William Le Ferrand 5, place du Président Wilson 31000 Toulouse FRANCE

+33 6 33 92 44 18+1 (415) 683-1484

william.le-ferrand@polytechnique.edu

williamleferrand.github.io
angel.co/wleferrand

Born 1987 French Citizen, Married, 3 children

What are we building today?

Academics

2006 - 2010 Ecole Polytechnique MS in Computer Science

Entrepreneurial activity

2008 - 2009	beouifi.org wifi captive portals funded by advertisement; won an entrepreneurial contest. 100 users (cafés, hostels)
2009	corefarm.org built a 3d rendering farm for Blender 3D using the Yafaray engine, dispatching the work on a grid of personal computers. over 1000 users trading their CPU time
2010	corefarm.com 3d rendering farm for Blender 3D in AWS. 100 users, commercial failure, opensourced
2011 - 2013	besport.com cofounded a sport social network, hired a team of 9 engineers, raised 1.2m\$. company relocated in Paris, still active
2013 - 2014	rambugo.com built an experimental marketplace for on-demand regional flights in Northern California using light aircraft. failed
2015	social playbooks built a non-profit social app connecting families and providers of children activities in San Francisco. regular activities were organized until we moved out
2017	accret.io the factory-as-a-service. reached poc stage, failed
2019 - present	hivyleague.com distributed apiaries on airfields, managed via an iPhone app and ELK-based dashboards

Contracting activity

20	010 - 2011	hypios.com led a team of 3 engineers, built a scientific problems marketplace connecting research centers and industrial users
20)11	issuu.com designed and implemented an ad network in OCaml including real-time ad presentation and offline processing of 150M documents, handed over the code to the team in Copenhagen
20)13	stretchinc.com designed and implemented a full stack prototype of a cloud based/html5 DVR, including embedded C code in HD cameras, AWS S3 storage and real time video re-encoding using ffmpeg
20)13	referrallama.com designed and implemented a full stack prototype of a referral platform on top of LinkedIn
20	013 - 2016	sumologic.com worked with the Search Performance team to design and implement a real time log ingest and search component that handles 5Tb+/day. designed and implemented a metrics collection and storage platform handling 2M dps from Kafka to Cassandra, deployed in AWS
20)15	lumity.com built a full stack healthcare sales platform on top of Lumity's proprietary optimization engine
20)16	alloy.ai built a prototype of metrics collection and search platform handling 1.5B events from Kafka to ElasticSearch, deployed in Kubernetes/GCE
20	016 - present	logichub.com detection, classification and prevention of security breaches at scale. working with US (both coasts) & India teams

Aeronautical Experience

- FAA CMEL + Instrument Rating, ultra light helicopter rating
- 780 hours TT, 480 multi-engine
- Certified piston aircraft maintenance and ultralight building experience

Talks

OCaml meeting 2010 « the collaborative rendering farm : a JoCaml grid », http://bit.ly/1N5kRXU

Skills

- Architecture : defining and managing the implementation of cloud-based products (AWS, GCE) using modern scheduling frameworks (Kubernetes)
- Implementation : fluent in Scala/Akka and SwiftUI. Toolbox includes C/C++/OCaml, React

Open source

- Wing leveler for GA aircraft, https://github.com/accretio/wingleveler
- Gripper for robotic arm, https://github.com/accretio/thortools/tree/master/thorgripper
- AWS OCaml client library, https://github.com/williamleferrand/aws