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EDUCATION

University of Minnesota Twin Cities

Fall 2018 - Spring 2021

Bachelor of Science, Major in Physics (Computational), Minor in Computer Science.

Cumulative GPA: 3.652

EXPERIENCE

Sezzle Inc

June 2021 - Present

Software Engineer — Go, React & React Native (Typescript), Docker, ETL, k8s Minneapolis, MN

- Exhibit strong character while financially empowering the next generation.
- Built and maintained well-tested, backward-compatible, and secure shopper authentication systems.
- Designed and developed REST APIs and features in the Web and Mobile app that continuously improving a user's experience.
- Developed metrics to measure and monitor KPIs that are crucial to customer retention in the AGILE fashion.

University of Minnesota Gravitational Wave Group

Jan 2020 - Present

Research Assistant — Python, NumPy, Matplotlib Minneapolis, MN

- Diagnose problems with the Bayesian LISA Pipeline written by Sharan Banagiri that detects parameters of interest from the stochastic gravitational wave backgrounds.
- Added another model that recovers certain parameters that describes the primordial gravitational waves induced at the infant universe. (<https://github.com/sharanbngr/blip>)

School of Physics and Astronomy, University of Minnesota

Sept 2019 - Dec 2019

Teaching Assistant

Minneapolis, MN

- Conducted discussion sessions with students individually or in smaller groups.
- Guided and explained teaching material in a "language" that first year students can understand easily and increase student's interest in physics.

University of Minnesota Cosmology Lab

Summer 2019

Material Analyzer — Python

Minneapolis, MN

- Created an efficient method to test the transmission coefficient of silicon wafer made for Cosmic Microwave Background detection.
- Worked with Rohde & Schwarz generators and analyzers, wrote a script to collect data from R&S automatically.

H.O.M.E Lab Sunway University Malaysia

Aug 2017 - Aug 2018

Research Assistant — Javascript, NodeJS, 3JS, Arduino, Johnny-FiveJS Subang Jaya, Malaysia

- Led an interdisciplinary research project funded by the Malaysian Communications and Multimedia Commission that aide the visually impaired (VI) communities to catch up with the e-commerce transformation.

TECHNICAL STRENGTHS

Tools

Docker, Git, Grafana, Redash, Singer-ETL, NumPy, sklearn, Pandas, Matplotlib

Frameworks

Gin, GORM, React, React Native, Flask