# TIMOTHY CHEN

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# **EDUCATION**

University of Maryland, College Park BS in Computer Science and Finance Entrepreneurship & Innovation Honors Expected: May 2019 | GPA: 3.91

# **COMPUTER LANGUAGES**

Java | Python | Visual Basic | Ruby | C HTML | CSS | JavaScript | jQuery Node.js | Flask | Rails | SQL | MongoDB Android | iOS (Objective C) Exposure to Swift, React.js, React Native

# **SOFTWARE SKILLS**

AWS | Heroku | Git | GitHub | Jira | Jenkins Sketch | Adobe (Photoshop, InDesign, Lightroom, After Effects, Muse, XD)

## **PROJECTS**

UMD Google Cal Schedule Importer gcal-importer.timothychen.me
Chrome Extension that imports a UMD course schedule into Google Calendar

#### Metronome

github.com/timothychen01/metronome Improving the metro experience via realtime displays for incoming car capacity

### Alexagram

devpost.com/software/alexagram Holographic virtual assistant controlled via Alexa, built on Node/Express.js, socket.io

#### Dinezen

www.dinezen.com

Personalized meal recommendations based on dietary targets and restrictions

## Netscout Manager Reporting Tool

netscout.timothychen.me

Ruby on Rails web app automating report generation for team performance data

### Lyrics Sanitizer

lyrics-sanitizer.herokuapp.com Ruby on Rails web app that analyzes song lyrics and censors explicatives

## QUESTify Photo Filter App

questify-umd.herokuapp.com Flask server using Facebook OAuth to generate branded profile photos

#### Fcof

github.com/timothychen01/ecofy PowerPoint Add-In/Macro to optimize a presentation for printing

## SquareUp

github.com/timothychen01/square-up Reimagination of the Computer Science Undergrad event registration page

# **WORK EXPERIENCE**—

Lyft, Incoming Software Engineering Intern

(Fall 2018)

Google, Software Engineering Intern

(Summer 2018)

- Implemented image upload and insertion for Sheets Android and iOS apps using tools like cross-platform JS, J2ObjC, and Dagger dependency injection
- Wrote a design doc detailing options to share cross-editor (Docs/Slides) and crossplatform code for Sheets and presented a talk to provide background for the team
- Refactored cross-editor code to be more generic and refined previous assumptions specific to Docs and Slides to unblock implementation challenges on Sheets

CMSC389k (Full Stack Web Dev with Node.js), Course Facilitator (Spring 2018)

- Taught a 1 credit university course to introduce practical skills and modern tech
- Updated lecture materials, project specs, and course documentation

CMSC351 (Algorithms), Undergraduate Teaching Assistant

Appian, Software Engineering Intern

(2017 - Present) (Summer 2017)

- Implemented frontend components in React.js and SAIL, Appian's proprietary language, allowing clients to build powerful and beautiful interfaces with little code
- Refactored product-level framework for determining requiredness failure in Java
- Presented use cases of text and image processing within the Appian platform
- Integrated Google Forms with Trello and Mattermost using incoming webhooks to automate form submission processing and to notify Graphic Design Guild members
- Documented internal SAIL functions to increase productivity and knowledge sharing

**Netscout**, Software Engineering Intern

(Summer 2016)

- Developed and deployed to Heroku a secure Ruby on Rails web app analyzing team productivity, eliminating 5 man-hours of menial chart/metric generation per week
- Queried Rally APIs to generate and save reports in sqlite and postgres databases
- Implemented Resque/Redis background processing for running analysis scripts
- Crafted an intuitive and responsive dashboard with Highcharts.js data visualizations
- Fixed legacy code inaccuracies for generating defect severity metrics

Triple G, LLC (acquired), Chief Technology Officer

(2015 - 201)

- Generated widespread exposure (30 million views/month) through video content
- Provided domain management and responsive web design services
- Ported iOS applications from Objective-C to Swift and deployed to iTunes Store

## RELEVANT EXPERIENCE -

Technica, Tech Team Backend Lead

(2018 - Present)

- Lead 4-person team in building out a powerful open source hackathon expo app
- Architect Flask app implementation details and design parallelizable task list

**Bitcamp**, Advisor, Co-Executive Director Emeritus

(2015 - Present)

(2017)

(2015)

- Led 70 organizers to plan and execute largest US spring hackathon (1,275 hackers)
- Raise and budget \$195,000+ in funds
- Led task force focusing on details that provide a great hacker/sponsor experience
- Coordinated with CS Department, VIPs, Facilities, vendors, sponsors, volunteers, and hackers to provide a seamless experience

Smith Undergrad Student Association, Technology Committee Lead (2015 - 2017)

- Provided domain management and Wordpress installations to member clubs
- Developed a smart guiz to recommend clubs based on student responses

1st Place, IBM Design Challenge, QUEST Honors Program

# **AWARDS AND ACHIEVEMENTS -**

- Omicron Delta Kappa National Leadership Society, Sigma Circle (2018 Present)
- University of Maryland President's Scholarship (2015 Present)
   1st Place, Google NYC Intern Hackathon (see Metronome) (2018)
- 3rd Place, Andreessen Horowitz (a16z) Battle of the Hacks 4.0 (see Alexagram) (2017)
- \$2,500 Outstanding Pitch, Audience Choice Awards, Terp Tank (see Dinezen) (2017)
- 2nd Place, Deloitte Consulting Case Competition (UMD)

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   2nd Place, 1&1 Cloud API Challenge, YHack (2016)
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   2nd Place Overall, Daemon Dash Hackathon (see SquareUp)
   (2016)
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National Merit Scholarship (College-sponsored)