# Tae Wook (Tyler) Kim

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#### **EDUCATION**

## **Columbia University**, School of Engineering and Applied Science

New York, NY

B.S. Computer Science (GPA: 3.87), Chung Family Scholarship Recipient

Sep 2022 - May 2026

· Leave of Absence (Sept 2022 - Sept 2026) for Korea's mandatory military service

**Selected Coursework**: Advanced Programming, Computer Systems, Data Structures, User Interface Design, Computer Science Theory, Discrete Mathematics, Multivariable Calculus, Linear Algebra and Probability

EXPERIENCE

Quno (PearX S24)
San Francisco, CA

Co-Founder and CPO Jan 2024 - Present

- Quno merges the depth and flexibility of agency-led brand tracking with the speed and cost-efficiency of software solutions. Selected as one of 21 companies from 2100+ applications to participate in PearX accelerator
- Raised six-figure pre-seed from Pear VC

# **CORE** (Columbia Organization of Rising Entrepreneurs)

New York, NY

President April 2023 - Sept 2024

- Led 130+ members across 15+ initiatives that provide entrepreneurship opportunities on campus including startup workshop series, venture competition, startup accelerator, and product management fellowship.
- Spearheaded weekly meetings with 12+ executive board members for strategic planning, vision setting, project ideation, and product management.
- Led the website development for annual hackathons by overseeing 25 students in development team and design team

Scraft (Techstars '23)

New York, NY

Founder and CEO Jan 2023 - Nov 2023

- Built interactive storybook for language learner in Typescript, React/NextJS, Django, and Supabase; Achieved 22% DAU/MAU, 5k users Pivoted to work on Quno
- Designed user interface in Figma and implemented core features social authentication, real-time speech synthesis exercise, referral dashboard, and asynchronous LLM evaluation processing;
- Won Pear VC Competition (Gold Medal-\$10,000), Microsoft Imagine Cup (US Education Champion-\$2,500), Columbia Venture Competition (1st place-\$15,000), Startmate Competition (\$25,000), interviewed at YCombinator with Dalton

### Computational Design Lab at Columbia

New York, NY

Human-Computer Interaction (HCI) Researcher

May 2023 - Present

- Conducted HCI research in the intersection of socratic reasoning and language learning
- Published and presented a position paper at the CHI 2023 In2Writing workshop in Hamburg, Germany

# Faikerz (LegalTech Startup)

Seoul, South Korea

Software Engineer Intern

July 2021 - July 2022

- Built counterfeit detection models for fashion brand clients and live-tested against Korean e-commerce sites
- Built a keyword analysis REST API that detects anomalies in keyword and price distribution for online products. Filtered out 30% anomaly samples from initial dataset. Used Python and Flask
- Implemented hierarchical image classification model and keyword analysis API for CH\*NEL products in PyTorch

#### **SKILLS**

Technical Skills: C, Python, Java, TypeScript; SQL, Git, React, PyTorch, Docker

#### **Orbitron**, built with Mathematica

[Project]

- · Built a vehicle with a spherical wheel that implements a 4 wheel independent steering/driving system
- · Developed a unique control algorithm in Mathematica; Patented: KR 10-2268833, Issued June 18, 2021