

# SIMON YANG

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## Education

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### University of Michigan, Ann Arbor

B.S. Computer Science, Math Minor

- William J. Branstrom Prize Recipient (Top 5% of Class)

Expected May 2023

GPA 3.83

## Skills

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Languages: C++, C, Lua, Python, SQL, MATLAB

Technologies: Git, MySQL, Linux, Bash, Vim

Coursework: Data Structures & Algorithms, Foundations of CS, Intro Computer Organization, Multivariable & Vector Calculus, Linear Algebra, Honors Intro Stats

## Experience

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### Belvedere Trading

Chicago, IL

Incoming Software Engineering Intern

Jun 2022 – Aug 2022

### Flux TTT Servers

Ann Arbor, MI

Founder, Game Developer

Jul 2020 – Present

A Garry's Mod (video game) community with custom-coded servers

- Design modular framework with customizable dependencies for speedier, cleaner maintainability
- Improve player experience by developing fun minigames, lootbox gambling, player trading in Lua
- Build anti-cheat system through C++ and Lua to automatically ban **900+** cheaters and rulebreakers
- Optimize MySQL database and client/server networking by **~100x** through delta update support
- Grown business to **41,000 players** and **\$5,000/month in microtransaction sales** from [store](#)

### Michigan Investment Group

Ann Arbor, MI

VP Recruiting, Quant Project Lead

Jan 2021 – Present

School's premier investment club intersecting quantitative finance and technology

- Organized recruiting events, wrote software & quant interview questions, and improved [website](#) SEO
- Revamped application process to **reduce recruiting bias** and **increase applications by 60%**
- Led Statistical Arbitrage team by designing interface, managing sprints, and performing code reviews

### Twickenham Advisors

Huntsville, AL

Wealth Management Intern

Jul 2021 – Aug 2021

- Compiled & classified ~900 frontend transactions for importing into new software

- Drafted market reports and synthesized investment meetings with private equity wholesalers

## Projects

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### Portfolio Risk

Built portfolio weight optimization model that maximized Sharpe ratio and trained neural networks to predict covariance matrix and stock price (Python)

### Assembly Simulator

Created a program based on custom ISA that converted assembly language into machine code and simulated it with pipelining and caching (C)

### Machine Learning

Used natural language processing and machine learning to automatically classify the subject of media posts through a Naïve Bayes Classifier (C++)

### SQL Emulator

Programmed a SQL emulator with index generation for faster querying (C++)