Tim Elam

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Summary

Tim Elam is a seasoned technical leader with a proven track record in software engineering and team management. As the Founder & CEO of DemoFox, he developed an innovative social video collaboration platform. Previously, at UserTesting, Tim excelled in mentoring emerging leaders and managing cross-functional teams. He holds an MBA from Georgia Tech and a Bachelor's in Computer Science.

Skills

Languages:

C#, Go, GraphQL, JavaScript, Python, Ruby, SQL, and TypeScript

Frameworks:

.NET, Angular, Node.js, Prisma, React, Ruby on Rails, Serverless, and Tailwind

Platforms:

AWS, Azure, CircleCI, Docker, GitHub Actions, OpenAI, PostgreSQL, and Slack API

Work Experience

DemoFox
Founder & CEO

Mar. 2023 - Present
Atlanta, Georgia

- Designed and built DemoFox, an enterprise social video collaboration platform.
- Frontend: Angular, Apollo GraphQL Client, AWS S3, Cloudfront, DaisyUI, Lambda@Edge, Tailwind, and Video.js
- Backend: Apollo GraphQL Server, API Gateway, AWS S3, AWS SES, DynamoDB, Elemental MediaConvert, EventBridge, Lambda, Maizzle, NestJS, PostgreSQL, and Prisma

UserTesting
Director of Engineering

Aug. 2021 - Feb. 2023
Chamblee, Georgia

- Mentored emerging engineering leaders to develop the skills to lead successful, empowered teams.
- Balanced new product initiatives, maintenance, and future investment work across multiple cross-functional teams.
- Frontend: Angular, StencilJS, and Bootstrap
- Backend: Ruby on Rails and MySQL
- Testing: Cypress and Selenium

UserTesting (continued)
Senior Manager, Engineering

Jul. 2019 - Aug. 2021
Chamblee, Georgia

- Project lead for Keyword Maps, a novel, interactive machine-learning-powered transcript visualization.
- Architected transition from AngularJS monolith to Angular and React-based NX monorepo.
- Improved team efficiency with Cypress API-mocking integration testing strategy.

Kabbage

Software Development Manager

Apr. 2018 - Mar. 2019

Atlanta, Georgia

- Drafted performance improvement and career development plans. Coached team members through individualized plans and tracked improvement.
- Frontend: Angular and Bootstrap
- Backend: nginx, Express, AWS Elastic Beanstalk, .NET, and IIS

Kabbage (continued)

Senior Software Engineer

Jan. 2015 - Apr. 2018

Atlanta, Georgia

- Co-designed Kabbage's Angular, Express.js, Docker, and AWS Elastic Beanstalk deployment stack.

Octane5 International

Django Developer

Apr. 2014 - Dec. 2014

Alpharetta, Georgia

- Developed and maintained BrandComply, a Django product licensing Software as a Service platform.

Education

Georgia Institute of Technology

Master of Business Administration

2020 - 2023

Atlanta, Georgia

    Concentration: Technology Commercialization (TI:GER)

Georgia Southern University

Bachelor of Science, Computer Science

2010 - 2013

Statesboro, Georgia