ZHIHAO WANG

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EDUCATION

Carnegie Mellon University, School of Computer Science

Master of Software Engineering

Aug 2021 – Dec 2022 (expected)

China University of Mining and Technology, Beijing, School of Science

Bachelor of Science in Information and Computing Science

Sept 2013 - June 2017

Pittsburgh, PA

Beijing, China

Beijing, China Sept 2014 - July 2017

Peking University, National School of Development Bachelor of Economics (double major)

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

Beijing, China App Annie

Senior Backend Software Engineer & Scrum Master

Feb 2018 – July 2021

- Designed and built new unified connection workflows to migrate 30+ platforms to microservices with a scalable solution to complete 2FA, reducing time cost by 50% and improving success rate by 30%. Established Kibana monitoring dashboards and troubleshooting tools to promptly react to third-party platform changes on user authentication.
- Migrated legacy data service from monolithic Django application to Python (using Flask) and Go container-based microservices to Amazon ECS. Designed and implemented unified query language translation, data aggregation and data permission control.
- Maintained scraping tasks and promptly reacted to platform changes. Developed internal tools for troubleshooting and enhanced monitoring to quickly locate issues, reducing Mean-Time-To-Repair by 50+% from 3+ days to 1~2 days.
- Upgraded internal *Node.js* scraping framework by integrating *puppeteer* to support headless browser-based scraping tasks and supported Google Firebase integration by implementing browser-based scraping tasks and ETL tasks.
- Led miscellaneous backend projects including alert improvement, proxy management, Python 2to3 upgrade.
- Built App Annie Connect Source Analysis Report and App Annie Ascend UI including data visualizations, connection management, and user management using React.
- Led a Scrum team of 6+ and facilitated team toward goals by coordinating with external teams in different time zones, and hosting sprint planning meetings, daily Scrum meetings to manage projects, and retrospectives to help team locate issues.

VIPKID Beijing, China

Backend Software Engineer

July 2017 - Feb 2018

- Built microservices with *Flask* and asynchronous task system with *Celery* for Dino English App and WeChat platform.
- Developed VIPKID School resource management and course booking management services with Java and Sprint Boot. Backend Software Engineer Intern Aug 2016 - July 2017
- Built microservices with Python and gRPC to support VIPKID iOS, iPadOS, Android applications.
- Built an internal ticket system with Gitlab *OAuth* integration on which engineers send requests for changes.

PROJECTS

AWS Auto-Scaling Controller

Jan 2022 - Feb 2022

Designed and implemented a workload-aware Auto-Scaling Controller for machine learning web application on EC2 using AWS Lambda and AWS Step Functions.

Distributed Bitcoin Miner

Sept 2021 - Oct 2021

Built a TCP-like network protocol on top of UDP (using *net* package of Go) with capabilities of handling lost, duplicated, or corrupted Internet packets, as well as failing clients and servers; implemented bitcoin miner, client, and server with failure handling and round-robin load balancing on top of the protocol.

Raft Consensus Nov 2021

Implemented Raft Consensus Algorithm with leader election and log replication in Go based on paper In Search of an Understandable Consensus Algorithm.

Peking University Course Trading Market

Dec 2016 - Feb 2018

Created a third-party information exchange platform with both website with Flask and WeChat Mini-Program with Node.js, which facilitated course swapping among students at National School of Development at Peking University.

SKILLS

Programming Languages: Python, Go, JavaScript, Java, SQL Data Storage: MySQL, PostgreSQL, MongoDB, Redis

AWS: EC2, ECS, S3, Lambda, Step Functions, CloudWatch, IAM, Terraform

Tools & Frameworks: Flask, Django, React, Spark, Docker, Kubernetes, Git, Jenkins

DevOps: Sentry, Kibana, New Relic, Datadog, Amazon Cloud Watch