Team GreenBite), Semi-final, May 2021

EXPERIENCE

Gemini, SRE & IT Team | TechOps Engineer Intern

Remote | Jun 2021 - Aug 2021

- Responsible for building a Python application that queries from internal services (e.g. Jamf), for IT engineers to monitor the health of company's computer fleet via Slack Slash Commands.
- Contributed to AWS group configuration (EC2, S3, ALB, Lambda) and Nomad Server deployment using Terraform.
- Built the backend API with Flask, and a request verifier (AWS Lambda) with Go. Containerized the applications with Docker.
- Utilized Concourse pipelines to automate application's build and deploy. Saved over 70% of the original manual processes.

Live Good | Website Developer Intern

Irvine, CA | Aug 2020 - Mar 2021

- Responsible for updating and designing the company's WordPress and Shopify websites. Implemented interactive features (e.g. exit intent popup, video sliding marquee). Published 20+ new webpages (HTML, jQuery, CSS).
- Improved website SEO by 15% in 2 weeks by optimizing loading speed, user interface, and mobile friendliness.
- Helped reconfigure website's Apache server running on Linode.
- Collected and sorted 200+ customer data for future business analytics (Web Crawling).

Digital Learning Lab, UC Irvine | Backend Developer, Research Assistant

Remote | Jul 2020 - Apr 2021

- Responsible for maintaining a web server to collect real-time click stream and user-recorded videos.
- Implemented a Spring Boot (Java) application to provide REST API interfaces to retrieve & update data. Utilized GitHub for version control and IntelliJ for programming.
- Deployed the application on AWS with Tomcat server. Managed over 40,000 data on MySQL database. Designed database schema and reduced query time by 70% using indexing.

PROJECTS

Fabflix

Source Code: https://github.com/stig-chalk/Fabflix

- Built full-stack web app with Java Servlet, HTML, Sass and jQuery. Used Ajax to interact with backend APIs.
- Managed 100,000+ data on MySQL. Utilized full-text indexes and LEDA algorithm to support fuzzy search and autocomplete.
- Implemented database replication and a load balancer on separate AWS/GCP instances. Reduced the pressure of each server by 33%.
- Enabled reCAPTCHA and HTTPS to improve network security.

Ghast Killer

Website: https://nuayoas.github.io/Ghast Killer/index.html

- Used Reinforcement Learning (PPO algorithm) to train the agent to play a predefined Minecraft mini-game.
- Used Python Malmo to set up the mini-game, and Rllib and PyTorch to build the model.
- Improved the learning speed by 30% and winning rate from 50% to 95%, by trying different models (neural network, random forest), rewarding policies, and observation metrics.

Restroom Finder

Source Code: https://github.com/stig-chalk/RestroomFinder

- Developed the full-stack mobile app with Android Studio, Sprint Boot (Java), and MySQL.
- Connected to Google Maps API to retrieve the geolocation information; implemented the model-based recommendation system according to user's preference and recent choices, and places' overall ratings.

SKILLS

Languages: Python, C, C++, Java, JavaScript (jQuery, React, Ajax), HTML, CSS (Sass), Swift, SQL, Go

Technologies: MySql, MangoDB, Cassandra, AWS, GCP, Spring Boot, Flask, GitHub, Linux Shell, Terraform, Concourse, Tomcat, WordPress, Xcode, Android Studio, Spark, SonarQube API, Justinmind

Skills: Frontend/Backend/Mobile Development, Database Management, Machine Learning, Automation, Web Crawling