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## **EXPERIENCE:**

# **Software Developer @ Jane Street**

May 2024 - Current

• Working on software to process data faster

#### CS Intern @ D. E. Shaw Research

May 2023 – August 2023

- Researching docking and non-equilibrium FE calculation methods
- Writing system software to run thousands of simulations on Anton3 ASICs
- Writing embedded code that achieves 2.5x speedup on docking simulations

#### Research Assistant @ FPSG Lab

September 2022 - Current

- Advised under Professor Chris Fletcher with collaborators across several institutions
- Exploring new microarchitectural side channel techniques and attacks
- Reverse engineering microarchitectural structures to leak secrets
- Declassiflow project: modelling non-speculative information flow to improve performance, implemented using LLVM

### Research Aide @ Argonne National Lab

May 2022 – May 2023

- Working with NVIDIA's Bluefield-3 Data Processing Unit (DPU) for zero trust network architectures
- Finding critical errors by instrumenting Portable Batch System (PBS) for Argonne's extreme scale systems
- Developed and programmed a command line interface for Argonne's UserBase3 and used by all Argonne admins
- Designed and collected data for a Python concurrency research project for the Operations division director

## Visiting Student @ Argonne National Lab

Feb 2022 – May 2022

Led the design of a ROS2 interface for Argonne's self-driving lab

• Built key infrastructure for Argonne's self-driving lab

# **Undergraduate Research Assistant @ Northwestern University**

Feb 2021 – June 2022

- Researched the vulnerability INTEL-SA-00086 to gain access to Intel's most secure piece of hardware (microcode project)
- Worked on the FPVM project led by Professor Peter Dinda

## DoE College Bound Research Intern (CBRP) @ Argonne National Lab

June – August 2021

- Started the design of a ROS2 interface for Argonne's self-driving lab
- Created important building blocks for future work in Argonne's self-driving lab

### Science and Engineering Apprenticeship Program (SEAP) Intern

June – August of 2019, 2020

- Led the development of autonomous bomb-defusing robots
- Repaired a variety of programming errors related to navigation, object recognition, and arm manipulation

### **PUBLICATIONS:**

- Hardware Security, first author, under submission '25
- Operating Systems, under submission '24
- **Declassiflow**, second author, ACM CCS '23
- Mars Ice Thermal Harvesting Rig & ISRU Laboratory (MITHRIL), ASCEND '22

### **ACHIEVEMENTS:**

- Dean's List: UIUC's Grainger College, 2021 Current
- 2<sup>nd</sup> Place Overall: NASA RASC-AL 2022 (published ASCEND '22)
- Gold Level: USA Computing Olympiad (USACO)
- Round 2 qualifier: Google Codejam coding competition

#### **SKILLS:**

- **Programming:** C/C++, Python, Bash, Java, x86-64, CUDA, Verilog, OCaml
- Others: Linux, ROS 1 & 2, OS X, Git, LLVM

# **EDUCATION:**

### BSMS in Computer Science, University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign

2021-2025

- **GPA:** 4.0 **Advisor:** Professor Chris Fletcher
- Activities: Intramural Soccer, Triathlon club, and ISS RASC-AL member

## **COMMUNITY SERVICE:**

- Taught a free month-long Java course to over 100 K-12 students in the Chicagoland area, June 2020
- Taught a free month-long competitive programming course to 30 K-12 students in the Chicagoland area, Jan 2021
- ACM Mentor Helping incoming freshman transition to college life, June 2022 Current