Kevin Xiao

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EDUCATION

University of Washington

Seattle, WA

B.S. Computer Science & B.A. Mathematics | GPA: 3.90 | USACO Gold & AIME Qualifier June 2027 Coursework: Data Structures, Algorithms, Artificial Intelligence, Numerical Analysis, Machine Learning, Software Design & Implementation, Computer Vision, Systems Programming, Software Tools, Discrete Math

EXPERIENCE

Amazon Web Services (AWS)

Jun 2025 - Sept 2025

Software Development Engineer Intern

Seattle, WA

- Pioneered a modular and extensible system design for Amazon Connect's first agentic AI flow editor assistant
- Shipped 12k+ LOC of MCP tools for autonomous UI control and secure context-retrieval with user credentials
- Achieved 95%+ code coverage with unit tests and E2E functionality verified by comprehensive integration tests
- Persuaded directors and VPs to adopt my design philosophy for future agentic efforts after pre-prod deployments

Makeability Lab

Jun 2024 – March 2025

Undergraduate Researcher

Seattle, WA

• Developed an accessible iOS app using SwiftUI, GPT-40 multimodal capabilities, and voice transcription models

- Deployed app in studies with real mixed-vision-ability families and coauthored paper accepted by ACM IUI
- Surpassed the industry-leading application Be My AI by 30% in usefulness and 5% in perceived accuracy.

Husky Satellite Lab

Apr 2024 – Present

Software Subsystem Lead

Seattle, WA

- Managed a 15-person software team for HuskySat-2, a \$275k UNP-funded research satellite, launching in 2027
- Researched and developed C++ star-id and attitude estimation algorithms for the lost-in-space star tracker

Pathway Foundation

Jun 2023 – Nov 2023

Software Engineer Intern

Bellevue, WA

- Led a team of 6 interns in the designing, developing, and maintaining the digital platforms for Pathway Foundation
- Developed and launched pathwayus.org and tutoring.pathwayus.org, serving over 300 website visitors weekly

PROJECTS

Sussi | Next.js, SwiftUI, MongoDB, Llama 4 API

June 2025

- Placed 1st at Meta Llama 4 Seattle Hackathon, competing against 200+ top college and full-time competitors
- Developed a student laptop monitoring system to give teachers quick classroom insights and automation
- Built a Next.js teacher client and a SwiftUI MacOS student client that interface through MongoDB Atlas
- Gained pre-seed investor attention and interviewed with VC firms like Afore VC for \$400k+ deals

Triage | Next.js, Flask, HTML/CSS, Perplexity AI, SAM 2, REST API

October 2024

- Placed 1st out of 1000+ participants at DubHacks '24, the largest hackathon in the Pacific Northwest
- Developed an AI disaster assessment and detection tool using satellite imagery to improve emergency response
- Built with Next.js frontend, Python Flask backend, Intel Tiber hosting, and AWS CloudFormationStack

ClinicChatBot | Flask, OpenAI API, ChromaDB

July 2023

- Full-stack RAG chatbot application with fine-tuned GPT-3.5-turbo to specialize in helping clinic website visitors
- Deployed system to a local acupuncture clinic for an 86% reduction in the average customer service ticket lifetime

TECHNICAL SKILLS

Languages: Python, Java, C++, C, JavaScript, TypeScript, HTML/CSS, Swift, SQL, MQL, x86-64 Assembly Frameworks: Node.js, React.js, Next.js, Express.js, Flask, SwiftUI, Flutter, Bazel, FastAPI, JUnit, Jest Developer Tools: Git, Linux, Amazon Web Services, Google Cloud Platform, Microsoft Azure, Docker, TSLint Concepts: Machine Learning, Object-Oriented Programming, Web Frameworks, Databases, Full stack, Cloud Computing, Cybersecurity, Parallel Programming, Statistics, Probability, NLP, REST API, HTTP, MCP