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SUMMARY

Expert at building cohesive, high-performance engineering teams, multiplying business value through technology, and ensuring consistent delivery of reliable, scalable software solutions.

EXPERIENCE

Nomad - Head of Engineering

Apr '21 – Present

- + Defined software development process enabling efficient, consistent software releases for internal and external stakeholders increasing delivery rate of impactful software by 300%
- + Architected entire application software ecosystem containing three main services. Coordinated with six third party data sources used for customers and internal business decision enablement
- + Created career progression framework and structure to help Engineers achieve their goals resulting in significant professional growth and 100% Engineering retention and a highly engaged team of Engineers
- + Created hiring plan and interview process resulting in a 500% growth in full time Engineers distributed across the United States

Arcadia - Staff Software Engineer

Jul '19 – Apr '21

- + Designed and led development of internal architecture shift towards RESTful services resulting in completion of complex internal applications
- + Introduced strong Software Engineering patterns to enable more cohesive and stronger development cycles for junior and mid level developers

Test Double - Senior Software Engineer

Jan '19 – Jul '19

- + Consultant deployed to augment and improve Software Engineering teams focused on improving code quality, team dynamic, and developer experience

Apartment List - Senior Software Engineer/API Tech Lead

Feb '14 – Dec '18

- + Responsible for company infrastructure direction and main decision maker for scaling crucial services
- + Designed, architected, implemented, and was Tech Lead for in house notification system resulting in 30% revenue gain company-wide
- + Regularly gave internal talks educating the team on Software Engineering patterns and API design

Year of Commits

Apr '15 – Apr '16

- + Year long challenge to learn and contribute to Open Source software every single day
- + Weekly articles written about things learned in Open Source development and other Software Engineering thoughts/design patterns

Change.org - Software Engineer

Sept '12 – Nov '13

- + Individual contributor for many revenue generating projects focused on fundraising both internal and external
- + Main point of contact for multiple third party integrations to main application requiring collaboration with many external engineers

Apartment List (dba Vertical Brands) - Software Engineer

Mar '11 – July '12

- + Architect and author of eventual subsidiary Auto List which included managing a team of remote contractors in addition to being lead contributor and application developer
- + Maintainer of legacy applications while helping move the company into a rewrite of those applications into newer, more modern technologies

SKILLS

Ruby, Ruby on Rails, Postgres, Python, GraphQL, JavaScript, AWS, Heroku, Redis, Git, Terraform

EDUCATION

Computer Science, Bachelor of Science (B.S.)

2009

Virginia Commonwealth University