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EDUCATION

Carnegie Mellon University

Pittsburgh, PA

Master of Software Engineering - Scalable Systems

Graduating December 2024

Cloud Computing, Intro to Database Systems, Distributed Systems, Introduction to Computer Systems

National Chung Hsing University

Taichung, Taiwan

Bachelor of Science in Computer Science

June 2022

Honorable Mention for Graduate Capstone Project

WORK EXPERIENCE

WeRide San Jose, CA

Software Engineer Internship

May 2024 - August 2024

- Tripled the CI/CD pipeline's task capacity by revamping system architecture for optimal performance.
- Slashed deployment time by 80% by innovating new features and orchestrating chaining deployment workflows in Go.
- Fortified the company's cloud infrastructure by deploying sidecar service containers segregated in Kubernetes.
- Expanded the user base by 30% by designing and implementing highly intuitive and user-friendly features.

Software Engineer Internship

Taipei, Taiwan July 2021 - December 2021

- Engineered and sustained a Django full-stack website for dynamic test report visualization.
- Accelerated the bug detection and resolution process by 70% by deploying an automated validation routine.
- Maximized system utilization 80% by integrating time series models into a FastAPI backend platform.
- Enhanced model accuracy by 12% by enforcing rigorous data validation in the data pipeline using Pydantic.

SKILLS

Programming Languages Python, Go, C/C++, Java, Ruby, Shell/Bash, HTML, CSS, JavaScript, SQL

MySQL, Postgres, MongoDB, Kafka, Hadoop, Spark, Samza Data

Web & Frameworks Flask, Django, FastAPI, PyTorch, Rails, Gin, jQuery, Bootstrap, React

AWS, Google Cloud, Azure, Linux/Unix, Docker, Kubernetes, Helm, Ansible, Terraform Cloud, DevOps

PROJECTS

BusTub - RDBMS Implementation with C++17

- Implemented the Presto's dense layout HyperLogLog algorithm for fast cardinality estimation in large datasets.
- Devised a thread-safe buffer pool manager and LRU-K replacement policy and a disk scheduler to optimize memory management and disk I/O efficiency.
- Developed a concurrent B+Tree, supporting efficient search, insertion, deletion, and in-order iteration with proper concurrency control mechanisms.

Twitter PageRank Recommendation System

- Architected a large-scale PageRank Spark application to analyze Twitter graph data on Azure HDInsight and Databricks.
- Designed a PySpark ETL pipeline that processed over 1TB and loaded data to the MySQL database on AWS.

Real-Time Ride Matching and Ad Targeting System

- Implemented high-throughput real-time data pipelines on AWS EMR, ensuring seamless stream processing at scale.
- Enhanced driver-matching and ad-personalizing by optimizing Kafka and Samza streaming performance.

Tubee - Automated YouTube Subscription Platform

- Constructed the project from scratch with Flask, PostgreSQL, and Docker.
- Processed over 1,000 new videos daily and delivered personalized recommendations to users faster than official app.

tw-invoice + K

- Created and Engineered an SDK for exchanging data with Taiwan MoF e-Invoice platform, accelerated application development by incorporating built-in data-validating features.
- · Architected a spending tracking system with FastAPI, PostgreSQL, and Docker, enabling users to manage and analyze their spending habits.