Alex Zhang

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EDUCATION

University of Southern California
Master of Science in Computer Science, GPA 3.65/4.00   January 2022–December 2023
University of Florida
Master of Science in Management, Combined Degree, GPA 3.56/4.00   January 2020–August 2021
University of Florida
Bachelor of Science in Computer Science, Cum Laude, GPA 3.62/4.00   August 2016–December 2020

TECHNICAL SKILLS

Frontend Dev: JavaScript/TypeScript, HTML, CSS/Less/Tailwind, React, Redux/MobX, Vite, React Native
Backend Dev: Node/NestJs/Egg.js, Python, Java, Spring Framework (Spring Boot, Spring MVC), Thymeleaf
Databases: SQL, Firebase, MongoDB, MyBatis, Hibernate, Sequelize
Machine Learning: Pandas, Numpy, PyPlot, Seaborn, Sklearn

INTERNSHIP EXPERIENCE

Schlumberger   May 2022–August 2022
Software Developer Intern | Schlumberger-Doll Research   Cambridge, MA
- Developed a backend management module with **React** to monitor current status of company's visualization platform.
- Refactored platform's Logplot with **INT GeoToolkit APIs**, allowing users to visualize multiple logs within one single track.
- Redesigned controller mechanism for geographic 3D visualizer renderer written in **Three.js** for better user experience.
- Revamped development and testing experience by transplanting existing 13 unit test cases from Linux to Windows.

Meta Force, LLC.   March 2022–May 2022
Software Developer Intern   Beverly Hills, CA
- Developed company's official website with animations and responsive design with **React**, **Redux**, **Tailwind**, and **Vite**.
- Built and hosted multiple official websites of company's NFT products on Heroku, leading to a profit of $10 thousand.

Xiaomi   September 2021–December 2021
Software Developer Intern & Intern Interviewer | Department of MIUI Experience   Beijing, China
- Developed multiple sections for MIUI 13's official website (home.miui.com) with **Next.js** and **Tailwind**, and adjusted visual effects to match department's changing expectations and helped increment MIUI's monthly active users by 100 million.
- Boosted operations team's work efficiency by developing splash screen and product library management modules for Xiaomi Community's backend with React to enable automated splash screen and product management.
- Carried out new APIs for Xiaomi Group's privacy policy management platform with **Egg.js** and **MySQL-Sequelize**, enabling administrators to access published privacy policies and publish new policies through server to clients, etc.
- Enriched animation solution pool by analyzing and reproducing animations on Apple MacBook Pro's official website.

Alibaba   May 2021–August 2021
Software Developer Intern | Alibaba Cloud Utility Products Business Unit   Hangzhou, Zhejiang, China
- Expanded functionality and improved usability of Alibaba Cloud by implementing new features, varying from constructing the Advanced Features page of VPC to carrying out the VSwitch change-of-binding module of VRouter-Table, creating an indirect increase in revenue of $0.2 million.
- Devised a code generation solution with **React.js** and **Handlebars.js** in order to enhance efficiency and ensure efficient throughput of large frontend development teams.
- Wrote automated test cases for DHCP Options Set and Smart Access Gateway and created tutorial documentation to improve new employees training efficiency by 20%.

PROJECTS

Nowcoder   December 2022–present
Engineered a social media application with **Spring Boot**, **Spring MVC**, **MySQL**, **MyBatis**, **Redis, Kafka** and **ElasticSearch**.

Employee Management Backend   November 2022
Built an application with **Spring Boot**, **MySQL** and **Hibernate** to perform certain operations for managing employees' info.
- Allowed users to retrieve one or all employees from database, add/delete employees, and update employee info.

Humming   April 2020–September 2020
Programmed a mobile application simulating delivery service via drones and robots within San Francisco in the Agile fashion.
- Engineered all 7 screens to provide functionalities of user authentication, solution planning, order creation, status tracking, profile information modification, etc., with **React Native** and **Firebase**.
- Enhanced user experience by integrating polyline drawing, route computation, coordinate translation and payment services.
- Devised APIs for order creation and management, payment information generation and validation, and address management.

InMotion   November 2019–September 2020
Engineered a real-time web app in order to analyze human facial expressions from webcam and video by sorting emotion data into 7 categories and displaying data with a visual diagram.
- Constructed user authentication module with **Node.js**, **Express.js**, and **Mongoose**, and blurred user auth info with **JWT**.
- Applied Firestore to store facial expression data uploaded every 100 frames for further facial expression analyses.

INVOLVEMENT

External Relations Chair of UF Open Source Club   September 2019-May 2020