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EDUCATION

NATIONAL UNIVERSITY OF SINGAPORE

BComp in Computer Science
(Turing Program)

Expected May 2023

Cum. GPA: 4.61

UNIVERSITY OF SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA

STUDENT EXCHANGE PROGRAM

LINKS

Github: github.com/sun-yitao

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COURSEWORK

UNDERGRADUATE

Data Structures & Algorithms

Software Engineering

SWE for Digital Markets

Operating Systems

Computer Networks

Databases

Parallel Computing

Quantum Computing

Combinatorics & Graphs

Optimisation Algorithms

SKILLS

PROGRAMMING

Proficient:

Python • Swift • C++ • Golang

Familiar:

Java • Typescript • Objective-C

FRAMEWORKS

Hadoop • Spark • GraphQL

PostgreSQL • Redis • Docker

iOS • Gin • Flask • Express

PyTorch • TensorFlow • Scikit-Learn

GENERAL

Software Engineering

Backend Development

iOS Programming

Linux

Machine Learning

Computer Vision

Natural Language Processing

Recommendation Algorithms

EXPERIENCE

META (FACEBOOK) | SOFTWARE ENGINEER INTERN

May 2022 – Aug 2022

- Implemented 2 features in Messenger iOS for easier user navigation: chat labels and inbox filtering, which launched worldwide to Rest of World.
- Wrote tests, documentation, and communicated with cross-functional teams to drive design, content, and business goals.

SHOPEE | SOFTWARE ENGINEER INTERN

May 2021 – Aug 2021

- Implemented Alibaba's SWING algorithm for item-item similarity using Golang, Hadoop and Spark which resulted in 9% higher click-through rate.
- Researched on recommendation algorithms and query relevance to determine the best approach.

RAKUTEN VIKI | IOS ENGINEER INTERN

Apr 2020 - Jul 2020

- Implemented new homepage with redesigned navigation bar and content cards.
- Implemented Facebook login and analytics using Facebook API.
- Refactored API calls to make use of modern Swift 5 language features.

PROJECTS

WHISPERS SG | CS3216 FINAL PROJECT

Sep 2021 – Present

Whispers.sg is a privacy-focused social network for anonymous sharing, currently with over 20k monthly users. I built the backend using a GraphQL stack of Apollo Server, Relay and Prisma.

RANKATHON | ORBITAL - ARTEMIS (EXTREME)

May 2020 – Aug 2020

Rankathon is a hackathon managing platform similar to Devpost. It provides a mobile-friendly UI for judging and automatically sorts the winners for each category through a normalised ranking algorithm. I developed the backend using Golang containerised with Docker.

AWARDS

2021	1 st	CS3216 19th SoC Term Project Showcase: Website
2021	1 st	Space Out Hackathon: Slides
2020	2 nd	Jane Street Electronic Trading Competition: Github
2020	1 st	IOT Datathon: Medium Article
2019	1 st	CS1101S 3D Runes Contest
2019	Top 10/1200	AI For SEA Challenge Finalist: Github
2019	2 nd /359	National Data Science Competition: Kaggle Post

SOCIETIES

2021 - 2021	Tembusu Inter-College Games Chess Captain
2020 - Present	NUS Hackers Coreteam
2019 - 2020	NUS Statistics Society Project Director