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SKILLS

Languages: Python, Javascript, Typescript, Go, SQL, HTML, CSS, C++, C

Technologies: Flask, Tornado, NodeJS, Express, React, Redux, MongoDB

EXPERIENCE

Wish | Software Engineer, Product Payments | Sep – Dec 2020

- Designed and built a data aggregation pipeline in **Python** and **SQL** to automatically produce financial reports from internal data for Wish's finance team; helping meet a critical auditing requirement for the company's IPO.
- Built urgently needed defensive measures against a sudden attack by fraudsters, preventing **>\$667K** in losses.
- Implemented a suite of anti-fraud logic to detect and stop malicious behavior throughout the payment collection lifecycle – leading to impacts such as decreasing the number of daily failed “add billing info” requests by **>40%**.

Wish | Software Engineer, Product Payments | Jan – Apr 2020

- Implemented a centralized “vault” for storing processed customer billing information, allowing a retry of failed payments from customers under special conditions with a projected recovery of **\$45 million annually**.
- Engineered functionality in **Python** with **Tornado** and **MongoDB** to block orders when user behavior was suspicious; included an admin UI in **React** for non-technical staff to easily configure detection parameters.
- Developed features and bugfixes related to the payments processing flow using **Python**, **React**, and **MongoDB**; with results like an increase in GMV by **\$120K per month** through a forgiveness system for banned users.

D2L | Software Developer | May – Aug 2019

- Improved a **Python** NLP algorithm for generating test questions based on the content of input text, increasing the yield of acceptable questions by **~60%**.
- Implemented major features such as freehand drawing and highlighting for an in-browser PDF editor using **React**.
- Built crucial functionality using **Express** with **NodeJS** and **MongoDB** for users to upload, edit, and save documents.

DragonAgile | Software Developer | May – Aug 2018

- Developed a full-stack web app for managing Perforce user permissions using **React**, **NodeJS**, and **Java**.
- Designed and built various plugins according to client specifications for Jira and Confluence using **Java**.

PROJECTS

Classwatch | React, Typescript, NodeJS, Express, MongoDB

- Web app that scrapes UW class registries and notifies users if a “watched” class has a spot open for enrolment.
- Obtained **+1500 users** and highly positive feedback.

Chess DLC | Go, React, Typescript

- Web client for a self-designed variant of chess with new rules and logic built from scratch – users can freely create and invite each other to self-contained “game rooms” where matches are played out.
- Runs a RESTful server with concurrently managed websockets to provide realtime updates to simultaneous games.

AWARDS

PennApps Best AR/VR Project, 2019

Finalist at Hack the 6ix, 2018

Dean's Honour's List, 2019-2020

EDUCATION

University of Waterloo

Bachelor of Computer Science, 2017-2022

cGPA: 89%